



The Friday Note

Friday 19th September 2025

Staff Development Day: School will be closed for all pupils on Friday 26th September to facilitate staff training.

Dates for your diary:

Halloween Holidays: Monday 27th October – Friday 31st October.

Parent/Teacher Meeting Day: Friday 28th November (no school for pupils).

Afterschool Clubs/Activities: week beginning 22nd September

<u>Day</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Times</u>	<u>Collect from</u>
Monday 22 nd	MR Sports Dance	P4-P7 from 3-4pm	School hall
Tuesday 23 rd	MR Sports Arts & Crafts	P2-P3 from 2-3pm	P1 Door
		P4-P7 from 3-4pm	P1 Door
	MR Sports Soccer	P2-P3 from 2-3pm	Pitch
		P4-P5 from 3-4pm	Pitch
Wednesday 24 th	Irish Dancing	P2-3 from 2-3pm	Top Hall
		P4-7 from 3-4pm	Top Hall
Thursday 25 th	MR Sports Hurling	P4-P7 from 3-4pm	School Pitch
	Netball with Mrs Hanna & Miss Donnelly	3-4pm	School Hall
Thursday 25 th	P5-P7 Gaelic Training with Mr McCaffery & Miss McGinn	3-4pm	Pitch
	P4-P6 St Colman's Film & Animation Club *	3-4pm	Top Hall

***St Colman's Film & Animation Club** starts back on Thursday 25th September for pupils in P4,5 and 6. P7 Pupils can join in the second term. The Club will run every Thursday from 3-4pm in Mr Deery's room for the next 5 weeks. Cost is £4 per week £20 in total and classes are limited to 12. Those children who do not get a place this block will have the opportunity in the next block of bookings after Halloween.

BOOKING WILL GO LIVE TODAY AT 3.30 VIA SCHOOL MONEY.

Lunchtime Supervisory Assistant Vacancy: St Colman's has a vacancy to join our team as a lunchtime supervisory assistant. Please contact Brenda in the school office for further details.

School Dinners: We ask that all bookings are made over the weekend.



School Meals: Week beginning Monday 22nd September 2025 - £2.60 daily price

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Cod Bites with Mayo Dip Mushy Peas & Coleslaw Chipped Potatoes or Baked Jacket Potato Chocolate Krispie Square & Orange Wedges	Margherita or Tex Mex Spicy Beef Pizza Baton Carrots & Broccoli Oven Baked Paprika Wedges & Baby Potato Salad Cola Jelly & Chopped Fruit	“Lunch Bunch” Chicken Curry with Freshly Baked Mini Naan Bread Sweetcorn & Roasted Butternut Squash Steamed Fluffy Rice & Pasta Salad Angel Cake & Custard	Roast Beef & Yorkshire Pudding with Stuffing & Gravy Fresh Selection of Vegetables in Season Oven Baked Roast Potatoes & Mashed Potatoes Ice- Cream, Sliced Pears & Caramel Square	School closed for pupils

Pupil of the Week



Acorn Class Ms Hannaway P1 Mrs Hanna P1 Miss Donnelly	Hunter Hepworth *Will Begin Soon* *Will Begin Soon*	
P2 Mrs Phoenix P2 Mrs Henry (Mrs Boden) P3 Mrs McDonnell	Grace Hankinson Danny McKenna Charlotte McDowell, Oliver Talbot	Caoltan Stitt Holly Burke Odhran McGreevy
P3 Mrs Casey (Miss Raffo) Mrs Toland	Carter McCrory Grace McKenna	Daire Curran Shea Rodgers
P4 Mr Kernan P4 Mrs Monaghan P5 Miss Cunningham P5 Miss McGinn	Isabella Magee Amelia McColgan Luke Fitzpatrick Eden Johannesson	Matthew Scott James Kavanagh Maeve O' Callaghan Jack Haller
P6 Mrs Tandy P6 Mrs McGrath P7 Mr Deery P7 Mr McCaffery Mr Mc Cambridge	Alaia Granr Adam Daly Nicholas Hann Dylan Hughes Daniel Kelly	Ryan Mc Corry Robyn Mcillwaine Lucy Price Clíodhna O'Kane Marissa Maughan



Principal's Award this week goes to..... Darcie McClenaghan P4, Camille Murray P2
Zara Donaghy P5, Dylan Carville P6....WELL DONE EVERYONE 😊

And Finally.....

Well, that's all of the P1 children in and started school successfully now. Congratulations to all of our P1 children and their parents for such a smooth start to their primary school journey in St. Colman's. They walk without fuss in through the gates in the mornings and you'd think they were here years!!! Some very purposeful, strong strolls through the gate each morning which is great to see!!!

The morning drop off is an important part to the start of each day and in St. Colman's we invest greatly in it. Our P7 buddies and school staff are on hand to welcome the children, say hello and bring them into school - hopefully reducing stress on parents and any anxious children. Very quickly the children become seasoned pros and know where to go and put their bags etc.

It provides a positive start to the school day for all and is a key part of our ethos here in St. Colman's.

It is a pleasure seeing how happy the children are arriving to school each day - means a great deal to us.

Enjoy your weekend and thank you.

Mr S. Baine (Principal)

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