



St. Eithne's Headlines 5



St. Eithne's P.S.
Springtown Road,
Derry,
January 2010

Some Plans for Term 2

SCHOOL SHOW

This great annual event takes place on Tues (9), Wed (10) & Thurs (11) Feb. The show this year is Aladdin. He is the poor son of Widow Twankey. He dreams of finding a magic cave, marrying the princess and living in the palace. However, the Villain Jafar has other ideas. Jafar locks the princess and Aladdin in the cave and wants his son, Plonky Von Blubber to marry the princess. Wishy Washy, (the princess' maid servant) pretends to be the princess. She is relentlessly chased by Von Blubber who falls in love with her. What a complicated plot!

P.7 Parents Meet with Principal:	Jan/Feb.
School Show:	9, 10, 11 Feb.
Holiday Week for all:	15 - 19 Feb.
P.4 & 7 Sacramental Talk	22 Feb. at 8pm
P. 4 1st Communion Prep. Mass	22 March
P.7 Service of Light	24 March
Confirmation Meeting:	10 March
Holiday (3 days):	17, 18 & 19 March
Parent / Teacher Meetings:	22, 23 & 24 March
Last Day of Term:	Wednesday 31 March

Class Masses & Choir.

Primary 5 to 7 classes are involved in Sunday masses at 11:15 this term as follows:

Mrs Miller's Class 7 Feb.

Mrs Mc Clean's Class 28 Feb

The choir is singing on Sunday 28 February.



CLUBS

There will be no Clubs on the week of the show (Week beginning 8 Feb.)



Accelerated Reading in P.5.

Our Primary 5 children have been using a new very interesting system to get them reading. This programme has done wonders already for the children. Each child reads a book and takes a quick quiz on the computer gaining achievements when they get all answers right. Most of them have read at least 15 library books as well as their own reading book work.

Transfer Meetings (P.7) with Principal.

The Primary 7 parents have already started meeting the Principal this week to choose post primary school.

Credit Union Art.

Well done again to Eve Devlin. Her picture was highly commended in the All Ireland final and of course she received yet another prize.

Parent / Teacher Meetings

P.1 to 6 teachers will meet parents on 22, 23 & 24 March to update parents on their children's progress.

Mid-Term Break Full Week

There is a holiday for all on the week of the 15th February.

Class Swimming.

Our Primary 7 children start a 14-week programme of swimming lessons starting on the week beginning 1st Feb. Please make sure your child attends every session and does not miss out on this valuable learning experience.

Visit our website for weekly information, photos and up-to-date information.

www.steithnes.net



BEST TEAM IN DERRY AWARD

Well done to the Athletics/Cross country Team. They were awarded The Best Primary School Team by the Derry & District Sports Council, receiving the award in the Guildhall during a sparkling award Ceremony on Wednesday 20th January.

Breakfast Club

The Breakfast club ticket will be worth 20p from Monday 1st Feb. This means that you need a ticket and 10p to get juice and toast, 1 ticket & 15p for tea and toast.

Dinner Menu dates: Week 1 (1 Feb), Week 2 (8 Feb), Week 4 (22 Feb): The menu is available on the school website.