

Mass Attendance in Our Lady of Lourdes, Grange:

Date	Class	Time
25/02/16	P2/3	9.30am
03/03/16	P1	9.30am
10/03/16	P6/7	9.30am
24/03/16	No Mass in Grange chapel	

Upcoming dates for the Diary:

Date:	Activity
Mon 15 th -Fri 19 th Feb	Mid Term break- Pupils OFF school
Mon 22 & Tue 23	School Nursing Team in school
Mon 22 nd Feb	Friends of Grange PS Meeting at 7.00pm
Wed 17 th Feb	Warrenpoint Feis begins
Sun 28 th Feb	Peace Proms Performance event in Belfast
Thu 3 rd March	World Book Day
Tue 8 th Mar	First Confession
Wed 16 th March	Green Day

Kingdom/An Ríocht activities:

For next 2 weeks:

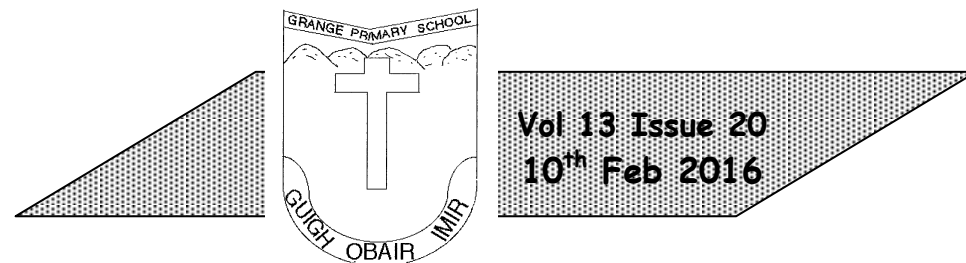
Friday: 6.30pm P5 & P6 Gaelic; 7.30pm Kids Movie Night.

Saturday: 11am P1 & P2 Gaelic; 12pm P3 & P4 Gaelic.

Tuesday: 7.30 pm U12 Gaelic (born 2004/05).

Wednesday: 6.15pm U6 & U8 Camogie; 7.15pm U10 & U12 Camogie; 8pm Girls Project (aged 8 to 12)

Happy St. Valentine's Weekend
from all in Grange Primary School.



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Grange Newsletter




Congratulations to the children who received certificates following their completion of the Reading Partnership Programme.

Sincere thanks to Mrs. Doran and Miss Hanna who facilitated this programme.

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HALF- TERM BREAK: Please note that our school will be closed to pupils the week beginning 15th of February for the half -term break . School will reopen for all pupils on Monday 22nd February .	
Lent: Each class has now begun their weekly raffles and I'm sure we will come up with other ideas to help us continue the proud and impressive history our school has with our annual Trocaire campaign during Lent.	
Mass attendance: The whole school attended mass on Ash Wednesday to mark the beginning of Lent. Yesterday, the whole school attended mass to celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes. After the mass the children took part in a procession to the Grotto.	
Feis an Duin: This year's competition takes place on Saturday 9 th April in The Newcastle Centre. Entries to the competition are now open. Pupils can choose from Poetry and Conversation sections. Each entry costs £1.00	
Our School in the Parish: The family of P4 pupil Cara McCann will participate at the Offertory at this Sunday's mass in Our Lady of Lourdes, Grange. The family of James Mc Comiskey will take part on Sunday 21 st . We ask that each family attending mass make their presence known to Kathleen Doran before mass commences on the day. If any families swop their dates, please notify Mrs Sloan, so she can update Fr. Dillon and Fr. Cahill prior to the date of the mass. Many thanks.	
Safe Travel: A letter and Safe Travel brochure was posted yesterday to all parents with children who travel either on Translink or Education Authority buses to or from school. Parents are asked to discuss the details of the advice within the letter, brochure and Conditions of Travel as laid down by both organisations.	
Music at Warrenpoint Feis Children from our school will participate in the music section of Warrenpoint Feis as follows:	
Monday 7 th March, 1.30pm:	Tin whistle solo, Primary 5 Tin whistle solo, Primary 6 Tin whistle solo, Primary 7 Tin whistle group unison
Wednesday 9 th March, 9.30am	Boys and girls solo in Primary 1
Youth Mass in our Parish: There will be a further Parish Youth Mass on Sunday 20th March (Palm Sunday) in St. Colmans Church, Massforth at 11.30am. Closer to the time we will look for children available to represent our school at this mass.	

Warrenpoint Feis Dates:		
Wednesday 17 th February at 9.30am	Primary 1 girls	
Wednesday 17 th February at 11.00am	Primary 4 boys	
Wednesday 17 th February at 2pm	Primary 6 girls	
Friday 19 th February at 9.30am	Primary 1 boys	
Friday 19 th February at 11.00am	Primary 5 boys	
Friday 19 th February at 2pm	Primary 4 girls	
Monday 22 nd February at 11.00am	Primary 2 girls	
Tuesday 23 rd February at 9.30am	Primary 2 boys	
Tuesday 23 rd February at 11.00am	Primary 3 girls	

<p>Safer Internet Day:</p> <p>Tuesday 9th February was National Internet Safety Day. Pupils revisited how to keep safe on the internet. All families recently received a letter detailing two planned Internet Safety Awareness workshops on educating parents as to how to keep their family safe online. These workshops promise to be extremely informative. There has been a slow return of replies for parents wishing to attend either of the 2 events and with attendance open to all parents of children at local Mourne schools, our parents would need to let us know quickly if they wish to go along.</p>						
<p>Parent - Teacher Meetings:</p> <p>Parent/Teacher Meetings for children in primary 1 and 3 took place this week in school. We thank parents for making time to meet and discuss their children's progress. We thank parents for taking the time to complete the School Self-Evaluation Questionnaire provided.</p>						
<p>Trip to Medjugorje :</p> <p>A trip to Medjugorje is currently being organised for June 2016. If anyone is interested or would like further details, please contact : Mrs Deborah O'Hare on 028417 64415 or 07894412276.</p>						
<p>World Book Day:</p> <p>World Book Day occurs on Thursday 3rd March. Pupils are asked to be creative and come dressed as a book character.</p>						
<p>Green Day:</p> <p>Our now annual 'Green Day' in preparation for the celebration of St. Patrick's Day will take place on Wednesday 16th March. We look forward to seeing all our pupils dressed in their best green attire and we will look for our singers, dancers and musicians to add to the occasion in school.</p>						
<p>Friends of Grange Meeting:</p> <p>There will be a meeting of the Parents' Group at 7.00pm on Monday 22nd February. Everyone is welcome to attend.</p>						
<p>School House Points:</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Binnian:</td> <td>2020</td> <td>Donard:</td> <td>2800</td> <td>Knockchree:</td> <td>2225</td> </tr> </table>	Binnian:	2020	Donard:	2800	Knockchree:	2225
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