

JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2019 NEWSLETTER

**May the new year days be as bright as the sunshine and as calm as the moonlight.
Have a wonderful 2019.**

Dear Parent

The beginning of a new year is a good time not only to reflect on the last 12 months but also to look forward to the year to come. May we take a moment to congratulate ourselves on all the successes our pupils, our school and our community has had during 2018 and beyond. Our faith and hope in each other made this possible. Let us continue throughout 2019 to work together and achieve even greater things for our young people and the whole community in Castledearg. Not everyone can do great things but everyone can do small things with love. The cumulative impact of thousands of small acts of goodness can be bigger than we can ever imagine.

Dates for your diary are as follows: -

Wednesday 9th January	Clubs commence for 6 weeks
Friday 11th January	Years 5, 6 and 7 trip to the Grand Opera House, Belfast to watch the performance of Jack & the Beanstalk
Wednesday 16th January	Year 7 to visit Motor Cross event at the Odyssey Arena, Belfast
Tuesday 22nd January	Year 7 Road Safety Quiz
Friday 25th January	Year 5 Class Assembly
Monday 28th January	Miss Douglas CCEA Foundation Stage training
Wednesday 30th January	Year 7 Big School Day - Castledearg High School
Friday 1st February	Year 7 Swimming commences for 15 weeks
Friday 8th February	Year 6 Grandparent Day 10 am
Tuesday 12th February	Year 1 Class Assembly
Wednesday 13th February &	Parent Interviews 6.30 – 9 pm
Thursday 14th February	Years 5, 6 & 7 Verse Speaking
Thursday 14th February	Parent Interviews 3.30 – 5.30 pm
Monday 18th February	SCHOOL CLOSED
Friday 22nd February	HALF TERM
Monday 25th February	SCHOOL REOPENS

Thank you to everyone who supported our Christmas Jumper day for Save the Children. We raised £208. I would also like to take this opportunity to extend a warm thank you to Cherry and Philip McCullough for providing the Year 7 pupils with the wonderful opportunity to attend the Arenacross for Schools event at the SSE Arena on 16th January 2019. Congratulations also to Aimee Liggett who won first prize in the Foyle and District Road Safety NI poster competition.

If you have any unanswered questions or ambiguities regarding school life, please do not hesitate to contact me.

On behalf of everyone at Edwards may I wish you all an amazing 2019.

E Robinson
Principal