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School Newsletter

18th May 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians,

School Closure: As you are well aware, the government have indicated that the school will not be reopening until September

As a result, we will be continuing with our distance learning approach for the remainder of this year.

Class Activities: Teachers continue to communicate with you and your sons through Class Dojo and email. All class activities are posted on our website should you be unable to connect with the teacher in these ways (www.stpatricksboysns.com). Please continue to post pictures and screenshots of the work being carried out. It is great to see learning continue in so many different ways.

Thanks to all of the teachers and staff who continue to work remotely and very creatively in order to maintain learning through this difficult time.

Book Rental: Mr Ryan will be in contact with you over the coming weeks with details of next year's book rental scheme. We will be arranging for the drop off of our existing book rental books at the end of June. We will have further information closer to the time.

School Reports: Reports, calendar and booklists for next year will be issued as per usual at the end June. These will be available from school on the same day as rental books are returned.

Sacraments: Bishop Leady sadly confirmed the postponement of our First Holy Communion and Confirmation last month. We are all very disappointed for the boys, however, we will be determined to hold them when the time is right and ensure that they have their special day.

Collection of Books and Resources: Please ensure that you have arranged to collect your books this week, as per last week's newsletter. For further information, contact your class teacher or email info@stpatricksboysns.com.

Competition time: We will recommence our school competition for next week. The task will be to design and make your own paper airplanes. It can be as intricate or as simple as you like. To give you a little bit of help, have a look at the following website: https://www.foldnfly.com. Can you measure for me the distance it can fly for? Pictures/videos of entries can be emailed to comps@stpatricksboysns.com. Remember, photographs with just your child in them cannot be posted on social media. Entries to be in for Friday please.

Sincerely,

Anthony Liddane

Principal