

News



LAPLAND AT LOUGHRIES – CHRISTMAS OPEN AFTERNOON FRIDAY 8TH DECEMBER 2023.

We are holding our Open Afternoon on Friday 8th December from 2:30pm – 4:30pm. The school will close earlier to facilitate this. The collection times for pupils are as follows: P1-P4 12:30pm and P5-7 12:40pm. The children will have their lunch before they leave.

IT'S A BOY

Congratulations to Mr and Mrs Reid on the safe arrival of baby Theo. We are all delighted for you.

PTFA FUNDRAISING BAG PACK AT TESCO

A big thank you to everyone who gave up their time to help at the Bag Pack. £691 was raised.

CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY



Thursday, 7th December, is a non-uniform day and children may come to school wearing a Christmas jumper. £1 donations per child are to be made via Eduspot to Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day.

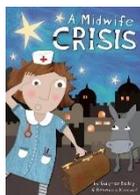
CHRISTMAS DINNER

Eduspot is open for you to book dinners for next week. Thursday 7th December is our Christmas Dinner Day.

SWIM ULSTER PRIMARY SCHOOLS CUP & CHAMPIONSHIPS

Swim Ulster will host the Swim Ulster Primary Schools Cup & Championships on 9th December 2023 at Aurora Aquatic & Leisure Complex, Bangor. Good Luck to Niamh who will be representing our school.

NATIVITY



We have two performances which are on Wednesday 13th December and Thursday 14th December at Ards Evangelical Church starting at 10:30am. We shall be operating a ticketed event and these are available to order on Eduspot. The doors will open from 10:15am.

ECO-SCHOOLS PROGRAMME

Loughries IPS is joining the Eco-Schools programme. We shall be working on the Bronze Award. An Eco-Committee has been formed made up of pupils from all classes in school and some staff members. The aim is to make pupils aware of environmental issues and to improve the school. All classes will be involved in activities throughout the year.

Dates For Your Diary:

7 th December	Christmas Jumper Day. Christmas Dinner Day.
8 th December	Open Afternoon 2:30pm – 4:30pm. Collection Times P1-P4 12:30pm P5-7 12:40pm.
9 th December	Swim Ulster Primary Schools Cup & Championships.
13 th and 14 th December	Nativity at the Ards Evangelical Church at 10:30am.
15 th December	Representatives from the KS2 Choir singing at Summerhill Residential Home.
19 th December	KS2 Singing at Tesco (Castlebawn).
19 th December	KS2 Singing at Donaghadee Garden.
20 th December	Pantomime.
21 st December	End of Term Half Day – Collection Times below: P1-P4 – 1pm P5-P7 – 1:10pm.
4 th January 2024	Term 2 begins.

Wishing all our parents and pupils a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from the Governors and Staff of Loughries Integrated Primary School.

Remember to keep checking our School Website (www.loughriesips.com) and school FaceBook page to keep up to date with all that's going on in School.

Mrs Thompson

SINGING AT SUMMERHILL RESIDENTIAL HOME

Representatives of our KS2 Choir will visit Summerhill Residential Home on Friday 15th December.

KS2 CHILDREN SINGING



On Tuesday 19th December the KS2 children will be singing at Tesco Castlebawn at 9:45am. They will then sing at the Donaghadee Garden Centre from 11:15am. You are very welcome to support us.



PANTOMIME

Our PTFA have organised and paid for our trip to see Hansel & Gretel on Wednesday 20th December. A packed lunch will be required.

P1 APPLICATION PROCESS FOR SEPTEMBER 2024 ENTRY

The P1 application process for September 2024 is online from Tuesday, 9th January 2024 at 12 noon. Please see our Admissions Criteria page on our website and share this information with any prospective P1 parents.