



Gorey Educate Together National School

Scoil Náisiúnta Foghlaim le Chéile, Guaire

Principal's Newsletter

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Wednesday 3rd April: After-school Tennis. Final lesson.

Monday 8th April: After-school Bricks/Lego club. Final session.

Monday 8th April: After-school Fitness Club. Final session, (Mondays group.)

Tuesday 9th April: After-school Fitness Club. Final session, (Tuesdays group.)

Tuesday 9th April: PTA Committee Meeting, 7.30pm at the school. All are welcome.

Friday 12th April: End of term. Classes finish at 12.15 and 12.30pm. School reopens to pupils Monday 29th April.

Thursday 29th August: First Day of School 2019-2020. (The full 2019-2020 school calendar will soon be available on our website.)

July Programme for Children with Autism: Application forms for the Home-Based Hours are now available at www.education.ie (Closing dates: April 26th and May 17th.)

Parent Teacher Association After-School Activities

Wednesdays, from 8th May: **Stitching and Sewing**, Anne Leacy, Junior & Senior Infants 1.35-2.20pm, First-Sixth Classes 2.35-3.20pm, €25 for 4 Wednesdays, (materials supplied.)

Thursdays, from 2nd May: **Chinese Language** (Mandarin), Alana Dooley, Junior & Senior Infants 1.35-2.20pm, First-Sixth Classes 2.35-3.20pm, €20 for 5 Wednesdays, (includes use of school iPads, as pupils will learn the language by engaging with an *online platform*.)



Parent-Teacher Association fundraiser this Friday 12th April.

All children will be offered a fresh-fruit smoothie. All smoothies very kindly sponsored by Cullens Wholesale Fruit & Vegetables, Aske, Gorey.

Option 1 Banana, Strawberries, Orange Juice. Option 2 Banana, Blueberries, Orange Juice. Option 3 Strawberry Or Blueberry, Orange Juice. Please remind your child about their allergies.

Suggested donation: €2 per child (or €5 per family.)

All proceeds to Sports Day medals, End-of-Year Event for 6th Class and other PTA purchases for our school.

**Chess Tournament for GETNS pupils
by Gorey Educate Together NS Chess Club
Tuesday 9th April
This will be the final afterschool chess session
of the current school year.**

Lost and Found: Please check the classrooms and our overflowing lost and found box. This Friday, leftover items will be taken to a Charity Shop or Recycling Centre.

After-School 'Fit Camp.' Tuesdays 30th April — 4th June. €30 for 6 Tuesdays. Please pay the teachers directly. (Fergus Lacey, Lizzie Nolan.)

Limited places (allocated on a first-come-first served basis.)

Parent Teacher Association After-School Activities Booking Form:

Child/Children's Names _____

Child/Children's Classes & Teachers _____

(Example: '3rd class — Deirdre')

Parent/Guardian's Name _____

Parent/Guardian's Mobile Telephone Number _____

Activity/Activities Being Booked _____

Payment enclosed € _____

Junior & Senior Infants only: Will child travel home by school bus? Yes No

(If yes, child will be escorted to bus.)

Please submit form, along with payment, in an envelope to the school office.