



A number of pupils are generously finding ways to fund-raise for some of the many worthy causes in our community. These charities have suffered greatly during the Covid-19 pandemic as our traditional ways of fundraising have become prohibited. We are delighted to acknowledge two of these pupils below.

Thomas and Andrew Goodwin are doing 100 minutes of exercise, each day in May, to raise money for cancer research. The idea is in true Captain Tom style and is in memory of Andrew's Mum, Thomas's Nanny who passed away in May 2020. What a fantastic and generous idea.

Oonagh McKay had 14 inches of her hair chopped off and donated to the Princess Trust.

Well done Oonagh.



Classrooms are not supervised until 8.45am, so children should not be coming to school before then.

If the path supervisors have gone from their positions (which is not usually before 9.05am) please ensure your child/ren enter through the main door for their safety. Thank you.



NSPCC fun day raised a fantastic **£226**.  
Thank you to everyone who contributed to  
this very worthy cause. See video on PTFA  
Facebook page for many more photos.

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The 2021 Big pedal was super successful. It is great to see so many children continuing to travel to and from school on their vehicles.

**Parents—Please remember it is important that children wear helmets and have good brakes.**



## Mathletics

Congratulations to Skye McSorley P1H, Alex Patterson P4K, Max Hamilton P4K, Kaitlin Duffy P5C and Bailey Mullen P6C on gaining their **Gold** awards. Well done everyone.

## 'Beginnings'

### Young Enterprise Business Programme

**Primary 7** are currently in Week 4 of this business programme. The students set up their own business, raised start-up capital, took on job roles and are currently producing their products. These will be available to buy at a Trade Fair in June. Stay tuned for more details and a 'Coming Soon' great advertising campaign.

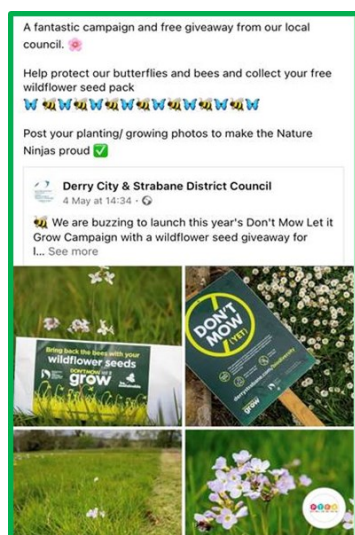
## Extended Schools

### Primary 6 Art Project

Our eight Primary 6 pupils who agreed to take part in the online Lantern Art project with Gloria Perry, during the last lockdown joined with their counterparts from St Eugene's, St Theresa's and St Columba's for a Celebration Day on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> May. Once again this event was online. The boys and girls brought their lanterns in, so we could see these wonderful creations. It was a fantastic opportunity, challenge and outcome. We are extremely grateful to Gloria for enabling the project to go ahead in a different format this year. We look forward to face to face next year, hopefully!!

## DON'T MOW, LET IT GROW!

A packet of seeds, per household, is available, while stocks last, from the Council Reception areas in Strabane.



## Accelerated Reading



We have a phenomenal amount of Word millionaires to date!

Delighted to report that we now

have **TWELVE**. A new record for the school.

**Noah Sheen** has just become a Word Millionaire AGAIN. Well done Noah.

## Relationships & Sexuality Programme

Classes are beginning this annual unit of work.

Some classes have started and you may have already received an information letter from your child's teacher. We like to make you aware when we are doing this unit of work as your children may ask questions, may want to talk about their learning and we know from past experience how important it is for their parents/carers to engage with this Personal Development & Mutual Understanding statutory Learning Area.



## EAT THEM TO DEFEAT THEM

In conjunction with the UK Safe Food campaign some classes will be joining in with the Eat Them to Defeat Them schools' programme. The programme is designed to encourage more children to try tasty vegetables.