



Annual Report

2023 - 2024

Governors' Report 2023 - 2024

Dear Parent,

In presenting this report, I wish to point out, that it is intended to give you an overall snapshot of the working of the school and how Governors and others with responsibility for the school have carried out their duties.

We are delighted to hold an Annual Parent's meeting this year and welcome you all to attend on Tuesday 22nd October 2024 at 7.30pm.

I commend the report for your consideration. If you have any queries regarding the report, please contact Mrs Charlene Goan on 02881671198 or email any queries to cgoan738@c2kni.net by 3pm on Friday 18th October.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs L. Sproule
Chairperson

General Aims of the school–

That the child should:

1. be happy at school
2. benefit from good parent/teacher relationship
3. be able to communicate clearly and confidently
4. acquire some knowledge and understanding of his/her local community and immediate environment
5. acquire skills in literacy, numeracy and all other subject areas as required by the N.I. Curriculum
6. improve his/her self-respect and feel at ease in the company of adults and peer group
7. have a sense of responsibility as a member of the community
8. develop an appreciation of aesthetic and leisure activities
9. have the confidence, skills and attitudes necessary to adapt to post-primary education.

Who Are the Board of Governors?

CHAIRPERSON:	Mrs L. Sproule
SECRETARY: (Non-voting)	Mrs C. Goan
TRANSFEROR REPRESENTATIVES:	Mrs S. Moss Mrs C. Reid (Vice-Chairperson) Mr R. Bogle Mr I Clarke
EA REPRESENTATIVE:	Mrs L. Sproule (Chairperson)
PARENT REPRESENTATIVE:	Mrs E. Sproule Mrs C. Keatley
TEACHER REPRESENTATIVE:	Mrs V. Galbraith

What Are Their Main Responsibilities?

The Governors are ultimately responsible for the overall management of the school.

Some of their responsibilities include:

1. The oversight of the curriculum
2. Selection of staff and other personnel responsibilities
3. Admissions policy
4. School maintenance
5. Implementation of new legislation
6. Fostering links with the local community and pursuing the objectives of Mutual Understanding
7. Health and Safety Legislation
8. Financial Management of School
9. Child Protection Policy

The Governors Financial Plan based upon the school's Budget allocation has been fully implemented and is presented in the Financial Report detailed below.

REVIEW OF THE PAST YEAR 2023 – 2024

Finance

INCOME		EXPENDITURE		£
Savings/Deficit from 2022-2023	86,889	Teaching Staff		311,094
Budget Share 2023-2024	484,437	Non-Teaching Staff		76,882
SENCO Implementation of SEND Act (NI)	6,905	Staff - Other Costs Total		1,892
Additional Allocations		Fuel Oil		6,807
contractual pay progression non teaching pay award in year growth shared ed improving ed outcomes children looked after	1,369	Electricity		3,745
	6,254	Water		1,818
	5,939	Toilet Requisites		1,024
	4,209	Transport		240
	500	Cleaning Materials		60
Total Allocation	596,502	Building Repairs Response/Planned Maint Stationary & Office Requisites		2,765
Other Income	725	Photocopying		1,627
	597,227	Hire of Equipment/Facilities		0
		Books/Practice Materials etc		6,539
		Licences		5,134
		Hire of Services		0
		EOTAS re-charges		0
		Telephones		1,142
		Admin Charges Employer for Childcare		27
		Furniture & Fittings < £1000		0
		Equipment < £1000		0
		Re-Allocation of costs		20,706
		Sundry Accommodation costs		615
		Stock - Value Adjustment		144
		Managed Services - Technical		59
		SUB TOTAL		
		Capital - Purchase of Plant & Equip		0
		TOTAL		443,412
		Carry-Over		153,815

Income and Expenditure 1/9/23 - 31/8/24

Bal b/fwd 1/9/21	01/09/2023	£13,126.48	
Income		£13,927.90	
Expenditure			£11,179.41
Closing Bal. 31/8/22			£15,874.97
		£27,054.38	£27,054.38

Income

Interest	£15.89
Fruit Grant	£1,750.00
PTA Fundraising	£8,813.01
Bowling Mats sold	£400.00
Omagh Show	£50.00
Litter Less Campaign	£200
Trips/Transport	£2,699.00

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Expenditure

Fees	£75.68
Toe by Toe Reading Programme	149.08
Whiteboards	£5,391.00
Projector	£59.99
BBQ Expenses	£695.33
AQE Summer Packs	£31.95
R. Bogle Trophies	£320.00
Omagh Show	£30.00
Transport	£1,200.00
Trips	£2,164.50
Fruit	£900.00
Twinkle Subscription	£101.88
ICO Subscription	£60.00

£11,179.41

PTA Fundraising

Fun Bun	£472.50
Non-Uniform	£96.00
Duck Race	£559.00
Christmas Play	£1,036.50
Christmas Draw	£1,928.50
Name the Teddy	£168.00
Teddy	£97.00
Split the Pot	£161.00
Bingo	£1,018.50
BBQ	£1,729.70
	£7,266.70

Diary 2023 – 2024**August 2023**

22nd – 24th Baker days – Safeguarding training for all staff, Fire Safety training, Creative writing training, Review of data

29th – 30th Baker Day – Wellbeing workshop – all staff, action planning

September 2023

1st First Day of Term (Whole school returns)

14th Census Training – Mrs Stevenson

21st PDMU programme – Geoffrey Abraham visits Y6 and Y7 (6 weeks)

25th Coulters – Individual photos

28th-29th Mrs McNally First Aid course

29th Staff Development Day - SEN

October 2023

5th Y6 and Y7 Pupils attended Wizard of Oz performance at CHS

Good News club begins for 8 weeks from 3pm to 4.15pm

6th EA One – Specific Training Webinar

12th WAU – Ann McElerane – Mrs Palmer and Mr Sproule

18th Choral speaking – Y5-7 Ulster Scots (weekly workshops)

19th WAU training

23rd Cross Country – CHS Y6 and Y7

25th AGM

30th-3rd Halloween Holidays

November 2023

7th Fire Safety Talk – Y5

10th Book Fair arrives at school

13th Odd socks day – anti bullying week

14th NSPCC Assembly

16th Flu vaccination – whole school

21st Fire Safety Talk – Y5

Paws b Mindfulness Programme Y6 (6 weeks)

23rd Somme Memorial Hall – Y5-7 Choral speaking competition

December 2023

8th Whole school trip to Millennium Forum

12th-13th School Christmas Show

14th Christmas dinner

15th Open Day

21st School Closed at 12 noon for Christmas Holidays

January 2024

3rd SDD – CSSC – School Ethos workshop

5th Mrs Galbraith – LAC training

9th Mrs Cashel from CHS visits Y7

11th Epilepsy Training

16th NI Water talk – Y5-7

17th NI Road Safety Quiz Y7 Guild Hall

22nd Y7 Big School Day CHS

23 rd	Safe Guarding and Child Protection Training – Mrs Goan and Mrs Mitchell
24 th	Strabane Academy visit Year 6 and Year 7
25 th	Omagh Academy visit Year 6 and Year 7
<u>February 2024</u>	
5 th	Children's Mental Health week Parent Interviews
6 th	Safer Internet Day Mrs Palmer – Child Protection Course
7 th	Safer Internet Day – Whole school
9 th	Swimming lessons in Riversdale starts (10 weeks)
15 th -19 th	School Closure
27 th	Edis Roadshow – Mrs McNally and Mrs Stevenson
28 th	NI Curriculum Refresh Awareness Primary Principal Event – Mrs Goan

March 2024

7 th	World Book Day Action Mental Health workshops – KS1
11 th	Big Walk and Wheel
14 th	EA Reach workshops begin – Y5-Y7 (5 weeks)
18 th	Off
19 th	SDD – CSSC – Trauma Informed Practice training
20 th	Y6 Robotics – Omagh Academy
22 nd	Fire Brigade Visit Y5 Adobe course – All teachers
26 th	Ulster Scots music workshop Y6/7 Ann McErlane – training workshop – WAU/writing
28 th – 8 th	Easter Holidays

April 2024

15 th	After Class for AQE
17 th	Shared Education meeting – Mrs Goan
19 th	Mrs Goan – cluster meeting – Technology Centre
23 rd	Debutots session – Y1 and Y2 Training – effective use of pupil performance data
25 th	ADOBE training – staff and workshops for children
26 th	Cookery demonstration – Y7
29 th	Microbit Training – Mrs Mitchell

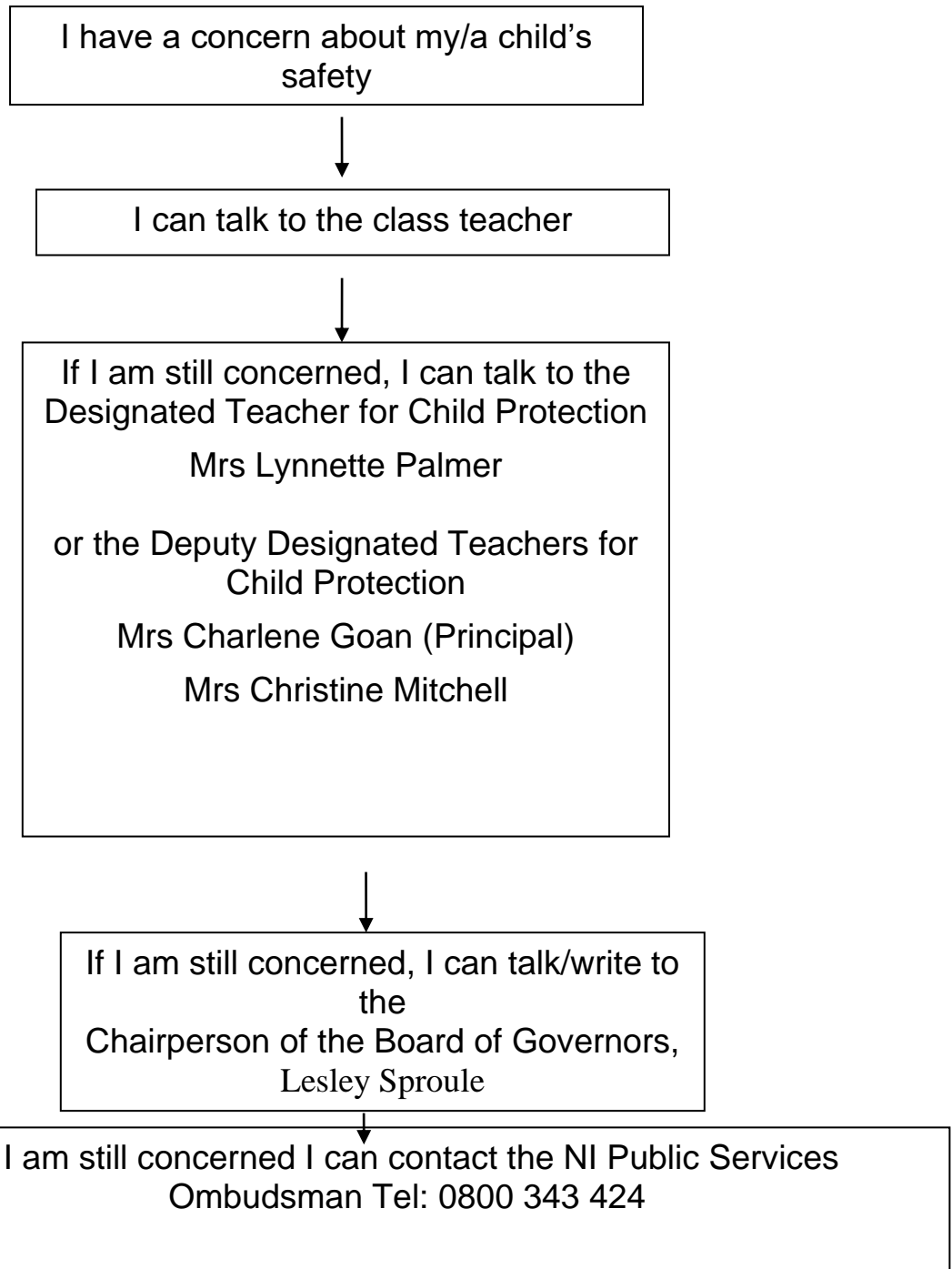
May 2024

2 nd	Budget Meeting – Mrs Goan
3 rd	Retirement Assembly for John and Roberta
6 th	Bank Holiday Talk Pants Fortnight

9 th	C2K course – Mr Sproule
10 th	Sustrans – presentation of bikes won in Active Travel Week
13 th	Delivery of submissions for Omagh Show
21 st	Planning for Improvement course – Mrs Goan Coulter's – class photos
22 nd	Tag rugby sessions begin – Y5 – Y7
24 th	School BBQ
27 th	Bank Holiday
28 th -29 th	SDD – Reports and data analysis
31 st	Shared Education – St. Caireall's – Mrs Galbraith Y1

June 2024

4 th	Sports Day
5 th	Y7 Shared Education – CHS – Diversity in the local area
6 th	It's Your Move – Y7
7 th	Mr Sproule – Football Tournament CHS – Y5-7
11 th	International Day of Play – Whole school Y7 pupil attended Strabane Academy
12 th	NAACE Edtech training – Mr Sproule Teddy Bear's Picnic
13 th	Y7 Induction Day CHS
14 th	St Caireall's visit Y1 IFA – Y4 and Y5
17 th	Y6 Big School Day CHS
18 th	Omagh Show prizewinners presentation
20 th	Induction Day for new Y1 Shared Ed meeting – Mrs Goan
21 st	School Trip to Bowling Alley and Bananas
26 th	Pupils Talent Show
27 th	Prize Day presentation – Y1-Y6
28 th	Leavers Assembly and presentation – Y7 School finishes at 12 noon for Summer

Procedure for Parents who wish to raise a Child Protection Concern

**At any time a parent can talk to a social worker at the Gateway Team (Western Trust) Tel: 028 71314 090
or the
PSNI at Central Referral Unit
Tel: 999 (Emergency) or 101 (Non-Urgent)**

REVIEW OF THE 2023-24 YEAR

Enrolment and Staffing

With 27 children accepting places in Year 1 in September 2023 and 15 Year 7 children leaving in June 2023, our numbers were very healthy with 140 children enrolled in September 2023.

- Year 1 Mrs Galbraith
- Year 2/3 Mr Sproule
- Year 3/4 Mrs Palmer
- Year 4/5 Mrs. Mitchell
- Year 6/7 Mrs. Goan /Mrs Alexander

Mrs. McNally continued her work as classroom assistant, mainly working in the foundation classroom but also throughout the school in the afternoons. Mrs Doherty, Mrs Darragh, Mrs Catterson and Mrs Elliott continued in their roles as Special Needs classroom assistants. Mrs. Sproule remained as a general Classroom Assistant alongside Mrs. McCann as general assistant. During the course of the year, we welcomed Mrs Haughy, Miss Logue and Ms McCrory who were employed on temporary contracts as SEN assistants. All teaching assistants in Killen Primary School provide invaluable support to teaching staff and pupils, which is fully appreciated.

Miss A Forbes and Ms A Nethery provided invaluable help to our Foundation classes on a voluntary basis, throughout the course of the year.

Working in conjunction with Castleberg High School we facilitated a number of 6th form students with work experience placements. We also were delighted to provide Miss McCay, a student from Stranmillis University College with a placement for her teacher training.

Mrs. Crowe and Mrs. Stevenson remain as Clerical Assistants and have continued to be invaluable in all that they contribute to the school.

Teaching Staff 2023-2024

Mrs C. Goan	B.ED Hons)	Principal/Teacher
Mrs V. Galbraith	B. A (Hons) with QTS	Teacher
Mrs C. Mitchell	B. Ed (Hons)	Teacher
Mrs L. Palmer	B. Ed (Hons)	Teacher
Mr J. Sproule	B.Ed Primary	Teacher
Mrs L. Alexander	B.A (Hons) with QTS	Principal Release

Non-Teaching

Clerical Assistant	Mrs D. Crowe Mrs G. Stevenson
Classroom Assistants	Mrs W. McNally Mrs G. Sproule Mrs J. McCann
Classroom Assistant (SEN)	Mrs A. Doherty
Classroom Assistant (SEN)	Mrs K. Catterson

Classroom Assistant (SEN)	Mrs L. Darragh
Classroom Assistant (SEN)	Mrs C. Elliott
Classroom Assistant (SEN)	Miss C. Logue
Classroom Assistant (SEN)	Mrs B. Haughy
Classroom Assistant (SEN)	Ms. S. McCrory
Building Supervisor	Mrs. J Bustard
Cleaner	Mrs L. Buchanan, Ms. G. Gailey
Kitchen Assistant	Mrs J. Bustard
Supervisory Assistants	Mrs L. Lyttle
	Mrs, L. Buchanan, Miss G. Freeman
School Crossing Patrol	Mrs J. Bustard

Ancillary Staff

Mrs. J Bustard continued her invaluable work as Kitchen Assistant as well as being our School Crossing Patrol lady and our building supervisor/cleaner in the afternoons.

Mrs. Linda Lyttle and Mrs Buchanan continued the superb work we have become used to from our Supervisory Assistants. Unfortunately, we said goodbye to Mrs Buchanan in April. We thank her for her hard work over the years and wish her all the best in the future. With Mrs Buchanan's departure, we welcomed Miss G. Freeman to the Supervisory Assistant position and Ms G. Gailey to the Cleaning post.

With the retirement of Mr and Mrs McCain, Mrs J. Bustard and Ms, G. Gailey were employed as the new cleaning staff /building supervisor.

Curriculum and School Development

Our school continues to provide a broad and balanced curriculum for all of our pupils.

We welcomed Mr Derek Harkness from the CSSC to lead our staff in a workshop which focused on the Ethos of Killen Primary School. Through consultation with Governors, parents and staff we updated our Ethos Statement:

We at Killen Primary School believe pupils should have access to a safe, happy, stimulating environment in which they reach their full potential, socially, emotionally, and academically. Furthermore, the values of respect, kindness, equality and mutual understanding are the foundations of the school.

With the support of our school community, we continue to realise our vision.

Killen Primary School strives to be a safe welcoming, child-centred, inclusive school family celebrating success for all. We encourage each child to be confident and develop a sense of responsibility for themselves and respect for others in the community.

Pupil voice is of great importance to us. Children were given the task of creating a slogan that they thought would best describe our school. We were delighted with the number of responses and quality of input from the children. The following slogan was adopted for Killen Primary School.

**Kids'
Pathway to
Success**

We currently teach the Northern Ireland Revised Curriculum that has been subdivided into various areas. This is available for download at www.nicurriculum.org. Teachers are mindful that each child is an individual and will seek to provide the opportunities at a suitable level for each pupil to ensure holistic development.

The areas of the curriculum for Foundation Stage (Year 1 and 2)

- LL Language and Literacy
- MN Mathematics and Numeracy
- A The Arts
- WAU The World Around Us
- PDMU Personal Development and Mutual Understanding
- PDM Physical Development and Movement
- RE Religious Education

In Key Stage 1 (Year 3 and 4) and Key Stage 2 (Year 5, 6 and 7), the areas are as above except that PDM is entitled PE – Physical Education at these stages.

We thank all of the local ministers for coming into our school and delivering a number of our assemblies each month. We also thank Mrs Heather Watson and Mrs Ruth Kerrigan for coming into our school and delivering assemblies and Good News Club to the children. Support from our local church and clergy in the community is very much valued and appreciated.

Thanks to Geoffrey Abraham for coming in to work with Year 6/7 pupils to broaden their understanding of the dangers of alcohol, smoking and drugs. Mr Abraham also completed sessions on Mindfulness and peer pressure.

Staff will provide pupils with learning opportunities to ensure they receive a broad and balanced education. Staff will ensure that pupils are provided with the opportunity to develop thinking skills – tools that go beyond the acquisition of knowledge to search for meaning, apply ideas, analyse patterns and relationships, create and design something new and monitor and evaluate their own progress.

Staff engaged in whole school training with Mrs Anne McErlane focusing on the area of the World Around Us, developing a thematic, skills based and cross curricular approach, linking to our writing scheme. All teaching staff have now received training and completed cycle 2 of the scheme during the 23-24 school year. Children take charge of their learning and participate in carousel planning lessons, selecting the aspects of the theme which they want to find out more about, giving them ownership of their learning. Teachers will now implement cycle 1 with the children in the 24-25 school year.

Following training in our 6 step approach relating to writing, the teachers have now completed cycle 2 with the children, focusing on 3 of the main genres of writing. Staff are now competent in following the 6 stages when teaching writing to the children – familiarizing, analyzing, modelled, shared, guided and independent. Staff will continue to implement the scheme with the children during 24-25, focusing on the 3 remaining genres – report writing, instructional and recount writing.

Staff and pupils availed of training provided by Adobe facilitators. Pupils enjoyed these practical workshops and having the opportunity to explore the programme. Staff who attended training were also successful in achieving a Level 1 in Adobe Creative Cloud ACE. We hope to develop our skills as a whole school throughout 24-25 in using Adobe.

This year 3 pupils sat the SEAG test. All pupils were accepted by their first preference schools, including Castleberg High School, Omagh Academy and Strabane Academy. We thank those children, along with their parents for all their hard work. We would ask that parents carefully consider whether their child should go through extra classes and the test itself if they do not want a grammar school place for their child. This is extra work and pressure for the pupils, parents and teachers involved.

End of Key Stage Assessment 2023-2024

The Department of Education did not require End of Key Stage Levels to be submitted.

Learning Support

Within each class teachers endeavour to provide for the full range of abilities by differentiating their teaching, ensuring that pupils have access to all areas of the curriculum and are taught using a wide range of learning and teaching strategies. A measure of individual support is maintained through the use of classroom assistants. Outside agencies have continued to work with children with special educational needs. Mrs Mitchell has continued her hard work as role of SENCO supporting staff, overseeing the annual review process, collaborating with outside agencies and liaising with the Educational Psychologist.

Shared Education

Killen Primary School participates in Shared Education alongside a number of other schools in the locality – Ardstraw Primary School, St. Caireall's, Langfield, St. Joseph's and Castleberg High School. Year 1 pupils enjoyed exploring outdoor play opportunities and visited St Caireall's to engage in outdoor play activities. We also welcomed their Year 1 pupils' for an outdoor play session at our school. Year 7 pupils focused on the topic of diversity looking in particular at examples of diversity in our local area. Pupils travelled to Castleberg High School to further their understanding through participating in a variety of workshops and presented a power point showing examples of diversity in Castleberg and the surrounding area.

We look forward to continuing to develop relationships with all colleagues and pupils in the cluster group.

Attendance

Congratulations to all those children who achieved their full attendance certificates. Attendance for the 2023-24 year was 95.8%. The school continues to use the C2k computer system for attendance where any absence is recorded using a variety of codes depending on the reason for the absence. To enable the system to work properly we ask that a written note, phone call to school or a private message via Seesaw is sent to school to explain any absence. This will avoid the school having to contact parents asking for an explanation of absences. The system operates on registration twice daily, morning and after lunch. We remind parents to book family

holidays during school closures, not during the school term. We also remind parents of the importance of regular attendance. Please note if a pupil's attendance rate is approaching 85% a letter of concern will be sent home from the school. If poor attendance continues and falls below 85%, the next step in the procedure is that Mrs Goan will liaise with the Education Welfare Officer. Good attendance at school is not just valuable, it's essential.

Health, Safety and Security

Site security is excellent with the school grounds being fenced off and gates locked each evening. Children access through three external doors which are locked at 9.15 a.m. Playground gates are also locked at 9.15am. Parents wishing to collect their children early must sign their children out using the book available at the office. All visitors access is through the front entrance and visitors must report to reception. A monitored intruder alarm protects the building, this system was upgraded throughout the course of the year. The waste bins are secured away from the building as a fire prevention measure. There are regular checks of the fire bell carried out as well as termly fire drills.

Accessibility

To facilitate access arrangements, a disabled parking bay is available directly in front of the front entrance and all doors are suitable for disabled access. A disabled toilet is also available. The school building consists of one level.

Outdoor Learning

We are extremely lucky to have spacious grounds and lots of opportunities for outdoor learning. Teachers understand the importance of outdoor learning and the positive impact this has on mental health. All classes have engaged in hands on outdoor activities to help them connect to their environment and foster their creativity and curiosity.

Safeguarding and Child Protection

Mrs C Mitchell remained as designated teacher for child protection for 23 – 24 school year, with Mrs Goan and Mrs L Palmer as deputies. There will be a shuffle of responsibilities for the 24-25 school year with Mrs. L Palmer taking up the role of designated teacher for Child Protection and Mrs. C Goan and Mrs C Mitchell as deputy designated teachers. All staff child protection training is currently up to date.

Mental Health

Thanks to the Gemma McHale Foundation we were able to continue to have Anne, our school counsellor, to work with targeted children and Shannon from Relax Kids to work with our Foundation and KS1 pupils. EA Reach also provided workshops for our Key Stage 2 Pupils which centred around developing self-esteem and confidence as well as friendships. We are so grateful to have this support from the McHale Foundation as it provides invaluable opportunities for the children to learn strategies to support emotional resilience and wellbeing as well as learning how to cope with the emotions that they may experience at different times throughout their life.

We also welcomed Avril from Debutots to carry out some sessions with our younger classes which the children really enjoyed.

Year 6 children completed a block of sessions on PAWS b. This was provided by Aware NI, providing the children with strategies to find peace and calm and healthy coping strategies for everyday worries, allowing them to understand their own mind.

As a whole school we continued to celebrate mental health week. Our calm room is also a valuable area which children can go to, should they need to emotionally self-regulate or have a brain break.

After School Clubs

We were delighted to have a good programme of after school clubs in operation for the 23/24 school year. These included cookery, football, Mini Messi's, after class, multi sports and Good News Club.

Tournaments/Competitions/ Community

Children participated in a variety of tournaments including football and cross country. Pupils throughout the school entered work for Omagh Show with many pupils having success. We were delighted to win the Wright Shield for the quality of our contributions as well as having best exhibit in both Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2. A number of pupils were successful in having their art entries published in a book which showcased their ideal pet, with Sesandi having her image published on the front cover as the best overall entry. Year 7 pupils represented Killen PS in the annual Road Safety Competition and did brilliantly, achieving 3rd place in the Derry and Strabane heat. Members of our school community attended the annual Remembrance Day Service, laying a wreath on behalf of the school. Key Stage 2 children created art work which is on display in The Royal British Legion, Castledearg. We had winning entries in the Sustrans competition which required the children to create a poster on the theme of 'Clean Air'. Their posters can be viewed at the depo in Londonderry. Three children also had success in the Christmas card competition, organized by the Ulster Farmers Union, having their designs created into actual Christmas cards. Members of our school community represented Killen PS at the annual Christmas community event held in Castledearg and also at church community events.

Children in Y5-7 had the opportunity to participate in choral speaking with the Ulster Scots. Matthew Warwick facilitated a number of workshops with the children looking at the Ulster Scots language and culture. The children then travelled to the Somme Memorial Hall to compete in a choral speaking competition with Gortin Primary School. We were delighted to win some prizes. The children also featured on BBC Radio Ulster (Kintra) and were so excited to hear extracts of our classroom workshops and interviews carried out by Helen feature on the show.

ECO

We thank Mrs Palmer and the ECO team for their continued hard work. Their project of collecting plastic bottle tops has got the community working hard, resulting in a large number of earth tokens being achieved, which allowed us to get 2 planters, 2 small tables and 6 chairs. We will continue to participate in this worthwhile project. Thanks to Donna McFeely from Sustrans for working with us this year throughout the school to promote awareness of active travel and a healthier lifestyle. Children were involved in a variety of workshops and also had great fun with the paint bike supplied by Donna.

We were delighted to achieve our fifth green flag, thanks to the ongoing hard work of Mrs Palmer and the Eco-council. Killen PS were also recognized as the top school in the North West for participation in Active Travel week and were awarded 2 bikes by Sustrans in recognition of this. Commitment and hard work from our pupils and staff relating to active travel and promotion of a healthy lifestyle also resulted in Killen PS achieving the Silver Sustrans Mark Award. The highlight of 23-24 for us was when

Kyle Humphrey, a year 6 pupil, beat tough competition to win the Eco Pupil of the Year Award for Strabane and Derry District. Kyle's love for the environment and passion for growing flowers and vegetables is truly inspirational. Mrs Palmer and Mrs Doherty were so proud to accompany Kyle to Stranmillis University in Belfast on 20th June to receive his award.

2023-24 – Prize givingAttendance Records1 Years Full Attendance

Jamie Galbraith Y1

Jake Lecky Y3

James McKelvey Y1

Raymond Rutledge Y6

Amelia Simpson Y4

Jacob Sproule Y2

Zara Sproule Y5

3 Years Full Attendance (Bronze certificate)

Sophia Young Y4

Kyle McMullan Y4

5 Years Full attendance

Rebecca Irwin Y5

Lauren Keatley Y7

Sports Day

Year 1 Sarda Lanka Bandanag

Harrison McCrea

Year 2 Mia Galbraith

Jacob Young

Year 3 Sophia Ross/Charlotte Sproule

Jacob Maxwell/Sammy Hamilton

Year 4 Sophia Young

Harry Young

Year 5 Casey Lee Dennison/Isla Hamilton

Sam Speer

Year 6 Leah Ribbon/Emily Speer

Adam Ross

Year 7 Kacey Magee

Jake Stevenson

Swimming Effort

Glen Galbraith – 500 metres

Football Trophy

Mihin Jayasinghe

Effort

Y1 Jacob Leitch

Y2 Vinudi Jayasinghe

Y3 Mrs P Maisie Doherty

Mr S Joshua Law

Y4 Beth Lecky

Y5 Eliza Stuart

Y6 Mrs G Adam Long

Mrs M Joey Sproule

Y7 Sophie Gilchrist

Handwriting and Presentation of Work

Y1 Charlie Boyd

Y2/3 Matthew Kempston

Y3/4 Alfie Morrison

Y5/6 Charya Lanka Bandanag

Y6/7 Sandiv Gunawardena

Lyttle Spelling Cup

Rebecca Rutledge

Jameson Drama Award

KS1 Alex Patterson

KS2 Emily Sproule Y7

Faulkner Creative Studies Cup

Sesandi Gunawardena

ICT

Y2/3 Mark Graham

Y3/4 Alex Law

Y5/6 Alfie Young

Y6/7 Kai Hackett

Cather Environmental Award

Jack Sproule Y7

Darragh Perpetual Shield

Lauren Keatley

Inspirational Pupil (Clarke Cup)KS2

Ava Durey

Inspirational Pupil KS1

Abbie Ferguson

Crawford Numeracy Cup

Sarah Quinn

Contribution to KS1 (Sproule Cup)

Ella Speer

Reading Shield

Jack Hunter

Fundraising

We continue to support the work of the 'Poppy Appeal', 'Wings Appeal' and 'Action Aid'. We also held a non-uniform day to raise funds for the Gemma McHale Foundation for the wonderful work that they do.

As part of our PTA fundraising, we were able to hold our BBQ/Cake stall which was a huge success. We also held a Christmas show, Family Bingo Night, Duck Race, non-uniform days as well as various raffles including another successful Christmas draw! Fun Bun Fridays are also a huge hit with the children. Events such as these are essential to raise much needed funding. We thank everyone for their continued support.

The Governors would like to take this opportunity to express their thanks and appreciation to the Principal and staff of the school for both their high level of commitment and the high standards achieved both in and outside the classroom. Parents must also be commended for their support of the staff in achieving this high level of success.

