

The Bridge

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Welcome to the *twentieth* issue of The Bridge Newsletter, packed with photos and stories!

A Message From the Principal, Mr Carswell

Welcome to our Christmas edition of The Bridge magazine. Our new Nursery and Yr 1 children have settled well into the school and have had their first Christmas performances, to rave reviews!!

Following the retirement of Mr Kelly in June, I would like to congratulate Miss Joyce on her appointment as our new Vice Principal. A teacher in the school for many years, Miss Joyce brings experience, knowledge and enthusiasm to the post. Her commitment to St. Bride's is well known and she will be a great asset to the school's management team.

Our magazine is once again packed with a variety of the activities that the children experience, both inside and outside the school. I hope you enjoy catching up with events this term and share it with family and friends at home and abroad.

MUM, CAN I HAVE A CAR WHEN I'M SEVENTEEN?



Aimee McGeown's luck has started early! At 17 months old she became the winner of the St. Bride's PTA car raffle. Although

"unavailable" for comment herself, Aimee's mum was in shock when her name was drawn out by Mr Carswell at the Christmas Fair. "It might be a while before her feet can reach the pedals but we are delighted with the win!" said her Mum, Therese McGeown. Mr Carswell said, "I would like to thank the PTA committee and everyone who supported for Car Raffle and the Christmas fair. We hope to be able to purchase the minibus in the New Year. Aimee is a lucky girl and I'm going to ask her to pick some lotto numbers for me for Christmas!"

IIP Bronze Award



Mr Carswell and Mrs Quinn attended an award ceremony in Belfast Castle to receive the Investor In People Bronze Award from Mr Derek Baker, Acting Permanent Secretary at the Department for Employment and Learning. This award indicates recognition beyond the normal requirements showing a higher standard achieved by St Bride's. Investor In People acknowledges that the school is committed to providing high quality training of all its staff to better meet its goals and providing high quality learning experience for the children.

Eco Schools in St. Bride's



On the 25th October we held a very successful election to create the Eco Committee of St. Bride's. Pupils from Years 5-7 had to learn about aspects of Eco Schools and how it would benefit our school.

To be able to run for election the pupils had to create their own manifesto to showcase to their peers. Who would represent each class on our Eco Committee was in the hands of the pupils!!

Well done to all the pupils who decided to run for election. We are proud to say that the school has already achieved the Bronze and Silver Flag Awards through work that each year group is doing on a daily basis. Trócaire will be working closely with Years 5 and 7 in Term 2 to develop topics of "Fair Trade" and "Water". Keep your eyes peeled to see the progress made in the next edition of The Bridge!!

Happy Christmas!

Nóilín White (Eco Schools Coordinator)

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Anila in Yr 1 White



Hi, my name is Anila and my Show and Tell was about our Hindu festival of Durga Puja. I explained to my class that our Goddess is called Durga and we have 6 days of celebration to remember the victory of Goddess Durga over the evil buffalo demon Mahishasura. Durga Puja festival marks

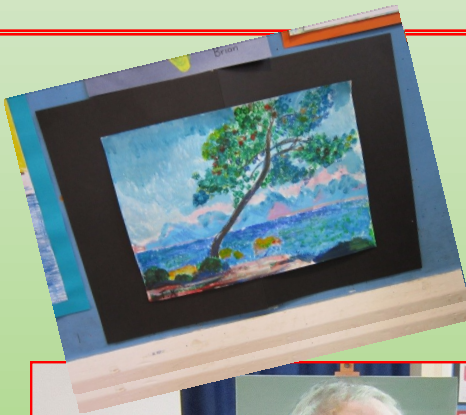
the victory of Good over Evil. I had lots of fun at the party and ate lots of lovely food!

Annie



Laura Mulgrew Yr7 McG

Colin Davidson



On Tuesday 15th our school went to see Colin Davidson. We saw him in the assembly hall. He said his longest painting took him a year and a half. When his friends were playing football he got his sketch pad and drew. The painting that we saw was a portrait of Michael Longley. The painting in the foyer was painted by Colin Davidson's father Roland Davidson. Colin Davidson said he didn't have a favourite painting and he also said all of them are so hard to do. He told us that he used oil paint. When it was over some other classes came to see Colin Davidson. We lined up and went back to the classroom.

By Hanna P3 G



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Autumn Walk With Yr2 Streete



Cliona, Aiden, Jack, Jimmy Joe, Hannah, Sean, Seanan, Sephora,

We went for a walk around the school to see if we could spot any signs of autumn. It is colder in Autumn so we wore our coats to keep warm.

We all saw that the leaves were changing colour on the trees. We saw yellow, red and brown leaves. Some

of the leaves were dried up and the wind had blown them down in to the garden. We collected some of them. Some of the leaves were still on the trees. It was fun!

playtime in Yr1



In our class we have playtime every day. We have to use our play pegs to choose which area we want to play in. We really love painting and doing jigsaws but there are lots of other places to play.

We always have a Drama Corner, it used to be a Farmers Market and we dressed up in aprons, now it's a Fire Station and we get to wear helmets and pretend to put out fires with toy hoses, The Water and Sand Area always get a bit messy but they are lots of fun! We even get to cuddle up on our 'Cosy Cushions' to read lots of books and use the computer to play games. We loved painting Elmer using the computer and printing them. Come and visit our classroom and you can see our 'Elmer Display'!!

Yr7K Make Music



"Rainforest Sound Grids"

Every other Friday Mrs Toal comes in to teach us music. Our latest task was to make a piece of music that included rainforest sounds. Mrs Toal showed us a range of musical instruments. She showed us ones we had never seen before such as the didgeridoo and the storm maker. We got into groups of five and made sound grids. We had to think of four or more animals we could put in our sound grid. Then we got the instruments to make the sounds the animals made. Mrs Toal experimented on the instruments to help us with our sound grid. Then we preformed it in front of the class. It was great!!!

Our Halloween Party

As part of our topic 'Celebrations' we had a Halloween party. We made decorations for our classroom and designed Halloween invitations in our ICT suite. We all brought in refreshments to eat and drink.



Next we dressed up in spooky costumes! Pearce dressed up as Darth Vader and looked very scary. He really frightened us! We watched a scary video clip on the whiteboard and listened to scary music. We had a fabulous day and were sad the party was over. We wish school was like this every day!!



*By Oscar and Kelly
Yr4 O'Hare*



TACT Visit The Nursery



The Lady from the TACT Wildlife Centre came to visit the Nursery. She brought some woodland animals for the children to look at and touch. We were lucky to be introduced to a ferret, an owl and a fluffy rabbit. We also met Spike the hedgehog and Linney the fox. We learned lots of interesting facts about the animals.



Hocus Pocus Cancer Focus.

On Tuesday 29th October Yr 1 and 2 had a visit from Genevieve the goat. Genevieve taught the children ways to stay healthy.

- ◆ Eat five pieces of fruit and vegetables each day.
- ◆ Drink plenty of milk and water
- ◆ Take plenty of exercise. E.g. Swimming & jumping.
- ◆ Remember Eat healthily.

In conjunction with this the children had been involved in a colouring competition for Halloween. Pupils were asked to colour in or design a Halloween costume for Genevieve. Their pictures were displayed in Lidl. Thank you, to Northern Ireland retailer Lidl for displaying the entries at their stores across Northern Ireland and kindly sponsoring the prizes.

Huge congratulations to Grace O'Neill for winning the Yr2 category for Hocus Pocus for Cancer Focus



Halloween competition. Grace is also the overall county winner. All the money raised will go towards the charity's Family Support Service and means Cancer Focus will be able to continue providing this vital service for when a child's Mum or Dad gets cancer. This service offers specialist support to help families cope with disruption to ordinary life and minimise the long term impact on a child's emotional well-being. Mr Carswell presented Cancer Focus with a cheque for £160.45p.



A big thank you from Genevieve for all your support! **Now get out and get some exercise!!**

Yr3 Cultra Trip



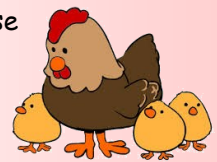
On Tuesday our class went on a school trip to Cultra. First we went on the bus. I sat beside Katie B. I saw the cranes at Harland and Wolf, where they made the Titanic. We then went through a tunnel and saw a sign that said, "Cultra". Next we went into the Parish Hall and ate our break. Then we walked to the apple orchard and on to the farm. We learnt about the pig and the piglets nibbled our toes! There were lots of chickens. We saw the billies, nannies, ewes and rams. Then we went to the small farm house and collected the chicken eggs. It was fun doing that. After that we went to the fancy farm house where there were horses and donkeys. The grey one was my favourite. Next we had lunch, I had a sandwich and crisps Yum!! After lunch we went to the carpenter's shop and the biker's shop. Finally we went to an old house with a chamber pot and a flat iron. Last of all we ran down a hill and went home.

It was an amazing day but my favourite part was meeting the donkey because I thought it quite liked me and nuzzled my fists. It was great to get fresh eggs from a farm and not from a supermarket.

By Sarah D Yr3 O'Prey

A 54321 on Our Class Trip to Cultra 5 Places I visited:

- The sweet shop
- The old school house
- The bank
- A terraced house
- A church



4 things I learnt:

- I learnt how to bake soda bread.
- I learnt how to make flour.
- I learnt how to use a mangle.
- I learnt how important a fire was.

3 Old artefacts I saw:

- Scales
- A tin bath
- A range

2 things that I enjoyed:

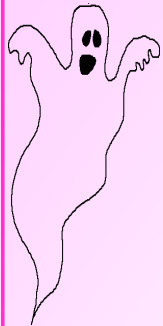
- I enjoyed making the soda bread.
- I enjoyed visiting the church.

1 thing that I would change

- I would like to have had more time so that I may have got to visit the farm.

By Conor Yr3 MCI

Poetry Page



Halloween Poem

Ghosts and ghouls and goblins
Witches and spiders too
All come out to party
And say 'hello' to youuuu

Fireworks and apples
Lots and lots of sweets
Oh, how we love when Halloween
Comes to our street



By Adam Yr5 Maguire



Halloween Night



Halloween is a scary night,
Ghosts and goblins give you a fright.
Children go out 'trick-or-treating'
Asking for candy and chocolate for eating.
You can play in your garden but look out,
The scariest things are just coming out.
And at the end of the day
There's a gigantic firework display.



By Anna Yr5 Maguire

"The Heroic Few"

(Inspired by Michael Murpurgo's novel "The War Horse")

Onward galloped the heroic few,
Who chose to die for me and you,
While bullet, bombs and God knows what,
Roared over head and some were shot.

Onward galloped the heroic few,
Their heads held high,
Their spirits true,
Across that blasted, no-man's land,
Where they would make their final stand.

Onward galloped the heroic few,
Of the deed they'd done
They had not a clue,
To them it was another battle,
Against the men with helmets with a horn,
To protect the lands that they were born.

Now no one remembers the heroic few,
Who chose to die for me and you,
Whose bravery cost their lives
And saved countless others too!

By Shane Yr7K

Autumn



Autumn is here
Leaves fall from the trees
The birds and the corks fly away
Back to school, please!

Our yard is full of leaves today
Brown and yellow and gold
Smell the refreshing air
Wind is blowing everywhere.

We no longer swim in the sea
We start Math's again
Language and History
After nine months will be over again.

Children must be patient from now on
The weather is getting cold.
When dry leaves hide the ground
When trees are bare and brown
Autumn is all around!

Adapted from the poem "Autumn"-'Εθινόπωρο', originally written in the Greek language by pupils of Class F2 for the school newspaper (October 2013).

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Yr 5 Sound Experiments!



Mr Fee's Yr5 class have been learning all about sound. Have you ever thought about how we hear sounds? How are different sounds made? How do electric instruments work? These are just some of the questions we've been trying to answer! We took in our own instruments and showed them to the class. Hanna and Betsy's flutes use blowing to create vibrations in the air. Libbie's tin whistle and Alexandra's recorder also use blowing to create the vibrations. Michael's viola and Dara's violin used a bow to vibrate the strings (Did you know, you can also pluck the strings?). Samir used a beater to strike a tambour and vibrate the drum's skin. We had lots of fun making sounds and thinking about the science behind each instrument!



Yr5 Fee

Carol Singing at Malone Golf Club



On the 9th of December the Saint Bride's choir went to Malone Golf Club to sing for the public. We sang some of the hymns from our carol service. Our first song was Calypso carol and during this song some people played maracas. After that we sang Mary's Lullaby. Some girls played the flute and others played the violin and Daire played the clarinet. Then we had a break. During this break we had some juice and got organised for the songs we were singing next. The songs we sang were 'Oh Holy Night' and 'For Onto Us.' Then some soloists sang 'Away in a Manger' and 'Silent Night'. As our big finally we sang 'Jingle Bells' and encouraged the audience to sing along. After that we got a big round of applause and went into a room where a surprise dinner was waiting for us! We ate our dinner of chicken and chips and received our selection boxes. We really enjoyed this wonderful experience and would like to do it again.

Crunch Munch Day



On Wednesday 9th October, our class brought in fruit and vegetables so everyone could taste them. We tried broccoli, tomatoes, carrots, papaya, passion fruit, sharon fruit and lots of others.

Some were yummy and some were not. We tried lime and it was very bitter, it made us scrunch up our faces. We all had lots of fun trying new foods.



The Zoo Came to Visit



On 23rd October John from Belfast Zoo brought in some weird and wonderful animals. Everyone thought that the snake was really scary!!! It was long, smooth and really scaly. He also brought in some disgusting snails, but everyone thought that the hedgehog was the cutest because of its adorable small face. Unfortunately we weren't allowed to hold the spider as it could flick hairs at you and if one got in your eye it would be very bad! We did get to hold a stick-insect. It had small practically invisible hooks that clung to your skin. It was great fun and everyone enjoyed it.

By Daire and James Yr7 Granleese

Firefighter Visits Yr1 O'Neill

On Friday 15th November we were very excited. Conor R's daddy came to visit us. He is a fire-fighter. He told us all about his busy job. He has to put out fires, rescue people from fires and even cars! He told us that sometimes he has to rescue cats from up trees but they are really tricky to catch!

Conor's daddy asked us to check if our fire alarms at home were working. Remember everyone 'Thumbs Up on Monday!' We need to keep safe in our homes, blow out candles, make sure lights are switched off and only an adult is allowed to use matches. If we have younger brothers or sisters we have to take care of them and tell our adults if we see matches.

Conor's daddy has to wear very special clothes to work, we got to try on some of his items that protect him, his gloves, helmet, hat and boots. Miss Osborne got to try on EVERYTHING! She dressed up as a fire-fighter. We think she would be great at rescuing people from fires! We don't think there is anything she can't do!



Thank you Mr Rosbotham!!

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Our Class Assembly on Advent



On Thursday 5th of December our class did an assembly on Advent. We had to learn two songs called 'Wilderness' and 'When is he coming'. First, Eimear came up and introduced our assembly and we sang, "When is He Coming". Then Joseph, Niall, Lou and Rosie came up and told the audience information about Advent. Another group told everyone their favourite Advent traditions. Our favourite part was when Molly, Anna, Colm, Karolina and Domonika lit the candles on the Advent wreath. Another enjoyable part of our assembly was when Jay, Brianna, Cara, Ashish and Rachel went up and acted out a short drama scene to show that we sometimes can forget about what Christmas is really about and only think about receiving presents. After that, Daniel came up and introduced a poem telling the story of St. Nicholas which we acted out. Finally, we finished off our assembly with prayers to help us appreciate the true meaning of Christmas. We were all very nervous but all our hard work paid off. We did not make any mistakes and everyone seemed to enjoy the assembly.

By Joseph and Rachel Yr5 Mrs McAllister.

Experimenting is Fun!!!!

As part of our topic in World Around Us, Houses and



Homes, we carried out an experiment to discover which material was most suitable to become a Damp Proof Course. A Damp Proof Course is a layer of material

placed on top of the foundations of a house to stop water or moisture getting into the walls. First we built a sugar cube wall. We then filled a pipette with coloured water. Next we put 30 drops of the coloured water onto the wall. Each of us had a different material between the first and second layer of sugar cubes. The materials we tested were paper, plastic, tin foil, cotton and tissue paper. We had to make it a fair test. We discovered that the most waterproof materials were plastic and tin foil. It was great fun!

Yr 3 Meehan

‘Stuffee’



On Tuesday 12th November we went to meet 'Stuffee' in the Ulster Museum. Stuffee helped us to learn about the different organs in our bodies and how to keep our organs healthy.

Alwin got to brush Stuffee's teeth and Leo was lucky enough to look inside Stuffee. We learnt about our lungs, heart and kidneys. Some children even had the chance to hold onto Stuffee's intestines!

We really enjoyed our walk down to the Museum, but most of all, it was great fun meeting Stuffee.



GAA Foundation Hurling Coaching Award.

Well done to Yr 5 teachers and assistants Mrs. McAllister, Mr Fee, Mrs Maguire and Mrs O'Neill on their achievement of a GAA Foundation Level Coaching Award in hurling. To achieve this award the teachers and assistants worked through a number of exercises and completed a training log book over the six weeks. Their classes were focussing on hurling for their PE lessons. Pictured are Mrs McAllister and Mr Fee along with Ulster GAA Council tutor Kieran Megraw and two hurling and camogie stars of the future, Caoimhe and Owen

Our Visit to the Ulster Museum



On the 13th of September our class went on a trip to the Ulster Museum to learn about the Vikings. A lady showed us a PowerPoint on the Vikings.

The Viking raiders wore metal helmets that shielded their head and their eyes. They had long beards and long hair. They mostly had blonde hair and blue eyes because of where they came from. The Vikings wore tunics for battle, raiding and trading. They used swords, axes, shields for protection and spears. They raided because they had no sunlight in Scandinavian countries to grow crops and feed their animals. Also they raided for jewels and



gold.

Viking traders bought slaves with silver and coins. The slaves were usually children. When the Vikings were buying slaves, they would cut the money in half with a special type of scissors.

The Vikings had a special type of chess. The lady showed us a picture of one of the characters. It was called the Viking Bzurka. Daniel got to dress up as one. He wore a long red tunic and a helmet. For protection he used a sword and a shield.

Our Yr7 Confirmation Retreat

On Thursday 7th November, our class went to the De La Salle Pastoral Centre on a retreat day. The retreat was about preparing for our confirmation. We started off the day being put into three groups and playing a quick and fun game called Lions, Tigers and Bears. Then we went in our separate groups to a small room and talked about Christian life and what it really is. We created a spider diagram about this.. Then we had break and a bit of playtime.

Afterwards, we went back into our groups and had a meditation session. During this, we had a focus - stones represented challenges in our lives, pine cones and seven candles showed our light. We heard a short parable from the gospel and were then asked: 'Who has shown you the light in your lives?' and 'How have they done this?' When the meditation was over, we drew or wrote a short phrase about this and then decorated and added coloured tails to our creations.

Shortly after, we had lunch and another chance to play outside. We then learnt about how we can shine our light - this will be passed down to us through our Confirmation. We talked about when we could shine our light, e.g. by showing generosity towards someone.

Afterwards, we made preparations for our prayer service. I chose drama and we started to act out a scene about colours and how they all have an important role to play in life.

The prayer service started by focusing on the display on the floor. This was split into day and night and displayed lots of our work from earlier on in the day. Our drama went well and this was followed by a few prayers, some music and the ceremony of hands. This involved taking someone's paper hand and sticking it onto a large piece of card so that by the end, all of our hands were placed side-by-side, together.

It was a great day thanks to the De La Salle staff. They have given us fabulous memories!

By Alanna Yr7 McG

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Yr5 Duffin Love Hurling.



For our PE lessons we went to Queens PEC and played hurling outside on the Outdoor training facility. Kieran and Frank showed us how to hold the hurling stick properly, how to hit the ball how to lift the ball and how to catch the ball. Miss Gráinne played some hurling games with us and helped us practice our skills. We enjoyed the mini blitz on the last day the best. We are going to practice our skills and may be one day we will be County Antrim stars!

By Felix and Luke, P5 Duffin.

Our Beautiful Region



Our first activity this year for our Comenius Project on 'Our Beautiful Region' was to write and share Autumn poems with our partner countries. This year our main focus is learning about a famous person and landmark in each region. To date we have learnt about Ataturk from Turkey, Juraj Janosik from Slovakia and the landmark of Passau where 3 rivers meet. Throughout the year we shall continue to share and develop activities with our partner schools in Greece, Spain, Bulgaria, Sweden, Romania, Slovakia, Turkey, Germany and Poland.

Yr 4 Composers



In World Around Us we are doing 'Celebrations' as one of our topics. Mrs Toal (Music Teacher) asked us if we would like to compose some music to go along with our topic. We jumped at the chance, everyone got to choose an instrument. To mimic the party poppers we chose a ratchet and symbols. We also used the chatter box for the laughing, it was really funny!

Eimear and Molly held up our composition and we played the music, the whole class joined in. We recorded our own compositions and Mr Mc Closkey put them up on display at the back of the class.

It was a fun lesson and we really enjoyed it.

Eimear & Veronica Yr 4 Mc C

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Christmas at





Yr7K's Transport Investigation



We recently completed a science experiment where



we had to construct a cargo ship to carry the maximum load possible!

The activity was part of our WAU topic and was really fun and challenging. We started by predicting what are original ship would carry and tested it. We found all of our ships needed modified so we set about creating our



masterpieces. We redesigned our ships in an attempt to increase the capacity of load they could carry. When we re-tested our ships we had great success. All of our ships had increased their load some quite significantly! We are hoping to continue with more science experiments next term.



*James
&
Erin*



Playtime in Yr1 White



We love to play in Year 1 White!!

Sometimes we work as a group to construct

something that we think is important to what we are learning.

In this photo we worked together to make a house for the Gingerbread Man as we were learning and writing about the story.

Daniel C

Our School Trip to Aquinas Grammar School

It was Wednesday 27th of November; all of the Yr.7 classes went on a trip to Aquinas from 9:15am to 12:50pm, to do lots of activities, but mostly to have fun.

We all had to bring in our trainers to school with us, because we did P.E for one of the activities. We got a sticker labelled E.

Once the bus arrived, we all got on our coats, got in line, and headed in. We had to share a bus with Mrs Kennedy's class. It took about fifteen minutes to get there.

When we arrived, there was a table labelled E, that was where we were going to put our stuff then we headed upstairs to do science.

When we were in the science room, we got a desk to share with two people. We had to put on goggles for safety reasons. The goal was to see who can make the largest popping sound with their hydrogen gas. You had to put a little stick of wood into a flame and put into the gas tube, so that it would make a popping sound.



After the experiment we went to biology, to see if a biscuit has sugar in it. The test said it didn't.

We headed down to have lunch, we had a sausage, beans and chips, I would go to a cafeteria if it was that nice everyday.

We had P.E after lunch. We played foxes and chickens, which meant, if you are a fox, you have to try and catch the chickens. If they are caught they wait and sit on the ground.

Our final activity was French. We had to speak to another person in the class, in French. We had to say words like bonjour, comment cava? and tres bien merci. There was song that we learnt; it was a weird song, but funny.



On the way back to school at 12:50pm, I learnt that blowing things up in science, doing an experiment in biology, playing foxes and chickens and learning French was amazing, and I wish I could go back.



Running

I have been running with the North Belfast Harriers running club for about one year now. I really enjoy running and being a member of this club has allowed me to participate in a range of different styles of running competitions and experience different types of athletic events. Earlier this year, I took part in the Power of Five track races at the Mary Peter's Track. I was delighted to win a 3rd place podium position for the 2km event for the Junior Women U12's. I competed in the All Ireland Cross Country Championships in Dublin on the 17th of November, after qualifying for a position in the Antrim Junior Girls U12 Team. There were 200 competitors from Ulster, Munster, Leinster and Connacht in this event. My most frequent runs over the past year have been in the Waterworks Park Runs. These are weekly, timed, 5km runs and I won the First Female Junior points table (Junior Women U14) for 2013. I have also ran a few 10km races. One was the Jimmy's 10km in Downpatrick on St Patrick's Day and another was in Kesh Co Fermanagh, where I won the junior under 16's. My most recent 10km run was the Lagan 10km, I had a fab run and it was a great way to see Belfast!

Lauren Yr7K

Girls Gaelic



Every Monday Yr6 and Yr7 girls participate in Gaelic training with Mrs Mc Mahon. We have already played three matches

against Holy Rosary, Gaelscoil na bhFal and St Patrick's. We have won 2 out of 3 matches; we lost against Gaelscoil na bhFal. We played against St Patrick's at the waterworks fields where they scored 2 points and we scored 7 goals and 12 points. When we played against Holy Rosary we played at Harlequins, we won 2 goals and 2 points to nil. Then we played against Gaelscoil na bhFal, we didn't score but they were a good team and we came very close. It's the taking part that counts anyway!! When we are at the matches we need support and sometimes Ms Joyce and Mr Carswell pop down and give us encouragement which we really appreciate as we know they are very busy. All of us on the team love training. I'm extremely grateful as not all schools have a Gaelic team and I'm sure everyone else on the team is grateful too.

Sarah & Lauren



Come on St. Bride's!



Every Thursday after school, netball training is on for Yr 7 and Yr 6 girls, with Mrs. Kennedy and Mrs. Cowan. We play mini matches against each other and fun practice drills. Victoria College Prep invited us to a friendly match. Mrs Kennedy chose some girls, Lucy H, Lauren T, Grace C, Megan C, Lucy D, Rosa, Aoife, Orlaith, Eve and Megan to accompany her. The match was held on the 21st November. We were taken to Victoria after school and the match started at 3:20pm. We had a great start and at the end of the first quarter we were up 5-0. By the time the match finished we had won 20-3. We had a great day and Mrs Kennedy was extremely pleased with our performance. We were all very proud and are looking forward to the league matches starting next term!



On Saturday 28th September 2013 it was the Ulster

Schools Swimming G.A.L.A. in Ballymena. I was swimming the breast stroke and got into the final. In the final I came second and got my personal best. My sister Ava also likes swimming and got into the final too. She also got second place. To win a G.A.L.A. you have to work really hard and train in the early mornings it is hard but it is worth it that is how I won the Ulster Schools.

By Grace Yr6 Graham

Our School Website

Don't forget to check out our school website at www.stbridesps.org.uk. Here you can keep up to date with the latest news and events currently happening in and around the school. You can also view photographs of our pupils on Educational visits and even download pupils work.

By Mr Murray ICT coordinator

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