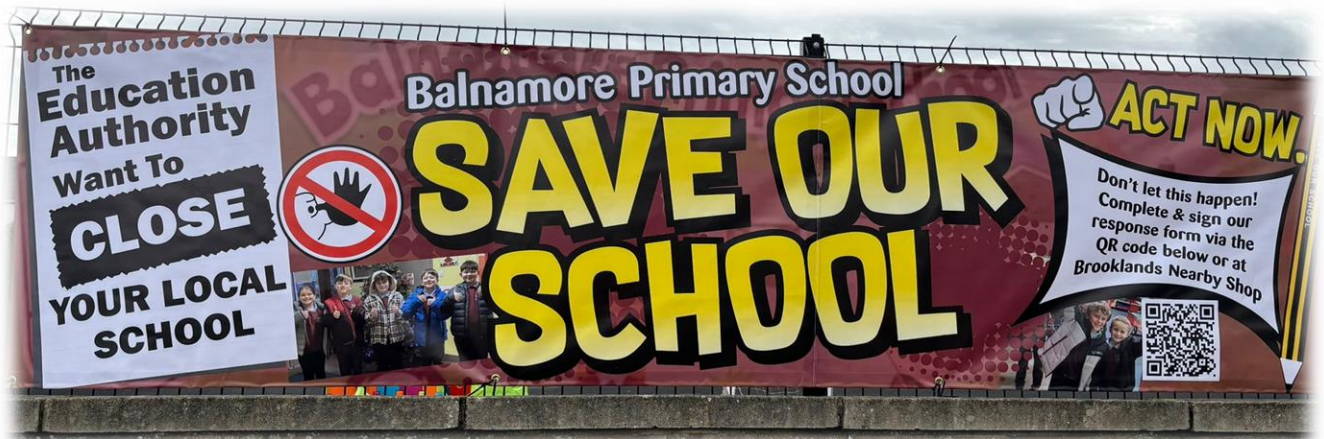




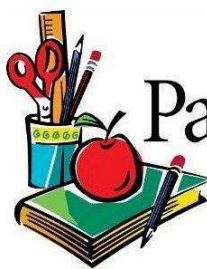
Parents'
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The message is clear for all to see:

- The Education Authority wants to close our school.
- We ALL need to ACT NOW to SAVE OUR SCHOOL.
- Complete and sign our response form via the QR code or at Brooklands Nearby Shop

Thank you to everyone who is already getting involved in supporting our school from the local community and particular thanks to John Armstrong for providing us with these banners and to Sign-It Coleraine for donating one of the banners free of charge.



Parent-Teacher Interviews

Please remember Parent Interviews take place on Wednesday 7th and Thursday 8th February.

To assist in the arrangements for these interviews school will stop at 2.00pm for all children on both Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.



Two important opportunities to meet together are planned for this Monday.

Thank you for meeting together a couple of weeks ago to discuss the way forward for our school. We have all had some time to reflect on the proposal by the EA to close our school and we want to move forward together.

We want to give everyone the opportunity to meet again to work together to make both a shared and an individual response to this proposal.

To do this we are planning to meet on **Monday, 5th February @ 2.15pm in school.** We look forward to seeing you then.

Parents' Meeting

Monday 5th February

2.15pm in School

A second meeting is planned to take place in the evening. This will be a more open meeting and will be a further opportunity for you to come along but also a chance for other members of the community and local political representatives to demonstrate their support for school.

Please encourage as many as possible to come along to both meetings.



**BALNAMORE
PRIMARY
SCHOOL**

PUBLIC MEETING



Monday | 5th Feb, 2024



07:00 PM



Balamore Primary School

Join us on Monday night at the school! Councillors and MLAs will gather to form a support group. Your active participation is crucial. If you can give your time to help out, be there!

MORE INFO



028 2766 4564



www.balamoreps.com/save-our-school/

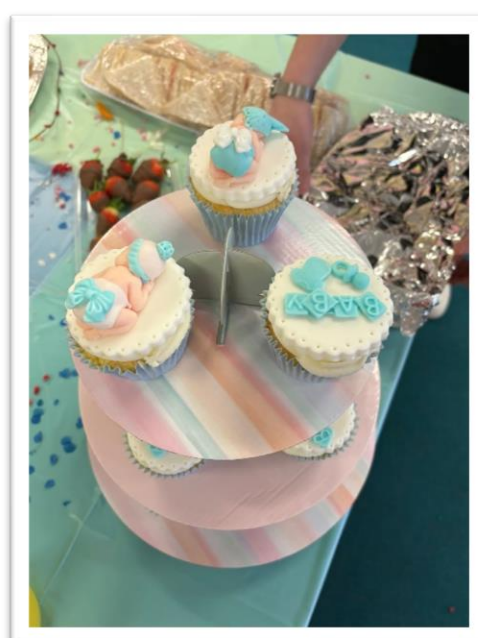


the RIGHT school - in the RIGHT place - at the RIGHT time





Thursday was a very special day for Miss Martin. A special surprise was in store for her. Everyone gathered in the Busy Bees room to hold a Baby Shower to wish her well as she prepares to go off on maternity leave at Half Term. Thank you to everyone for your kindness and especially to Joanne, Claire and the two Gemmas.







This week's Pupils of the Week are:

Charlotte in P2 for her enthusiasm, good listening and excellent work ordering Fairy Tale stories.

Emilee in P7 for asking interesting questions during our cooking class at Ashes for Gold, last week.

Well done, to both of these pupils.



Monday	5 th February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Busy Bees 2.00-3.00pm (P1-3) • Parents' Meeting @ 2.15pm • Public Meeting @ 7.00pm
Tuesday	6 th February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assembly
Wednesday	7 th February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parent Interviews - Early Finish
Thursday	8 th February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parent Interviews - Early Finish
Friday	9 th February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Busy Bees 2.00-3.00pm (P1-3)

If there is anything I can help you with, then please do not hesitate to contact the school office on 028 2766 4564 or email me at smulligan569@c2ken.net

Final Comment

Hopefully, you find the provision of the Parents' News helpful and informative. If you require further information on any of these matters, or any issue concerning school, please do not hesitate to contact me.

S.W.J. Mulligan

