## The SCOOP

## St Andrew's Junior School News Friday 26 FEBRUARY 2016



Tue 1 March K2/P1 visit to Goggle

Fri 4 March Primary School Choir Competition (Wesley Festival)

PTA Quiz in Senior Hall @ 7.30 pm

Tue 8 March House Event: Irish Language and 1916 Table Quiz

Wed 9 March American Studies Exhibition and Class plays

Thurs 10 March P5 Terenure Drama Festival

Fri 11 March P6 Confirmation

Mon 14 March International Parent Coffee Morning @ 9.00 am

Tue 15 March Proclamation Day

Feis Ceoil Festival

Wed 16 March Junior Entrepreneur Exhibition

Term Ends @ 12.30 pm!

Mon 4 April Term start @ 8.50 am

Fri 15 April P6 Musical Hairspray

Sat 23 April First Holy Communion

Mon 25 -Fri 29 April Art Week



Thursday we had the wonderful pleasure of taking a virtual tour around the world thanks to **Google Expeditions**. The Google team brought their full kit of virtual reality gear into the Junior School and using their Expeditions Pioneer Programme and cardboard VR viewer, they brought us to some of the most fascinating sights on the planet and further!

We stood on top of the Great Wall of China, swam with a great white shark, circled the magnificent Taj Mahal and walked in the footsteps off the Incas in Machu Pitchu. We even took a trip into the future on Moon without moving an inch! An amazing experience for pupils and teachers alike!



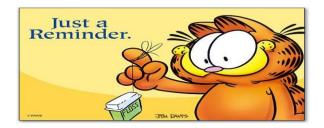
International Parent Coffee Morning in Dining Hall @ 9.00 am

## Sports News

Well done to the boys who played in the A.I.J.S. basketball competition on Wednesday. They showed excellent etiquette towards the opposition, respect to the referees and showed great team spirit throughout the afternoon. They narrowly missed out on a place in the semi-final by 1 point.



Good luck to the boys hockey team in their league playoff game against Taney on Friday afternoon.



Grandparents Day is on Monday 23 May - details to follow.

Well done to **Rosie P4D** who was awarded a *Highly Commended Award* in the **AIJS Poetry Competition**.



## Student Council



Our student council will hold its first meeting today. Each class from P1 - P6 have voted/nominated 2 reps - one girl and one boy - who will represent their classes for the current academic year.

More details and photos to follow in next week's scope!

Lastly but not least we welcome Mr Liam Cousins, our new Art teacher (while Mrs Kramer is away).

We like him already! - He made this cake for the staff's Friday break - more please!!

