

Dear Parent/Guardian,

- Halloween Holidays: The Halloween Hooley will take place on <u>Wednesday 26th October</u>. There will be a prize
 for the best costume in each class. No dinners will be served, and the pupils will finish earlier on this day at the
 following times:
 - ♣ P2, 4 and 6 finish @11.45am
 - ♣ P3, 5 and 7 finish @12.00pm
 - ♣ Rainbow Room, Starlight Room and Primary 1 will finish at 11.30am.
- Book Fair: The Annual Bookfair finished today, and it was once again a huge success for the school. We want to thank all our very generous parents for all you support. We get 60% of your total spend (which was just over £3500 this year) back in book vouchers, which we will use to purchase new novels, reading and story books for the school. We rely heavily on this to replenish and update our book collections. Thank you so much to our Communication Co-ordinators, Mrs Reel and Mr Connolly for their outstanding efforts to ensure the bookfair was a very successful and worthwhile occassion for all involved.



- Rewarding Pupils: Awards for Reading, Maths and Attendance at Mid-term will be given out on Monday 24th
 October. Pupils who have had excellent attendance since the start of the new school year to present and those
 boys who have put in an outstanding effort with AR/ Reading and Mental Maths/FRECKLE will receive a prize
 when Mr McArevey and Mr Curran will visit the classes.
- Extended Schools: ES will restart on Monday 7th to Friday 11th November 2022 (for Block 2 pupils).
- **School Dinners:** There will be no dinners served next Wednesday 26th October 2022 (early finish).

	Monday 24 th October	Tuesday 25 th October	Wednesday 26 th October	Thursday 27 th October	Friday 28 th October
Week 4	Irish Stew Melon, Cheese & Crackers	Breaded Fish Goujons Sweetcorn Mashed Potatoes Flake meal biscuit & Fresh Fruit	NO DINNERS Pupils will finish earlier on this day at the following times: P1- 3 @ 11.45am and P4-7 @ 12.00noon	School Closed	School Closed

Available Daily - Bread / Milk / Water / Fresh fruit

Key Dates:

- **Rewarding Pupils:** Awards for Reading, Maths and Attendance at Mid-term on *Monday 24th October*.
- **♣ Primary 6 Swimming:** Week Number 5 of 8 will take place on <u>Friday 4th November</u> at Falls Leisure Centre.
- ♣ Anti-Bullying Week: <u>Monday 14th to 18th November</u>. HCB will be doing Odd Socks Day on <u>Monday 14th November</u> and giving out prizes for our Anti-Bullying Poster Competition on <u>Friday 18th November</u>. The message behind Odd Socks Day is to be kind to each other and respect each other's individuality.
- World Philosophy Day is on Thursday 17th November (Focus on Plato this year).
- **P5 Trip:** Waterfront Hall on <u>Monday 21st November</u> to attend a Primary Schools Concert with the Ulster Orchestra.
- FLU Vaccine P1 P7 on Wednesday 7th December 2022.

Thanks for your continued support.

Mr K McArevey Mr C Curran

(Principal) (Vice-Principal)