

Autumn is definitely here. The weather is turning colder. Please ensure your child comes dressed ready for school. Coats are needed and please put names in everything. If it hasn't got a name on we can't return lost things.

## **Parent Governor Needed**

Are you interested in becoming part of our governing body? The Governing Body work alongside the Head teacher and staff, to oversee school life and help develop our school. If you are interested or want more information please contact Miss Sands.

## **Parking**

Sadly we've had more complaints from residents about ignorant parking outside school. Please take care, park away from school and **DO NOT DOUBLE PARK ON MURPHY CRESCENT.**

**DO NOT PARK OR DROP OFF ON THE ZIG ZAG LINES**

## **Absence**

If your child is absent contact the office in the morning. All children must be in school by 9am - late arrivals are at risk of receiving late marks which can lead to attendance issues. Regularly absence means the children miss learning they may never catch up on. Please work with us to ensure none of our children are missing out on essential learning.

## **Juice Money     Hot Chocolate / Ice Cream**

We invite children to bring in 50p juice money each week - they'll get a cup of juice each day and the money is used to buy items for the class. On Fridays we sell ice creams (later in the term Hot Chocolate) for 50p, the money collected goes to charitable causes through the year.

## **'Recycle with Michael' - 6<sup>th</sup> November**

If you are having an Autumn clear out we're having a charity bag collection. We'll be collecting Clothing, Shoes, Socks, Pyjamas and Bed Linen. Collection bags will be sent home in the next couple of weeks.

## **Jewellery**

The only jewellery children should wear is a watch. **No earrings**, bracelets or necklaces.

## **MacMillan Coffee Afternoon**

Thanks for your support we raised £214.10

## **After School Clubs**

Please can children have PE kits to go outside even when it is cold. Whenever possible the coaches take the children outside for the sessions.

## Diary dates

Be aware some dates may change throughout the term. We'll update them every newsletter and by text if needed.

7 <sup>th</sup> -11 <sup>th</sup> October	Rosary Week
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> October	St Wilfrid's Day
Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> October	Family Mass 11am St Mary's Church. All welcome
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> October	<b>Pirate Day - Everyone invited to dress like a pirate for the day.</b>
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	School Disco
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> October	Last Day of Half Term
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> November	First day of new half term
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> November	'Recycle With Michael' Clothing collection.
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> November	School Newsletter Published
4 <sup>th</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup> November	Safety Week -keeping themselves safe online. 'Bring and adult to school' - Each class will invite parents to share a session with their children this week.
11 <sup>th</sup> -15 <sup>th</sup> November	Anti-Bullying Week
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> November	School Photographer
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> November	Children In Need
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> November	Years 1 & 2 'Coffee Show' - coffee afternoon with a performance from the children.
Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup> November	Family Mass 11am St Mary's Church.
26 <sup>th</sup> & 27 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents Evening (Years 1-6) Appointment information closer to the time.
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> November	2.30 Liturgy in school hall - all welcome
2 <sup>nd</sup> - 6 <sup>th</sup> December	Food Bank Collection Week
4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup> December	Years 1 & 2 Performance
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> December	First Steps Performance
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Fayre (in school)
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 5 & 6 Party
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 3 & 4 Party
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 1 & 2 Party First Steps Christmas Crafts
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Last Day of Term</b> <b>Christmas Jumper Day</b>
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> January 2020	School re-opens for Spring Term