



Cargenbridge School Updates and information Friday 2nd November 2018

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Mrs Watson saysWelcome back everyone, we hope you had a lovely holiday and are all looking forward to this term, which is always busy. Find in the maildrop today a copy of this term's dates, as at present. There will always be new dates added as the term goes on. Please keep these dates safe.

FRIDAY MAIL DROP

In the mail drop today please find:

1. Dumfries Museum - P6&P7
2. Term Dates - P1-7
3. Schools Meals Week - P1-7
4. Physical Activity Survey - P7
5. Leavers Sweatshirt Order - P7




Halloween Parties

A huge thank you to everyone who organised and helped on the night at this week's Halloween Parties.

The children really enjoyed the parties and everyone look amazing. What imaginative pumpkins too!

Developing Reading Skills

In order to further develop our pupil's reading skills, confidence and interest in reading we would like to offer the opportunity to parents, grandparents, family members and community members to come in to listen to children read, read with them, read to them and to become reading buddies. We already have some names of people who are interested, but if you would like to be involved then let the school know and we can arrange to chat further with all those who are interested.

World Quality Day Launch

Next Thurs 8th Nov sees us starting our partnership work with Dupont Teijin Films. Our new pupils have been to visit the site before the holidays.

More information next week about this year's challenge.

School Photographer

Reminder that the School Photographer is in school on **Tues 6th November** for family and individual photos.

If we do not receive a completed slip we will assume that you do not wish your child's photograph to be taken.

Next week we would like to welcome Miss McIntyre to the team who is going to cover PE during Mrs Law's maternity leave.

Congratulations to Mrs Law who had a baby boy Freddie during the holidays. We wish them well. Baby Freddie is so cute, he visited us today.

P1 Health Checks

P1 will receive their health checks on **Wed 7th Nov** as per the letter you received. Please return all completed questionnaires before **Wed**.

☺ Pupil of the Week ☺

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P1/2 Flynn, P2/3 Hannah, P4 Oskar

P5/6 Owen, P6/7 Abby

WELL DONE !!!!

Cup Winner was : ABBEY



P2 & P3 Let's Get Sporty

P2 & P3 Multi Sports Let's Get Sporty ASC starts on **Wed 7th Nov** for 5 weeks.

There is still time to sign up to this club!!

As the winter weather approaches please can you ensure all children have a jacket with them and that all items of clothing are named, especially items easily lost such as scarves, hats and gloves.



We do have a number of lost property items. At the end of the day please come and have a look, otherwise they will be put in our school store of clothes.

Vomiting/Diarrhoea Viruses

Can we please remind all parents/Carers If your child/children has one of these nasty bugs please remember that in order to try to stop further spread of the bugs, children should be kept away from school for a minimum of **48 hrs** from the last time they have been sick or had diarrhoea.

Thank you for your support.

World Quality Day this year is on **Wed 21st Nov**. You are all invited along at 2.30pm (Half Past 2 Event) on this day to see for yourself the work your child has been doing.



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World War One 100th Anniversary

As you will be aware this year is the 100th anniversary of the end of WW1. Each class on **Fri 9th Nov** will learn about this and carry out some activities related to this. This should be really interesting for all the pupils. We will also, as last year, lay a wreath at the Maxwelltown War Memorial. Three children from the school will be chosen to go along to represent the school to lay a wreath to pay our respects to all those who lost their lives in the war.

Choir

Due to very low numbers, it is possible that the school choir will not run this year. Any children who would still like to be part of the choir should go and see Mrs Gallacher next week to add their name to the list.



P6 & P7 Dumfries Museum

All P6 & P7 pupils will visit Dumfries Museum to take part in a workshop about World War One on **Thurs 15th Nov**. Please find a letter about this in the maildrop.

Xmas Cards



A wee update The Garroch Print Unit is unable to do our Xmas Cards this year. We are trying to find another Printer at a reasonable price. We will let you know the cost of the cards for this year and arrangements as soon as possible, if this is going ahead.

Pupil of the Week

We have new Wrist Band rewards for "Pupil of the Week". These will replace the current badges. Pupils will receive their Wrist Bands at Assembly on a Friday and should be returned the following Friday morning.



All P7 pupils and parents will be invited to attend a P7 Transition Evening on **Mon 26th November** at Dumfries & Gallo-way College from 7-8pm. There will be a formal letter issued in due course.

WOW launch

On **Thurs 8th Nov** WOW will be launched to the pupils. This is a year long walking challenge following on from last year's Beat the Street. Our Junior Road Safety Officers will lead this initiative in the school. More information to come.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

W/B 5th November 2018

On Mon — Cluden House Mtg Snack & Chat	Country Dancing ASC 3-4pm
On Tues — School Photographer	Pupil Council Snack & Chat Netball ASC 3—4 pm
On Wed — P3-P4 Maths Club 8.30-9am	P1 Health Checks Abbey House Mtg Snack & Chat
	P2 & P3 Let's Get Sporty ASC 3-4pm Construction ASC 3-4pm
On Thurs — WOW launch	Solway House Mtg Snack & Chat World Quality Day Launch with Dupont
	Football ASC TBC
On Fri — Brew & Blether 9-10am	WW1 Day Posh Tea Computer ASC 3-4pm

