



# Loudoun-Montgomery Primary School

## Term 1 into Term 2 News



13<sup>th</sup> October 2022

Dear Parents / Carers,

I am certain that everyone will be looking forward to next week's October break. Term 1 has been very busy, especially during the final week with visits to Irvine Library, P4-7 Choir Performance to parents and...



...tomorrow morning's in school theatre performance of ***Greyfriars Bobby*** to all our primary school children in our main hall by Shooglie Road Productions. There is no cost to families for their children to attend this in-school show.

### October Holidays – Fullarton Community Hub

Please look out for Facebook Posts etc, from our friends at the Hub. Their children's Activity Club is organising activities, trips and also a lunch. Please call the Hub on 01294 278207 if your child is interested in joining the Activity Club that is enjoyed by many of Loudoun-Montgomery's pupils. See next page for information on the Hub's Hallowe'en Party...

### TERM 2

Please note that the school reopens on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> October as a result of the rescheduled Inservice Day, due to the Queen's funeral. As soon as we return in Term 2 we have a very busy schedule of events...



### HALLOWE'EN CELEBRATIONS

#### **School Hallowe'en Parties – Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> October**

When we return after the October break, our children's minds will firmly be fixed on Hallowe'en. With the limited capacity of our small school, parties will be spread across the day / evening of Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> October. Pupils will enjoy their parties with their classmates at the times noted.

Our Parent Council are once again supporting our parties and are providing juice, snacks, treats and prizes! – THANK YOU! They are also running the evening parties for our older classes – P3/4 to P6/7. School staff will run the P1 & P2 parties and are very thankful for all the goodies the Parent Council will provide. We are also very thankful to Mrs McPherson (P3/4 Class Teacher) for being our resident DJ for all our parties. **Please click the link below for your child's party time, to register your consent to attend by Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> October.** There is no cost to families for children attending these parties.

**P1 & P2 Party – 1.45pm to 2.45pm**

**[P3/4 & P4/5 Party – 6.15pm to 7.15pm – click to consent](#)**

**[P5/6 & P6/7 Party – 7.30pm to 8.30pm – click to consent](#)**

#### **Hallowe'en Costumes**

We know that finding the right costume can be very difficult. Wearing a costume is not essential for any of our Hallowe'en activities. However, the school and our friends at Irvine Library can be of help regarding easy access to costumes. Starting from tomorrow and during next week we are asking parents to look out at home out-grown costumes and donate them to the school. Please place them in the purple recycling bins that we use for uniforms. Both purple bins will be placed outside the school's main entrance throughout next week. **On Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> October we will put out on display all the out-grown costumes we receive.** Irvine Library is doing exactly the same. **On Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> of October Irvine Library are putting on display out-grown costumes for parents to access.** At both venues there is no cost to families.

### Hallowe'en Lunch

On Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October we will be serving a special Hallowe'en lunch.

[Please click the link to see the Monstrous Menu.](#)

### **Community Hallowe'en Party**

Our friends at **Fullarton Community Hub** are hosting a Hallowe'en Party for children within the community on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> October, from 2pm to 4pm. The cost will be £1 per child.

Please call the Hub on 01294 278207 to book your child's place.



### **PARENTS' NIGHT**

Parents' Night will be held on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> November, commencing at 3.20pm and concluding at 8.30pm. Appointment times will be in 10 minute blocks. To request a meeting with your child's class teacher then please click the link below. The link will close on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> October. This will then allow requests to be processed and parents to be informed of meeting time(s) during the first week of term 2.

[To request a meeting with your child's class teacher then please click this link.](#)



### **P7 to S1 Transition**

Our P7 pupils enjoyed their first Challenge Day - Creative Arts - at Irvine Royal Academy at the end of September. **They are now looking forward to the second P7 to S1 Transition Challenge Day, which is being held on the first day after the October break on Tuesday 25th October at Irvine Royal Academy.** The second Challenge Day has a careers focus, under the banner of ***Developing the Young Workforce (DYW)***. A separate letter has already gone out. **If you have not done so already then please confirm your consent for your child to attend by Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October by clicking the link below.**

[P7 to S1 Transition Challenge Day #2 – DYW](#)



**PHOTOGRAPHS - Please look out for Loudoun-Montgomery in the news!**

### **Dem-Master Presentation**

Last Thursday our Parent Council received a very generous cheque for £1000 from Dem-Master, who are the principal contractor involved in the demolition of Fullarton's high-rise flats. This money will be used to support the Parent Council's outdoor learning garden for pupils. Not only were Dem-Master very generous with their money, but they were very generous with their time. On the day they visited they shared at our assembly a very interesting presentation on the work they are about to commence, their focus on recycling and very importantly on health and safety.

### **P7 Leavers Hoodies**

Last week our P7 pupils were presented with their Leavers Hoodies. Our P7 pupils will enjoy wearing their Leavers Hoodies throughout their 22-23 session, thanks to funding from the school's Parent Council.

### **Primary 1 Class Photograph**

We eagerly await seeing our Primary 1 pupils in the Irvine Herald – hopefully out soon!

*Have a wonderful October break!*  
*Yours sincerely, Paul Bleakley - Head Teacher*