



## Kilbarchan Primary School

### Hallowe'en Plans

22/10/21



Dear Parents and Carers

As you will be aware last year, in partnership with our Parent Council, we had a Pumpkin Orienteering Hunt. This was such a success that we have decided to do it again!

**When:** Friday 29 October

**What is happening:** All children will be able to take part in a Pumpkin Orienteering Hunt, with a range of questions to get the children thinking and problem solving.

**Where:** This will take place in the school playground.

**Getting involved:** Families can get involved by decorating and carving the pumpkins, once they are ready please contact Claire Brown on the Kilbarchan Parent Council Facebook page. Should you wish to get your pumpkin back, they can be collected at the end of the day, once all children have left the playground. Those left behind will be used for compost by the Community Gardens so that there is no waste.

The Parent Council are also organising small packets of pre-packed sweets for the children. These will be quarantined in the school for the recommended period and given to children at the end of the day. The sweets will be Haribo and so there will be a number of vegetarian packets also available. We encourage you to remind your child that if they are vegetarian, they should make that clear to their teacher on the day.

So that we can get into the swing of Hallowe'en we will have a Wear What You Want Day on Friday 29 as well! There is no expectation to dress up, children can come in their jeans and trainers should they wish. For those who are dressing up, could I ask that **accessories are kept to a minimum** please?

For anyone wishing to donate to our Wear What You Want Day, please note the pupils have voted for the money to be split between the school and a charity. The children will be voting for their chosen charity and we will inform you of their decision next week. Should you wish to make a donation there will be a section setup on ParentPay that allows you to do this.

We hope that despite current restrictions, the event will bring some fun and excitement to the school for Hallowe'en!

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