

St. Peter's Primary School

November Update Newsletter 2018



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Dear Parents/Carers

FLU VACCINATIONS

This is a reminder that pupil flu – vaccinations will take place during the morning of 31 October. I am aware that we have Halloween celebrations taking place in school that day and tried to change our date but it was not possible and the best they could do was change our times from afternoon to morning (thanks to one of our neighbourly schools who very kindly swapped with us).



HALLOWEEN PARTIES

Please note that all children will enjoy Halloween parties in class on this day. It is our preferred option that children stay in school at lunch time and change into costumes for their afternoon celebrations. Should you wish to do something different you must contact the school office for prior arrangements. Staff members will be available to help any child who needs assistance to change. Teaching staff have gone to a lot of effort to plan fun activities for your children and I am sure you are very grateful for this.

PARENT COUNCIL

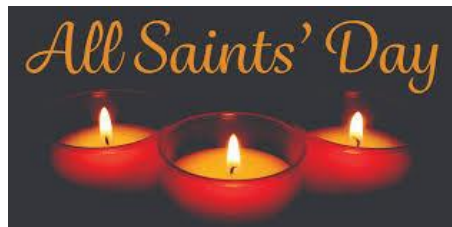
I would like to point out that only 3 parents were able to attend our most recent meeting which took place on Thursday 23rd October at 6pm. I am very grateful to the parents who were able to come along and I hope they are aware that the school community very much appreciate the effort they go to in planning the many events for our children to enjoy. I am really keen that we encourage more people to attend the meeting and would be interested to hear your views. Please take time to complete the feedback slip attached.

STAFF CAR PARK

Please do not use the staff car park to drop off or pick up a child at the beginning and end of the school day unless you have discussed this with the Head Teacher or Depute Head Teacher. I am concerned that someone will be hurt if this continues.

PARENTS EVENING

All Parents Evening appointments will be issued to pupils on 31 October. Please look out for these in your child's school bags.



ALL SAINTS DAY

The whole school will attend Mass on Thursday 1 November at 10am. We have really been struggling for adult helpers when we walk to church and would be very grateful if you could offer your time to accompany us. Please contact the school office to let someone know if you can help. Your support is always appreciated.

Catholic Education week begins on 19 November this year. A separate newsletter will follow providing details of events.



MOVIE CLUB

Our next movie club takes place in the school dining hall on Friday 2 November 4-6pm. Thank you so much to our very hard working parents who have organised this and give up their time to help on the night. Please come along and enjoy, these are always popular evenings.

ANTI-BULLYING WEEK – Choose Respect

This begins on 12 November 2018. As previously mentioned, we will be carrying out a lot of work in the very near future to highlight the importance of respect and tolerance. We really want to include parents/carers and community members in our work. Pupils will be focusing on these values in class during anti-bullying week and you can help at home by reinforcing our school values through discussion with your child. You may find the following website useful:

<https://respectme.org.uk>

As always, please do not hesitate to contact me at the school should you wish to discuss any matters.

Please have a 'spooktastic' Halloween and enjoy fun times with your families.

Yours sincerely

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Head Teacher

