

NEWSLETTER

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8th November 2017

Parent / Teacher Meetings



The parent teacher meetings will be held:

Tuesday 14th November 3pm– 5.30pm

& Wednesday 15th 3pm-4:10pm

Appointments will be sent out this week.

We look forward to seeing you then.

Drumming Workshops



This Monday & Tuesday all the classes participated in a drumming workshop with David Day from Jabba Jabba Jembe (www.jabbajabbajembe.com). They learned about many percussion instruments from all around the world & had great fun! Why not ask them about it. We will be uploading some photos this week on the website.

Science Week 12th-19th November



Next week is Science Week & there will be lots of events happening across the country which you can find out more about on www.scienceweek.ie. We apply for the Science Award every year & we are taking a group of children from 1st & 2nd Class to Deansrath Community College & Clondalkin library for science events next week.

Witches & Wizards Walk



Our annual fundraiser – The Witches and Wizards Walk, was a great success. We raised €2964 which was a considerable amount. Thanks to all families for your support.



Christmas Annuals

Peggy is taking orders in the office each morning. It is educational and fun, each annual is bursting with quizzes, fantastic facts, colouring pages, stories, great competitions & lots, lots more! This is a great way to keep busy over the Christmas holidays! There is a free pencil & wall chart with every annual.

Price: €4



Active School Flag Family Poster Competition

This week we are officially launching the Active Flag in school & we are going to have a ***Family poster competition*** for all classes- the posters must have a slogan about being active. ***The closing date is next Friday 17th November.*** We'll have prizes for the best from each class group and best slogan will become our Active School slogan! We will soon be starting our running initiative, which we must have as part of our submission. Our initiative will be to **"Run Around Europe"**. It involves each class running laps around the yard each day (if possible).



Super Trooper Fitness at Home Programme

We are starting our Super Troopers Programme this week. The children fill their activity journals every night & Infant Classes are encouraged to join in too. The activities will take no longer than **10-15mins** each night & all children have been given the Family Wall Chart to join in! The instructions for the activities are at the back of the book in abc order -see page numbers given.

Week 1 Activities

1. Side Leg Raises * p.53
 2. Kangaroo Jumps * p. 51
 3. Aeroplanes Away * p.49
 4. Musical Creepy Crawlies * p.52
- Weekend: Stop Everything and Move SAM-15mins

Anti-Bullying Training for Parents

The National Parents Council are hosting a training event:

It will give ideas to help you support your child regarding issues of bullying & inform you about Anti-Bullying procedure for Primary & Post-Primary Schools

When: **Monday November 20th**

Venue: Maldron Hotel, Tallaght

Time: 7:30pm

Admission free!



LIBRARY MEMBERSHIP

Clondalkin Library

Monastery Road,
Clondalkin,
Dublin 22

Tel: +353 1 4593315

Mobile Library is on Thursdays

Kilmahuddrick Crescent 3pm-4pm
Melrose Green 4pm-5pm
Bawnogue Road 6pm-7pm
Cherrywood Crescent 7pm-8pm

Adult Classes



Fitwalk Programme



Interested in getting a little fitter, getting some fresh air, Going for a walk?

Join us on Tuesday mornings for a local walk on Tuesday mornings.

When? 9:15am

Where? Happy Pear Café/Round Tower

Programme moves indoors from **November in Bawnogue Community Centre** 9.30am-10.30am

Frása na Seachtaine / Phrase of the week

Slán abhaile = Safe home / goodbye

[*slawn a-wal-ya*]

Go deas bualadh leat! = Nice to meet you

[*Guh j-ass boo-la lath!*]



Educational Websites

starfall.com



Starfall is a free website that teaches children how to read and write in English. Starfall is useful for children aged 4-8yrs. The website teaches children how to read by using games and phonics

enchantedlearning.com

This site provides free informational pages about a wide range of topics. Each subject has several pages filled with illustrations, diagrams and detailed information about that particular subject. The site also provides an extensive collection of printable activity pages & printable mini books.