



# NEWSLETTER

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## Attendance Awards

Our annual awards ceremony to acknowledge full attendance and 1 or 2 days absence from school took place on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September in the school hall. Congratulations and well done to all those who received an award. The Clondalkin Echo will have the photographs in tomorrow's edition. (Thursday October 3rd)

## Wet Mornings

Many thanks to all the parents/guardians and children who are co-operating with us on our request that all parents/guardians leave their children enter the school corridors on their own on wet mornings. This way we can keep everyone safe. Your co-operation is greatly appreciated.

## Witches and Wizards Walk



Our annual fundraiser for the school – The Witches and Wizards Walk, takes place on **Tuesday 22nd October.**

The children will be asked to dress up in fancy dress on that day and go for a short walk, with their class, weather permitting. We ask families and friends to sponsor the children and we ask that the children do not go from door to door looking for sponsorship.

## Trócaire

Trócaire thanked Scoil Nano Nagle for the €341.13 collected during the Lenten Campaign. Our “wonderful generosity will make a positive and lasting difference to the lives of so many families and communities who are living in poverty overseas”.

## Benefit Night for Luke

### Pub Quiz and Raffle

**When?** Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October

**Where?** Thomas Davis GAA Club in Tallaght

**Time?** 8.00 p.m.

This is a fundraising event to raise funds so that local boy, Luke, can have a life changing and potentially life saving operation in Poland.

Tickets €10.00 euro or €12.00 at the door.

Contact [elcross92@gmail.com](mailto:elcross92@gmail.com) 0852544484

## Quality Time Early Start



The children in Early Start have settled in very well and they enjoyed their very first ‘Quality Time’ of the year last Monday. Each child received a play pack with a range of fun activities to do at home. It was wonderful to see so many parents/guardians present for “Quality Time”

## Deansrath Community College Open Evening

There will be an open evening for parents and pupils of 4th, 5th and 6th class pupils on **Thursday 3rd October from 5.00 -9.00 p.m.**

## Dance Class

We are delighted to welcome Kevin, our dance teacher, back again this year on Thursdays. Children are asked to wear tracksuits and runners on dance days as well as on P.E. days. All classes including Early Start will participate in dance classes, for five weeks, throughout the year.



## Adult Classes

**Sewing ( Beginners):** Are you interested in learning how to sew in a button, turn up a hem, do simple alterations, follow a pattern to make simple toys and learn how to use a sewing machine? If so, this is the class for you.

**Mondays: 9.05 – 10.00** a.m. in the Parents' Room in the pre-fabs.

**First class starts Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October**

## Knitting ( All levels:

**Thursdays 9.00 – 11.00 a.m.** in the Parents' Room in the pre-fabs. All welcome. No experience required. This is a drop in session.



## Gardening Club:

We are looking for parents to help out in the garden (beside pre-fabs) every morning next week for 1 hour from Monday through to Friday October 7<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> at 9-10.00 a.m. The existing garden beds need to be cleared, weeding needs to be done to prepare the ground for planting. When all the hard work is done the children will enjoy planting seeds and bulbs. Gloves, shovels, spades etc will be provided. Join us for a well deserved cuppa in the Parents' Room after. All help is much appreciated. No gardening experience necessary!



## Clothes Recycling

We ask you to bring in any clothes you may wish to recycle. Bring your donations to the hall by **Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> October** for collection. Your donation helps to raise funds for the school.



## Last reminder of our All Inclusive Parents' Association AGM

**Wednesday 9 October- 9:05 a.m**

**Have any free time to help out at school?  
We need you!!**

**Guest Speaker:** Jackie Keane will talk about the services that are available for families in the local and wider Clondalkin area.

We really depend on the Parents' Association to run a lot of school events. It's a great way to get to know more about school life and a chance for you to meet other parents. Any free time you can give is greatly appreciated.

We will be holding our A.G.M for our All Inclusive Parents' Association on **Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> October at 9:05a.m in the**

**school hall.** All parents/guardians are welcome to the meeting and to join the parent's association. This is the time of the year we elect our new committee and even if you are not interested in being on the committee you might like to be involved on other ways.

There is also a vacancy on the Board of Management for a parent representative. The position is for a mother and a father of a child in Scoil Nano Nagle. We will be looking for nominations for the Parents' Association and Board of Management at the A.G.M.

You are welcome to join us afterwards for a cup of tea and a chat.

For any queries please talk to Ms Mac Mahon (Home School Liaison teacher).

Please return this to Ms Mac Mahon.

I hope to attend the A.G.M.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Child: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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