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OCTOBER NEWS

PTA FUN DAY

We would like to say a big thankyou to the PTA for the wonderful fun day they organised for the children. The event was enjoyed by everyone who attended and raised a fantastic £973.73 for school funds.

MATHS WEEK 2023

Maths Week 2023 will run from Mon 16th – Fri 20th. During this week the pupils will be taking part in fun maths activities, practically and online. You can also take part in this as a family by logging on to <u>www.mathsweek.ie</u>

HARVEST ASSEMBLY

We are having a Harvest assembly on Wednesday 18th October at 1pm. All pupils will be taking part and we would welcome parents and friends to join with us if you are free.

PARENT INTERVIEWS

Parent interviews will take place from Mon 23rd Oct – Thur 26th Oct. You will receive a letter home with your child containing further information. School will close at 1pm for all pupils on these days. Pupils will also go home at 1pm on Fri 27th Oct to facilitate staff training.

PTA PRE-LOVED CHRISTMAS JUMPER SALE

The PTA are looking for pre-loved Christmas jumpers to sell as a fundraising event. If you have any items to donate, could they please be brought into school from Friday 20th October. The sale will take place on Mon 6th Nov.

PTA FEEDBACK SURVEY

You will have received a message on Class Dojo about this survey. The PTA would really appreciate your feedback if you could take a few minutes to complete it. <u>https://tinyurl.com/WpmpsPTA</u>

PTA EASYFUNDRAISING

The PTA have registered with easyfundraising.org. This is a company who partners with over 7,000 brands and donate part of what you spend to the registered body at no extra cost to you. To find out more, scan the QR code or follow the link below.



https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/william-pinkerton-pta

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Flu Vaccinations - Tue 10th October Open PTA meeting - Tue 17th October @ 6pm in the school assembly hall Harvest Assembly - Wed 18th October @ 1pm Parent Interviews - Mon 23rd - Thur 26th Oct (school finishes at 1pm) Staff Development - Fri 27th October (school closes at 1pm) Half-Term holidays - Mon 30th Oct - Fri 3rd Nov (inclusive) Hallowe'en Hooley - Mon 30th October in Dervock Community Centre Pre-Loved Christmas jumper sale - Mon 6th November Christmas Shows - Thur 14th December @ 10am & 6.30pm