

"Live, Love, Laugh, Learn"

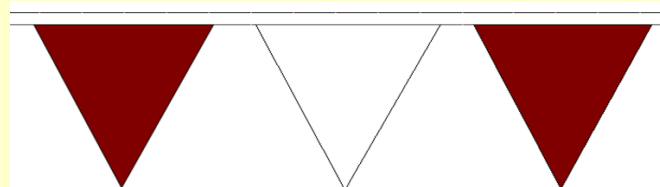


Halloween Dress Up, Friday 27th October 2017

Just a reminder that children come to school this Friday in their Halloween costumes. As always we try to promote our Green School status and ask that they use their imagination by putting together costumes made from recycled materials and things from home. In exchange for ditching their school uniform for the day, we ask for each pupil to donate €2 for our sponsored child in the Philippines, Hazel Ann Tives. All pupils will gather in the hall during the morning for a parade of costumes and the best "Recycled Costume" from each Class will be chosen.

Upcoming Events

- ◆ Halloween Dress -Up Day
- ◆ Team Hope Christmas Shoebox Appeal



**CONGRATULATIONS
TO ST.PATRICKS
BALLYRAGGET ON THEIR
VICTORY WINNING THE
INTERMEDIATE COUNTY
FINAL**

**SCHOOL WILL CLOSE AT
12.00 P.M.
ON FRIDAY 27TH OCTOBER
BUSES WILL RUN AT THIS
TIME
SCHOOL RE-OPENS ON
MONDAY 6TH NOVEMBER**

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“YOUR KINDNESS MEANS SO MUCH TO 254,218 CHILDREN”

“Your boxes were delivered right into the hands of some of the world’s poorest or most vulnerable children – victims of war in Ukraine, Burundi or Congo. Families devastated by HIV/AIDS in Swaziland or Lesotho. Refugees in Berlin or communities struggling with poverty in Africa. We have seen your shoebox gift bringing incredible joy and laughter, hope where there was little, significance where they thought they were forgotten, and God’s love where they thought no one cared. Team Hope (and all the children) are so grateful to every one of you who made it all possible... But particularly each one of you who did a shoebox – Thank you!”

TEAM HOPE CHRISTMAS SHOEBOX APPEAL 2017

As mentioned in the September newsletter the school will be participating in the Team Hope Christmas Shoebox Appeal again this year. A local representative from Team Hope visited the school today and met our pupils to give them an update on the success of last year’s appeal and showed them the different parts of the world the shoeboxes reached and the difference they make to the children who receive them.

Information leaflets for each family will be sent home in school bags and the shoeboxes will need to be brought to school for collection straight after the **Halloween Mid Term Break.**

School Football Panel

Our football season is well underway, with many of our 3rd-6th class girls involved. Bad weather has delayed the playing of matches, with only one played so far.

Two games are scheduled for this week. Keep up the hard work girls, and plenty of practice over the mid-term!

MATHS WEEK

16TH -22ND OCTOBER

Last week we, together with schools nationwide, took part in “Math’s Week”. The aim is to focus and explore as many different ways as possible to learn and apply math skills in a variety of areas. Great fun was had from Junior Infants to 6th Class.

NCBI Charity Clothing Collection.

Many thanks to everybody who made the effort to contribute to our recent collection. A total of over 100 Bags of varying sizes were donated.

Well Done!!

