



# CPS News

3rd October 2017

## Hallowe'en disco

The PTA Hallowe'en disco will be held on Tuesday 24th October between 6 and 7pm. Parents are very welcome to come along and savour some apple tart and coffee whilst the children enjoy the disco.

Admission is £1 per child and Glo sticks are 50p each. School will close at 2pm for all children on the day of the disco.



## Pyjama Day

We are holding a pyjama day on Thursday 26th October 2017 to raise funds for the Cancer Fund for Children. Please send in a donation of £1 per child for this very worthwhile cause.

## School Closures

School will be closed on Friday 27th October for staff training.

## Half-term holiday

Monday 30th October to Friday 3rd November

School reopens Monday 6th November

## COFFEE MORNING IN AID OF HOSPICE

Thank you to all those parents who supported our coffee morning either by sending in buns and cakes or coming along on the morning.

We are in the process of counting the money now and will let you know the total as soon as we have it.

## Parent Consultations

### Wednesday 25th & Thursday 26th October

Please remember that school will close at 12.00pm on both days to facilitate consultations. Appointment times will be sent out soon.

## OPEN EVENING

This year our open evening will be held on Tuesday 21st November 2017 from 6.00—8.00pm. If you know anyone who has a child due to start school in September 2018 please let them know about it.

The message needs to go out that we are a small school with high expectations. Our children are at the heart of everything we do. BIG schools are NOT necessarily better schools.

The teachers in Central PS know each and every child personally. We really are a school family.

## DITCH THE DARK DAY!

As part of our involvement with *Sustrans* Active School Travel programme we are excited to be holding a special Active Travel to school day on Wednesday 25th October 2017:

The theme of the day is to 'Ditch the Dark'. To raise awareness of safe travel to school during the darker days, we are encouraging children to actively travel (*Walk, scoot or cycle*) to school wearing the brightest clothing they can!

Children are invited to get creative with their outfits to be super bright. The possibilities are endless – bright clothing, glow sticks, fluorescent orange socks, a pink tutu, a neon green wig – get bright, brighter, brightest!

You are more than welcome to join the fun yourself! Please feel free to dress to impress in your best neon bright clothing and travel to school actively with your child on the day! We understand that it might not be possible for everyone to actively travel to school the whole way, particularly if you live far away. In this case we'd encourage you to park up along your way and walk the final bit to school with your child. In doing so we hope we'll reduce the number of cars around school and have lots of active kids! If you allow your child to travel by bike/scooter we highly recommend the wearing of a helmet and ask that you check that clothing/decoration doesn't interfere with the mechanisms (brakes, wheels etc). We hope that you enjoy taking part and getting active on the school run!