



CPS News

10th 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.



DROP OFF AND PICK-UP TIMES

We understand that parents can be delayed but we regularly have a small number of children who are arriving late in the morning and being collected late in the afternoon. This causes a lot of disruption for class teachers. Please ensure you are on time. Thank you for your co-operation.

Belfast Giants Match

P4-7 children attending the Belfast Giant's match on Friday 20th October should meet at Sainsbury's at 5.50pm sharp. Parents must ensure that they are back at Sainsbury's to collect their children at 9.30pm. Children may bring a drink or sweets but it must fit in their coat pocket. They should not bring money as they will not be allowed to go to the shop.

School Promotional Film

Filming will take place on Friday 20th October. Please ensure you have returned the form informing us of whether or not your child is taking part.

Mile-A-Day Fitness

Last year we piloted this initiative and it had such a positive impact on the children, that we have implemented it again this year. It not only helped the children's fitness but had a positive effect on their focus and learning.

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!