

Weekly Newsletter 16th December 2009

Primary Disco - Thank you to everyone who attended the primary disco last night. Everyone had lots of fun and we managed to raise over €200 for charity. My thanks go out to class 5T for their wonderful decorations that made the hall look so Christmassy, and a big special thank you to all of the teachers and TA's who helped the night to run smoothly.

Christmas Fair – Children in Early Years up to year 2 came to shop at the fair today. Thank you to the year 5 and 6 pupils who helped act as personal shoppers! The fair raised 300 euro, which will be given together with the disco money to an animal protection and care charity here. They currently have 200 cats that are in need of a new loving home!

Merry Christmas – We would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a happy new year. See you in January 2010!

Healthy Holidays - As you will all have been aware we have had some pupils and staff affected by flu viruses this term, (both swine and seasonal flu). I would like to remind you all of the signs and symptoms, especially those of you who are travelling abroad for the Christmas Break. Please be aware that seasons across the world vary and therefore the country you maybe travelling to will have global viruses at different stages, and for this reason it is important that you remain vigilant and aware of the signs and symptoms-

Temp >38c, aching muscles and limbs, headache, cough (this can last a few weeks after other symptoms have gone), sore throat, some vomiting has been reported also.

If you or your family develop any of the above, rest and hydration are very important. Paracetamol should help with the fever and aches therefore it may be advisable to take some with you as a precaution.

On your return if your child displays any of the above symptoms; please do not send them into school until after 24 hours of being symptoms free. By doing this we hope to prevent a second wave of flu entering our school community. We will send children home who display any of these symptoms.
School Nurses.

Canteen – Forms went out this week and **MUST** be returned by tomorrow, the 17th to be able to have canteen lunches from January 4th. Pupils who are late returning forms will not be eating in the canteen for the first week back. Remember that the canteen will also be invoiced with the clubs and fun club from next term. Do not make a transfer yet!



Senior Football Match – Congratulations to the parents and staff who thrashed the kids team 6 – 1. Many thanks to the teachers and parents who volunteered to play, and to Mark Turner who kindly played in goal. There were no major first aid incidents and the teachers have almost stopped complaining about sore legs and aching muscles!! See you all next term!

After School Clubs – As stated last week the chess club (Mr Jones), Netball and the French cooking club will not continue after Christmas. Other clubs will be invoiced in January, and changes should have been notified by Friday 18th.

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Dates for your diary

16th December.....Year 6 singing in Place d'Armes

18th December 3pm.....School finishes – fun club is running!

4th January.....School re-opens

Paperwork issued to students this week

Snow list notices

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