

Macartan's Monthly
St. Macartan's School Newsletter
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Important Dates

- **Friday 25th** : Last day of term. School re-opens Monday 4th Nov, 9.10am.
- **Wednesday 23rd**- Parent/Teacher meetings- all children go home at infant time, 1.50pm.
- **Thursday 5th December**- Extra closure, staff training

Parent/Teacher meetings

Parent/ Teacher meetings will take place on Wednesday 23rd October. Appointment forms will be sent out shortly-as usual if this date doesn't suit we are flexible with morning/afternoon meetings on other days that week.

Advance Notice-Extra Closure

The school will be closed on Thursday 5th December as the staff must attend training on the new Primary Languages Curriculum.

Healthy Eating Week

Healthy Eating Week takes place last week. Please encourage your children to eat healthily as much as possible.

Parents' Association AGM

The AGM of the Parents' Association will take place this

Monday, 7th at 7pm. All are welcome to this meeting, and we encourage all, particularly new parents, to attend.

Whole School Evaluation (WSE)

We sincerely thank parents and children for their co-operation during the recent WSE. Initial feedback from inspectors, including parent surveys, is positive. We expect the full report to be published before Christmas.

Fancy dress (Trick or treat for Temple Street)

Children may wear fancy dress to school on the last day of term and may donate €2 (max €5 per family) for Temple Street Hospital. Please ensure though that children can move freely in costumes and that they aren't a trip hazard at break times!

Wainfest

Wainfest, the annual, free week-long event organised by Donegal County Libraries, starts next Monday. Children from different classes will be attending various events in Bundoran Library next week. This year, due to increased Data Protection, the library service required a signed form from every child. If your child brings home a form, please return it asap.