



Meeting 13-11-2024

Attending: Nichola, Rachel, Seana, Mairead, Joanne, Caitriona, Mark.

Halloween disco was great fun and attendance was high from all classes. Children had loads of fun and thanks to everyone who helped make the night so good.

Plans for rest of year:

- **Saul Call** – starts January 2025 and the call will be made on 5th February – 100th Day of the school year! Prize of £300 and £2 per entry. Nichola and Mark to sort tickets etc.
- **Step into Spring** – step challenge starting on 3rd March 2025. Emma Mount co-ordinating. Classes will have a challenge too – highest average steps per class wins a special prize – every class gets something.
- **Treat Day** – still TBC, but few ideas with visiting animals being favourite. Nichola checking this out.
- **Sponsored Walk** – TBC probably a Sunday in May (Linked to a local charity – Allergies NI.)
- **Summer Party** 24th June 2025.
- **Christmas** – Christmas Breakfast 1st December in school hall. 1000-1200. Santa's grotto, sausage baps, tea etc. Chocolate fountain and fruit, tombola, Christmas crafts for the children. £5 admission includes bap, drink, crafts and Santa visit. School open up at 0800 for preparation. Mark to get cups and send out appeal for prizes for Tombola asap. Lots of help needed to set up please.

Mark asked for a contribution from PTFA for:

P4-P7 workshops for Anti-Bullying Week and P1-P3 Hip n' Happy workshops that they will get in January. Cost approx. £1,000.

School organising two parent workshops:

- PSNI Online safety for parents before Christmas hopefully. This will be advertised around all of Lecale and everyone welcome to this. Would also be publicised via PTFA channels.
- Reading at home and school – targeted at P1-P4 parents but everyone very welcome.

Message to be shared with all of this info and appeal for help on 1st December.

Next meeting 15th January 2025.