



OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

A BUSY FIRST HALF TERM

Dear Parents and Guardians,

As we approach the end of October and the first half term of the school year, I want to take a moment to reflect on what has been a busy and rewarding few months here at school. From settling into new routines to celebrating the many achievements of our pupils both in and out of the classroom, it's been wonderful to see the enthusiasm and dedication of our entire school community.

THE GREAT TANNAGHMORE BAKE OFF

We were delighted to see the return of the Great Tannaghmore Bake Off. Thank you to all the adults and many many children who baked up a storm. Your entries wouldn't have looked out of place in the Bake Off tent! A big thank you to our friends from Cairde Éireann who had the difficult task of judging, I think they needed a lie down after that! Congratulations to all our worthy winners.



HALLOWEEN

Our Halloween Parade was a great success. Thank you to all our talented and creative family members who helped the children make so much of the day. Thank you to the Friends of Tannaghmore group who supplied the treat bags to our P1-P3 classes.



Mid Term Holiday

Monday 28th October - Friday 1st November inclusive



Parent Teacher Meetings

Monday 11th - Friday 22nd November



Christmas Fair

Sunday 8th December



Open Day for New P1 Pupils

Wednesday 11th December

CHRISTMAS FAIR & SANTA SUNDAY

Plans are well under way for our Christmas Fair & Santa Sunday. We've confirmed lots of stalls and have invited a certain special visitor to return to see us. If you know of anyone who might be interested in taking a stall please ask them to contact school for further details.

REMINDERS

- **Parent Teacher Meetings** The booking portal on the school website will open after the Halloween break. Parents will have a choice of phone call or face to face meetings.
- **Traffic Management** We continue to ask for your assistance in ensuring the safety of our children and school community. Please follow signs and the recently renewed road markings.
- **After School Activities** Clubs can now be booked for next half term. Check the school website for more details.

VISITORS

This month we were excited to welcome a number of visitors to share our vibrant learning community:

- NSPCC
- St Ronan's College Work Experience Students
- Our school nurse
- Helen McAlister - Road Safety Officer
- Our Educational Psychologist
- Cairde Éireann - Bake Off judges
- PSNI Firework Safety Talk
- Friends of Tannaghmore

THANK YOU

As the colder days set in and we head towards midterm break, I encourage everyone to enjoy some well-deserved rest and family time. Thank you for your continued support and partnership.

Kind regards,
Mrs Anne Davey
Acting Principal, Tannaghmore Primary School

