

School Starts At 9, Be On Time!

<u>Assembly</u>

This week was Family Friday. Thank you to all the parents who came into Junior - 2nd Class to spend time with the children this morning. A big thank you also to Julie who was our guest speaker in the senior assembly this morning. Julie spoke to the children about Humanism.

Just a reminder that tea/coffee will be available after each Family Friday from 10am -10.30am in the Work Together room (Máire's room). Everyone is welcome and it's a chance for parents to catch up with eachother.

Fun Friday!

Next week's Fun Friday is 'Bring a Board Game'.

<u>Gaeilgeoir na Seachtaine:</u>

Comhghairdeas le Cillian i Rang Lisa, le Erin i rang Verity, le Cyntia i rang Louise, le Saoirse i rang Síne, le Lila Grace i rang Mairéad, le Neisha i rang Stephanie, le Zuzia i rang Nakita agus le Roshni i rang Barbara.

Home school Community Liaison (HSCL)

Hi all, many thanks to Julie for visiting the senior assembly for Family Friday. The children learned lots about Humanism. Next week I have the Junior Infant parents visiting me to do one to one reading sessions in school. These classes are going very well so far. Both parent and child visit me for a 30 minute session and I talk through how we approach reading in our school. Our school are participating in a Sock appeal for the refugees in Lesvos in Greece. Our school will be collecting **new** adult/children socks for one week and will be posting them directly to the camps. If you'd like to be involved please contact Máire for further details. Parents Plus continues every Monday10.30am -12.30pm in the Central Library. Finally, maths classes are now full. If parents would like to sign up for the next 6 weeks in January please contact me and I'll put your name down. Have a great weekend. Máire

<u>Gaeilge Le Cheile</u>

Nakita (5^{th} class) will be hosting a Gaeilge Le Cheile class on Thursday 3^{rd} December from 6pm - 6.45pm. This class is for the parents and children in 5^{th} class and is aimed at helping parents to better support their children in the area of Gaeilge. Nakita hopes to see as many parents and children from her class as possible at this session.

Art Competition

Congratulations to Julia (5th Class) who was awarded 3rd place in the Letterkenny Christmas Art competition. Julia is a very talented artist and the competition was open to all school children in Letterkenny. She will receive her prize this evening at the switch on of the Christmas lights in the market square. Well done

Julia. We are very proud of you.

<u>Greetings/General/Christmas Cards</u>

All orders for cards must be returned to the school by Monday morning. The orders will be posted from the school on Monday to make sure that they arrive before the Winter break. There is no obligation on any family to order these cards and the cards will be blank on the inside to allow you to write your own message.

<u>School Photographs</u>

A sample of your child/children's photo were sent home today. If you would like to buy any of the photos the envelopes need to be returned to the school by next Thursday 3rd December. There is no obligation to purchase any photographs.