



# Newsletter

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## CHRISTMAS PANTO - Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2017

Invites were letter dropped within the village yesterday so hopefully parents have already had a look.

**\*\*Ae parents who want to accompany their child/children - please inform the school as soon as possible as we need to know how many tickets to purchase, and they need to be booked soon!\*\***

We have booked a 49 seater coach so there should be plenty of seats. However, I have already had enquiries from village residents and the invite extends to the pre-schoolers from Amisfield, so please take this into consideration and get in early! Many thanks.

Cost: The Community Council have been exceptionally generous and offered the following:-

To pay for all our pupils and 2 staff member tickets.

To pay for the coach hire.

To contribute £5.00 towards village resident, pre-school & parent/carer tickets.

I am awaiting confirmation of ticket price from the Box Office but the website states groups of 10+ cost £13.50 each. With the £5.00 contribution, additional tickets would therefore be **£8.50**. I will keep everyone up-to-date on this.



Hazel Cullen (School Clerk)

### PRIMARY 1, 2 & 3 - Farm to Fork Trip to Tesco. (10.45am - 12.30pm)

On **Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2017** the P1-3 children will visit the Tesco store at the Peel Centre as part of their Healthy Eating topic. They will have a tour of all the food related sections within the store, enjoy hands on experiences and even get a look behind the scenes! Transport will be by Mrs Leyva and Mrs Cullen therefore **CAR SEATS** need to be left at school on this morning. No car seat, no trip....sorry! The children will have drinks and snacks provided at Tesco.

**\*If you'd prefer to transport your own child please inform the school.\***

Mrs Scriven will be in school teaching the P4-7 pupils who are not attending the trip.

**Consultation meetings with HMI, Mr David Gregory, from Education Scotland  
Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> October – 2pm and 4pm:**

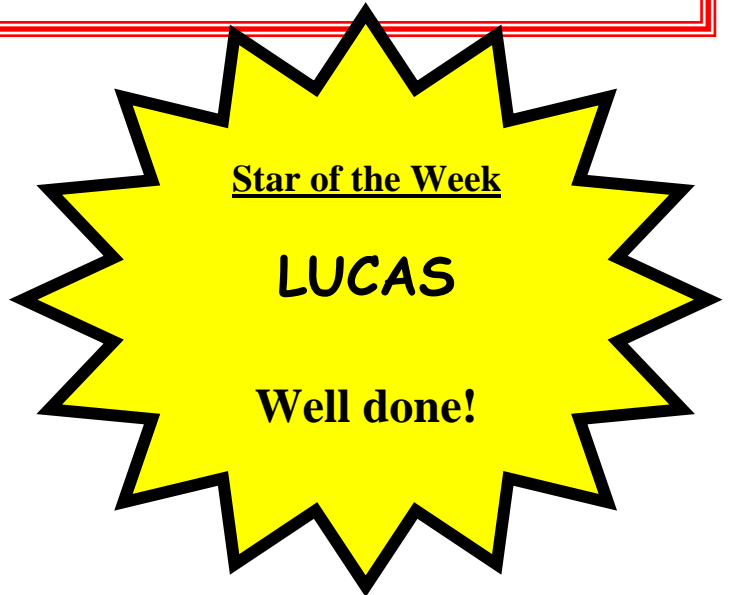
Please note that the following times during the school day to meet with Mr Gregory suited the following parents and will now take place at:

- 2.00pm – 2.45pm = Mr Fisher, Mrs Halliday, Ms Burgess and Ms Thomson
- 4.00pm – 4.45pm = Mr Magill, Mrs MacDonald and Mr Leyva

If you still need to confirm which time suits you or if you wish to arrange a discussion over the phone, please inform the School Office of the best time.




**Reminders.....Pupil Absence.**

Please contact the school by 9.30am, whenever possible, if your child will be absent from school due to ill health. If your child is to be absent during Term time to attend family events or go on holiday, parents are required to send a written request into school, for the attention of Mrs Scriven. Failure to do either will result in the pupil's absence being registered as 'unauthorised'.



**What's happening?**

**Week Beginning: Monday 2nd October 2017**

	Monday 2nd	Tuesday 3rd	Wednesday 4th	Thursday 5th	Friday 6th
Return	• <b>Friday Bag</b>				<b>Non-uniform Day Fitness Friday</b>
Bring to School	• <b>P.E Kit</b> • <b>Indoor Shoes</b> • <b>Lunch Money</b> • <b>Snack</b>				
Issued			<b>HOMEWORK</b>		
Teaching Staff	<b>Mrs Bell</b>	<b>Mrs Leyva Mrs Scriven</b>	<b>Mrs Leyva Mrs Bell Mrs Scriven</b>	<b>Mrs Leyva</b>	<b>Mrs Leyva</b>
Additional Staff	<b>Miss McAuley Art Specialist</b>		<b>Mrs Pritchard Learning Assistant</b>		<b>Mrs O'Coffey Learning Assistant</b>
Events & Activities	<b>ART (am)</b> 	<b>FEIS ROIS MUSIC (am)</b>  <b>P1-3 @ Farm to Fork, Tesco</b>	<b>Education Scotland Visit</b>  <b>Active Schools Jigs &amp; Reels 9.30-10.30</b>		<b>Active Schools (am)</b>  <b>P7 at Operation Safety</b>
After School activities					<b>Let's Get Sporty 3.15-4.15pm</b>