# Clare Primary School March Newsletter 2020



### Dear parents/guardians,

# Thank you for taking time to read the March Newsletter.

### **Dates for diary**

- SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPH RETAKES MONDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> MARCH, FAMILIES FROM 08:30
- Book Fair in school 26<sup>th</sup> February 3<sup>rd</sup> March.
- P1 P6 parent teacher interviews 2nd 6th March.
- Fairtrade Fortnight 24th February 6th March.
- World Book Day 5<sup>th</sup> March
- Waterbus for P6 and P7 10<sup>th</sup> March.
- School closed 16th and 17th March.
- Action Cancer visit 25<sup>th</sup> March.
- Mad Scientist Day 2<sup>nd</sup> April.
- School closes at 12 noon Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April, there will be no school dinners served.
- School closed for Easter 6<sup>th</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> April.
- School reopens after Easter Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April.

# **World Book Day**

On Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March we will be celebrating World Book Day. For the day, children will be encouraged to come to school dressed as a word, for example, illuminate – they could come dressed with little led lights on their clothes or a hat with light up shoes. Please use the opportunity to extend your child's vocabulary as they need to be able to explain what their word means and be able to spell it if possible.

### **School Photographs**

Opus photography will be retaking the school photographs for your children on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March. Please make sure your child (ren) attend school in full uniform on this day. Families are welcome to attend from 08:30.

### **Friends of Clare**

A meeting will be held in school in Room 1 (Miss Lindsay/Mrs Allen's room) at 7pm on Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> March. Please try to attend if you have half an hour to spare, you do not have to become a committee member to attend just interested in lending a hand at some events or sharing ideas. We hope to see as many people there as possible.

# **Book Fair**

Our book fair is here!! Feel free to have a browse with your children when you are in for photographs or parent teacher meetings, otherwise feel free to send in a little spending money for them to treat themselves. It is wonderful to watch them budget their money to get the treats they want.

### **Parent Teacher Meetings**

P1 to P6 parents are invited to interview  $2^{nd} - 6^{th}$  March. To accommodate this all children will finish school at 2pm.

# Friday Treat

To celebrate the end of our Fairtrade Fortnight the children are encouraged to bring in a treat of their choosing with a Fairtrade logo on it. We will then see the range of goods they are able to produce giving us a final discussion around the topic after all their studies and experiments over the last two weeks.

## **School Closures 2020-21**

Please look at the back of the newsletter for the holiday list for the next academic year to enable you to plan family holidays outside of term time.

Shona Lindsay Principal