



6th November 2018

BOOK FAIR

Thank you to everyone who supported our Book Fair before the half-term break. We hope you enjoyed the selection on offer and are delighted to report that £1806 was collected which resulted in the school being able to purchase many new books with the commission that was generated. Thanks to Janet and the parents who volunteered to help with this event for the benefit of the school.

POPIES

Poppies and associated merchandise are available this week and donations will be passed to the Royal British Legion. Please note that the purchase of poppies is completely voluntary. Any pupil wishing to purchase a poppy, or any of the associated merchandise, can do so from the school office at break time this week.

ANTI-BULLYING WEEK (12th - 16th November)

Next week we will once again be participating in Anti-Bullying Week. The children will be engaging in a range of activities that highlight this important topic to help them learn about the dangers and appropriate responses to deal with this issue.

NATIVITIES AND CAROL SERVICE DATES

P1-3 Nativity performances will be held in the school as follows:

- P1– Friday 7th and Tuesday 11th Dec at 10.00am
- P2 – Friday 7th and Tuesday 11th Dec at 11.00am
- P3– Wednesday 12th Dec at 9.30 and 11.00am

Nativity booking forms will be sent home in due course.

Unfortunately, due to industrial action impacting on some members of staff, our P4-7 Carol Service will once again be moved to during the school day. It will be held in Rosemary Presbyterian Church on **Monday 17th December (time will be finalised in due course)**.

More details will follow closer to the time and we hope as many parents as possible will be able to join us for these special events.

CHILDREN IN NEED

Friday 16th November - Children can 'Go Spotty for Pudsey' and raise money for a great cause. Wear school uniform, add something yellow or spots and dots and bring in a donation of any amount for Children in Need.

PANTOMIME VISIT

We are delighted to once again welcome the Panto Company back to school as an alternative to taking the children to one of the theatres in Belfast. They will be performing Robinson Crusoe on Tuesday 4th December in school at a cost of £3 per pupil which is much less expensive than travelling to the Grand Opera House or another commercial venue. Please send in this payment to school as soon as possible.

CHRISTMAS CARD ORDERS

Please note that Christmas card orders are due in by **Friday 16th November**. Please make any cheques payable to 'Cavehill Primary School Parent Teacher Association'. Please be aware that the printers will only accept orders for the gift tags, mugs and coasters if a set of cards has been ordered. Thank you for your continued support and Merry Christmas!

CHRISTMAS DINNER

Our school Christmas Dinner will be held on Friday 14th December. Booking forms will be sent home today and should be returned by Friday 30th November as School Meals need to have final numbers by this date to assist with ordering. Please return the form even if your child receives Free School Meals as we need to know how many to cater for on this date.

ANNUAL REPORT TO PARENTS

Please note that the Governors' Annual Report to Parents for 2017-18 is now available to view on the school web site. Please click on the Parents tab at the top of the home page and then you will see a tab for annual report along the left-hand side. Parents may also request a hard copy of this report by contacting the school office.

OPEN MORNING 2019

Due to changes to the application process for our September 2019 intake, we intend to hold our Open Morning after Christmas this year. More details will follow in due course.