

CAIRDE NA SCOILE Nuachtlitír Samhain 2015



Greetings to all from Cairde na Scoile! We are now well settled into the school year and the Cairde na Scoile committee has been busy planning lots of activities for the rest of the year. In this newsletter we've provided an update on all activities, please take particular note of the Run a Muck and Bags 2 School information!

The Halloween Disco – a great success!

The Halloween Disco was a great success again this year. Many thanks to everybody who helped out in the run up and on the day. The children really enjoyed themselves and we raised an impressive €1,636.50.

Bag 2 School

We will be running the Bag 2 School collections again this year following a great success last year. Bag 2 School is a textile collection initiative which is aimed at helping schools like ours to fundraise for worthwhile causes. To find out more about Bag 2 School, see their website http://www.bag2school.ie/irl/about_us/.

Bags will be distributed in the children's schoolbags this week. To participate, please fill the bag and return it to the office before Thursday 26th November.

The following items are all acceptable for inclusion in the Bag 2 School bags:

- · Men's, Ladies and Children's clothing
- Paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around)
- Handbags
- Hats
- Bags
- Scarves and ties
- Jewellery
- Lingerie
- Belts
- Soft toys
- Mobile phones
- Tablets
- Digital cameras



Please drop your full Bag 2 School sack to the school office

no later than Thursday November 26th!

Run a Muck!

Cairde na Scoile will be supporting a team of 32 parent volunteers taking part in the Run a Muck challenge on March 5th 2016! This will be an exciting fundraising event and a great opportunity for 32 parents / aunts / uncles / teachers to get involved and fly the flag for GSBB. If you would like to be part of the GSBB team, please get in touch with Keira or Eve from the Cairde team, contact details below:

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Christmas Cards 2015

The Christmas Cards 2015 samples have already been shared in the children's folders. To order cards, please return the order form and money in an envelope to the office by Thursday, 19th November. Please note that we cannot accept late orders.

2016 Calendars

We are working on the 2016 GSBB calendars. When they are ready in December, we will share a copy in your child's schoolbag and you will have the option to purchase at that time.

Get Involved – Volunteer!

If you would like to get involved with any of the events this coming year; helping out on the day (i.e. setup, serving teas/coffees, clearing up, collecting funds, selling tickets etc.) please let us know – we'd be delighted to have you!

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