

Tipperty School

Newsletter

October 2015



Harvest Festival



Thanks to all who attended our end of term Harvest Celebration and contributed to our collection for Ellon Food bank. Two members of the Ellon Food Bank attended our service and were presented with the collection.



October 100 Club Winners

£25 – Rita Taylor (64)

£15 – William Willox (14)

£10 – Virgie Paterson (99)

Bingo Evening

A Bingo evening is being held on Friday 6th November to which all families, friends and members of the community are welcome to attend. The money raised is for the school fund. Eyes down 7pm.

Diary Dates

This term looks like being very busy as usual. Below are diary dates of events and activities we will be having this term.

30th October- Hallowe'en Party

6th November - Bingo Night

13th November - Children in Need

16th November - In-service Day

17th November - In-service Day

29th November - Christmas Fair

12th December - Selling raffles at Costcutters

15th December - Pantomime

16th December - Christmas Concert (evening)

18th December - Christmas Service (am)

18th December - Draw for raffle

22nd December - Christmas party (pm)

Bags-2-School

Can I remind you that the Bags-2-School collection is due on Tuesday 10th November. Please hand in any bags you have on Monday 9th November from 3.15 to 6pm or on Tuesday 9th November before 9am. Thank you.

Raffles

I hope you are managing to sell your raffle books. If any parent requires more please get in touch. Thanks for money already received. We can sell raffle tickets at Costcutters on Saturday 12th December. A request for volunteers will be going out nearer the time.

Adverse Weather Conditions

It's that time of year when snow can arrive and the school may need to be closed or partially closed. The Aberdeenshire Weather website has been updated and can be found on the website

www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/closures

Parents can also continue to use the School Information Line. The Telephone Information Line number is **0870 054 4999** and Tippetty PIN number is **02 2700**.

Information also goes directly to the Local radio and they will announce the school status.

If a parent is concerned about the weather and road conditions please keep your child at home but let us know at school.

Also if parents are dropping children off in snowy weather please check a member of staff has arrived at school. Staff could be stuck in the traffic due to the weather.

If school transport is not running, please do not take your child(ren) to school yourself, unless it is safe to do so. If you do take your child(ren) to school, you must also be able to collect them at the end of the day.

Haddo



Primary 4-6 attended a drama and story-telling workshop at Haddo House before the holidays. The children enjoyed dressing up, role playing life downstairs long ago and meeting the Laird of Haddo.

Football



The footballers have been presented with a very smart strip sponsored by Connon Coal and Gas.

The team has also won two trophies this session. They won the Strathythan Outdoor League Cup and also the Knock-Out Shield. Well done to the team and coaches!

Attachments

- Ranger events

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Lorna Dawson'.

Lorna Dawson
Head Teacher