

Newsletter November 2016

Parent Teacher Meetings

Many thanks to all the parents who attended Parent/Teacher meetings last week. If you were unable to attend please contact the class teacher to reschedule a time that suits you.

Book Fair

A Book Fair will be held in both buildings from Monday 5th December to Friday 9th December. This is a great opportunity to buy books for your child or even for Christmas presents! Parents in the Convent Building may accompany children to the Book Fair on the mornings of Tues 6th, Wed 7th and Thurs 8th from 8:50 to 9:00. Children may also buy books at lunchtime. 4th, 5th & 6th classes will be able to buy books at lunchtime in the Tubber Road Building.

On Wednesday 7th the Convent Building will be open from 7pm to 8pm for any parents who wish to visit the fair. We would encourage you to support this event as 40% of funds raised will be given back to the school in the form of library books. Happy Reading!

Reminder Lenrec Clothing Collection

Please donate any rewearable clothes, paired shoes, handbags, towels, curtains etc to Gort National School BEFORE 9:30 am on 7th December 2016. This will raise much needed funds for our school.

Parents Council Training

On Monday 12th December at 7:30pm in the Tubber Road Building there will be training for the setting up of a Parents Council. Helen Butler from the National Parents Council will speak to you the parents. Hopefully there will be a good attendance. The next step after that training will be to set up a committee and it is hoped to do this early in the New Year.

Code of Behaviour

The staff and Board of Management have reviewed the Code of Behaviour and it is available on the school website (www.gortns.ie). The children from 1st to 6th class will now need to return the attached slips to the school at your earliest convenience please.

Temple Street Collection & Toy Donations

Ms Fahy (Junior Infant Teacher) organised a Halloween Dress up and raised €210 for Temple Street Hospital for Sick Children. Well done to all! Ms Fahy would also like to thank all the children who donated toys and books to the school.



Christmas Celebration

On Thursday 15th December children in Junior Infants, Senior Infants and 1st Class will perform plays. Junior Infants will perform at 10:00, Senior Infants at 10:45 and 1st Class at 11:30. You are most welcome to come along and enjoy the performances in the GP Room upstairs in the Convent Building.