

# TOREAGH PRIMARY SCHOOL

## **Child Protection/Safeguarding Team**

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### **Monday 25<sup>th</sup> – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> October 2021**

Half Term – School closed  
I hope everyone has an enjoyable half term break. Please take care and stay safe.

I cannot believe that the first term is over! It has been a busy term and I am so proud of our children and staff. As parents your support has again been second to none, especially in regard to our Covid regulations. Positive cases among school age children remain high in NI and our risk assessment will remain in place as we move into the winter.

Please continue to inform me of any positive Covid cases up to and including Monday 25<sup>th</sup> October.  
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### **Parent Interviews**

Thank you for taking the time to speak to your child's teacher this week. One or two teachers were unable to get some parents on the phone, so please contact the office to rearrange.

### **Sponsored Fundraising Event**

Our children have been doing plenty of walking this week and all the classes have successfully completed their Walkathon Challenge. Well done everyone! Super job!

Any sponsor money should be brought to school on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2021 please, if you haven't already sent it in. We really appreciate your support and look forward to getting some new numeracy equipment.

### **Restocking Pencil Cases P3-P7**

Some of the children need to get some new pencils or glue. It would be great if you could restock these things please.

### **Anti- bacterial Wipes**

Our covid budget has been cut and we would really appreciate if you could send in a few more packets of antibacterial wipes. Many thanks to those who have already done so.

### **Friday 5<sup>th</sup> November 2021**

Flu vaccination by School Nurse.

### **Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2021**

AQE familiarisation Day at Larne Grammar School for P7 children

### **Christmas Cards**

Christmas card proofs and details of how to order, should you wish to, will be sent home on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2021.



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**The Main Event.  
Saturday 30 October, 2pm-6pm  
Carnfunnock, Larne**

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**Halloween is coming! Gigantic Monsters will be brought to life while kings and knights of old fight to rule Carnfunnock this Halloween. The family-friendly afternoon of free entertainment will run from 2-6pm on Saturday 30 October.**

Dare to go north of the walled garden on a quest for the throne and enter the **Maze of Enchantment**, enjoy a **magical circus show** courtesy of Northern Ireland's greatest showman Peter Corry, listen to spooky stories or create your own piece of Halloween art.

Come in disguise and take part in the **fancy dress competition** at 4.45pm in the Walled Garden. The competition is open to all ages.

Bring your **Jack O lantern** to help brighten up the afternoon and scare off the odd ghost! You can leave it for safekeeping with the Guardian of the Pumpkin Patch in the Walled Garden. The best lantern will win a prize.

Carnfunnock has been tormented by a **huge giant** and he will be climbing down a beanstalk into Carnfunnock at 5.40pm for the lighting of a **spectacular fire sculpture**, created by outdoor arts company Walk the Plank. Get ready to see something scary, meet the friendly reptiles on display, owls for the Harry Potter fans amongst you, arts, crafts and lots of live music to get your mini monsters mashing.

Remember this is an outdoor event so dress accordingly. If you choose to walk into the park from Drains Bay Car Park, use the path and bring a torch, as it may be getting dark from 6pm.

Changing Places facilities are available at this event.

## FREE PARK AND RIDE

- A free park and ride bus service sponsored by Translink and Caterpillar will operate from Caterpillar, Old Glenarm Road. It will take you straight into the Park.
- All buses are pram and wheel chair friendly.
- Buses will run regularly from 1.30pm - 7pm.
- Another bus will be in operation from Larne Bus Depot at 1.30pm, 2.30pm, and 3.30pm. The last bus for this service will leave the park at 7pm.

## PARKING

- You will need a special ticket if you want to park in Carnfunnock Country Park for this event.
- Vehicles will not be able to access to the park without this ticket.
- Tickets are £5 limited to 1 per household.
- To get your Halloween at Carnfunnock car parking tickets, please visit: <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/larnearts>
- A limited number of free blue badge holder tickets are available.
- To claim your free blue badge ticket please email a copy of your Blue Badge to: [lbcreception@midandeastantrim.gov.uk](mailto:lbcreception@midandeastantrim.gov.uk)

## EVENT PHOTOGRAPHY

- There will be an official photographer at the event. Anyone who appears in photographs agrees to do so by attending the event. If you are unhappy to be photographed, please contact the Event Controller at the Visitor Centre on arrival to the site.

## COVID 19 Advice

- It is strongly recommended that anyone attending the event should take a Lateral Flow Device test (LFD) no more than 24 hours before they attend and on days two and eight after the event. If you have any signs or symptoms or feel unwell, you should not attend and should follow the advice found at the NI Direct website.

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