



# St Brigid's Newsletter

## November 2017



### OPEN NIGHT

St Brigid's Primary School  
2 Rathkeltair Road  
Downpatrick

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December from  
6.30pm – 8.00pm

Principals address 6.45pm in school hall

For the parents/guardians of  
children who will be going into  
Primary One in September 2018

The Open Night for Parents who are considering enrolling their child in P1 for September 2018, will be held on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December from 6.30pm to 8.00pm. The deadline for submission of applications is **12.00 noon on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2018.**

The children will be off on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December for the Feast of the Immaculate Conception.

We had a number of winners in this year's Credit Union Art competition they were:

Saffron Murphy, Eoin Cullen, Bella Cornwell & Jonah Sharvin



The School Nurse will be here on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> Dec administering Flu Vaccines



The children from P1 to P3 will be staging their nativity productions on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December and again on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December. The P1 children will be performing at 9.30am. This will be followed at 10.00am by the P2 and P3 production of 'It's a Party' which should last approximately 35 minutes. You are all welcome to attend one or both parts.

## Christmas Bazaar

The Parents Association has organised a Christmas Fair for Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> December from 11.00am to 2.00pm.

This event has been a great success in past years and with your support it will be another great success this year.

We are very pleased to have the author, Declan Carville, in the school in the week beginning 20<sup>th</sup> November to take creative writing sessions with the children. This is a great chance for the children to let their imaginations flow!



Whilst we greatly appreciate your thoughtfulness and kindness, we would request that the children do not bring in Christmas presents for staff. If your child wishes to bring in something for a member of staff, a simple Christmas card would be greatly appreciated.

The children's Christmas Dinner will be on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December for P1 to 6 and Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December for P7's..

Mr Artherton would like to express his sincere thanks to all of you who expressed your condolences on the recent passing of his father. It was greatly appreciated.

Pupil of the Month focus for October was 'Caring for the Environment'. The winners from each class were:

P1Y Aiden Ghosh

P1Y/2 Olivia Gracey

P2 Dara Fennell

P3 Niamh Boyd

P3/4 Jonah Sharvin

P4 Eoin Mulligan

P5 Patrick Gilgunn

P5/6 Krista Zvine

P6 Imogen O'Kane Duffy

P7 Elana Mulholland