



6th November 2017

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome back after the Hallowe'en break. The following items are coming up this month in school.

Wednesday 8th November

Do This In Memory Meeting - the Do This In Memory meeting for parents of pupils making their first communion in second class takes place in the school hall at 7.30pm. Our new parish priest, Fr. Dwayne Gavin, will be in attendance.

Friday 10th November

Christmas Concert Preparation - this year again, the school will be hosting Christmas concerts in St. Patrick's Church, Slane in December. Pupils in junior infants, first, third and fifth classes will perform on Monday the 18th of December and pupils from senior infants, second, fourth and sixth classes will perform on Tuesday the 19th of December. Preparation for the concerts begins this week. I would sincerely like to thank Mr. Gerry Kelly and the teachers in school for all their planning for these events.

Shoe Box Appeal - shoebox leaflets are being distributed today to pupils. Anybody who is interested in filling a shoebox for the Hope Shoebox Appeal can drop them to the Slane Youth Café this Friday morning between 9am and 10am.

Thursday 23rd November

Parent Teacher Meetings - School will close at the earlier time of 2.45pm on this day in advance of meetings. Teachers will be in touch early next week with times for each individual meeting.

Swimming and GAA Coaching

Swimming begins this week for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 5th classes. Many thanks to the volunteer parents who are giving up their time to assist with staff at the swimming pool. GAA coaching, courtesy of Slane GAA club, will be taking place with coach Eoin Feeley for junior infants, senior infants, 4th and 6th classes for the next few weeks also.

Regards,

Paul O'Donnell

Principal

On behalf of the Board of Management

