

## Newsletter 25/09/2018

- Welcome back to Miss Quinn in the senior infants classroom. We also welcome Miss Murphy who will be on Teacher Placement in Miss Quinn's classroom for the next four weeks.
- We also welcome Miss O'Brien back this Thursday to the 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> classroom. Many thanks to Miss Devlin who taught the class for the last 3 weeks.
- Miss Dalton our Support Teacher has returned to St. Patricks College of Education for further studies in the area of Learning Support in a Primary School setting. She will have three study block units to complete in the 2018/19 schoolyear. Fortunately Mrs McCarthy is available to take on the support teacher role while Miss Dalton is on study leave.
- The Dental forms have been distributed to all parents/guardians of pupils in 1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> classes. The HSE have given us an undertaking that last year's 1<sup>st</sup> class pupils, who did not receive dental checks due to a lack of resources and personnel, will be offered a dental check later this schoolyear.
- Sam Wall, a pupil in 4<sup>th</sup> class, has been chosen to dance in Euro Disney, Paris at the October midterm break. There is a considerable cost involved in purchasing the costumes needed to participate in this event. Therefore the school is encouraging all the boys and girls in Boyerstown School to wear their PJs, an onesie or a jersey to school this Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September and to bring €2.00 to school to support Sam. We wish Sam the very best on what will be a very special and memorable experience for him.
- Confirmation has been confirmed for Friday February 8<sup>th</sup> 2019 in Bohermeen Church @ 3pm for all the 6<sup>th</sup> class pupils in Boyerstown, Bohermeen and Cortown.
- First Holy Communion for the Pupils in 2<sup>nd</sup> class will take place on Saturday May 11<sup>th</sup> @ 11am in Boyerstown Church.
- Best of luck to our boys' football team who play Bellewstown N.S. on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> September @ 1.30pm in Bellewstown. The girls' team has a bye this week and will play Kilbride N.S. next week.
- Damien Healy, from Meath Coaching and Games, has been appointed as GAA Coach to Boyerstown School for the coming year. This has been facilitated by our local GAA Club St. Ultans/Cortown Gaels. Many thanks to the club for providing this coaching for our pupils. Damien will visit the school each Wednesday morning from 9.30am to 12noon.

Regards,

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