

#### **BALLYLIFFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL**

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# Halloween Activities

Dear Parents,

Please take note of the following activities taking place week beginning Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> October, in the lead up to our Halloween break.

# 1. Pumpkin Parade

On Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> October we will be having a 'Pumpkin Parade' in our dinner hall. Each family is invited to send in one carved / painted / dressed up / modified pumpkin which will be on display from Wednesday afternoon until Friday lunch time. Parents and family members will have opportunity to come and see all our pumpkins on display when collecting the children at home time on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October.

Each class (P1- P7) will hold a vote for their favourite pumpkin and the top 3 in each class will be entered into a draw for some Halloween goodies!

## 2. Spooky Story / Picture Competition / Colouring competition

A homework task for that week will involve the children in P1-P2 colouring in a Halloween picture, P3-P4 pupils can draw a spooky Halloween picture and P5-P7 pupils are asked to write a spooky Halloween story. All pictures, and stories will be displayed throughout the school. All stories, colouring competition pictures and Halloween posters should be with your child's class teacher no later than Thursday 25th October. This will be an excellent homework activity for all parents to get involved and assist their child / children.

## 3. Friends of Ballylifford PTA Halloween Fancy Dress & Movie Night

Our PTA are holding a Halloween Fancy Dress & Movie Night in school on Thursday  $25^{\text{th}}$  October from 6.00pm – 8:00pm. Entry is £3 per child which will include chips and a drink. We hope everyone can make it to kick off the PTA activities for the year.

Yours sincerely,

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