

## **Weekly Newsletter**

## Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2019

Date	Event	Year Group	Time	
8 <sup>th</sup> January	Spanish	Whole School	Afternoon	
9 <sup>th</sup> January				
10 <sup>th</sup> January	Traditional Music Lessons with Mr Glasgow	P4-7	Afternoon	

- The Staff of Ballyhackett would like to wish you a Happy New Year. We welcome all the pupils back to school and hope that you all had a lovely break.
- I want to thank everyone who took the time to complete the Consultation Responses and submitted them by the deadline of 4<sup>th</sup> January. I also wish to thank everyone who took the time to sign the petitions. The Board of Governors and staff appreciate your support and will keep you updated on the outcome of this initial phase of the Consultation.
- The Eco Council would like to reduce the amount of paper used. The school newsletter is posted on the school website every week. If you would be happy to view the newsletter this way or sent the newsletter by email, could you please complete and return the reply slip below?
- Congratulations to the boys and girls of Primary 2 and 3 who contributed to the "Little Kidders!" slot. They were marvellous!
- Many local Post Primary Schools are holding their Open Nights in the coming weeks. Parents of
  Primary Six and Seven pupils may wish to visit some of the local schools. The Department has
  published advice for the parents of children in Primary Six.
  The leaflet is also available to download from the Department's website at
  <a href="https://www.education-ni.gov.uk/publications/advice-parents-children-primary-6">https://www.education-ni.gov.uk/publications/advice-parents-children-primary-6</a>.
- The EA website for Primary One admissions crashed when it went live last week. If you know of any Primary One parents who are having difficulty with the admissions process, or would like help, tell them to contact myself or Mrs McGinley.

I would be happy to view the weekly newsletters on the school website and not receive a paper copy of the school newsletter.

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