

# Spittal Primary School November 2015 Newsletter





Halloween was certainly a spooky affair at Spittal Primary last week - we had ghosts, ghouls and witches along with some other fantastic costumes - " a vending machine", "Barbie on TV " and a few"Minions" to mention but a few. Well done to all the children for dressing up and participating in our Halloween Sponsored Disco. A very big **Thank You** to parents and friends who sponsored the children. We raised in excess of £1000 which will be used to provide the children with various extras including Christmas treats.

To see photographs of the Halloween Sponsored Disco and any other Spittal Primary Events, please visit our school website *www.spittal-pri.s-lanark.sch.uk* 

Harvest Assembly A very big well done to our Primary 5 class who led our Harvest Assembly. The" Ready Steady Cook " themed assembly was superb! Thanks for your generous food donations which have been passed on to the City Mission to help those less fortunate.

<u>Our Fireworks Assembly</u> led by <u>Primary 3</u> was also fantastic! The children taught us about the Firework Code in a fun and memorable way. A very big well done to both classes who were confidant and enthusiastic. Primary 7 will be leading our **Remembrance** Assembly on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> November. Parents of P7 pupils are welcome to attend at 10.45am.

**Remembrance Day - Wed.** 11<sup>th</sup> November. Primary 7 have been learning about World War 2 and within that they have learnt about Remembrance Day. Primary 7 are going around classes with Poppies. All donations will be sent to the Poppy Scotland Appeal.



#### Rag Bag Fundraising.

Our Parent Council organised a rag bag pick up last month and we are just waiting on the cheque which will go toward the Parent Council Fund which provides lots of extra treats for the children. Thank you for your donations.

## Parents Evening Wed.4<sup>th</sup> November 2016

All children should have brought home appointment slips for Parents Evening on Wednesday. We look forward to meeting with you then and sharing your child's learning with you.

Book Fair - All classes will have the opportunity to

visit the Book Fair this week. Books and stationery will be on sale at Parents' Evening and on Thursday morning .



### <u>School Photographs – Monday 16<sup>th</sup> November</u>

The photographer will be in school to take individual photographs of children in P1, P4 and P7. Family Group photographs can also be taken. Class

photographs of all classes will also be taken. Please look out for the letter re photographs coming out next week.



#### Hot Chocolate Homework Club



All parents and children are welcome to drop in to our Homework Club on a Monday from 3pm - 4pm in the dinner hall - get the homework done and have some well earned Hot Chocolate and biscuits!

#### Mon 16<sup>th</sup> November – Anti Bullying Week

There will be a whole school focus on anti - bullying during this week with lots of class discussions and activities to promote respect, tolerance and co operation as well as talking to the children about what to do if they are being bullied.