LISBURN CENTRAL PRIMARY SCHOOL AND NURSERY UNIT

FRIDAY NEWSLETTER 23/09/22

PTF Meeting

A **PTF** meeting will take place on **Tuesday 4th October at 7pm**. Everyone is welcome! I would like to encourage as many as possible to get involved this year. The PTF raises much needed funds to provide resources in school. Please consider offering to help?

P.1 Staying Late

The P.1 school day will be extended to 2:00pm from **Monday 3rd October**. School dinner will be available (cost £2.60p per day) and should be paid at the beginning of each week. Your child may bring a packed lunch if preferred.

Pupil Council Elections

Pupil council elections took place today in Years 4 to 7. Congratulations to all those elected:

P4 - Andrew W
Chloe L
P5 - Curtis A
Sarah L
P6 - Daniel C
Lily B
P7 - Kajas K
Billie N

LilyT

Parent Information Sessions

Thank you to all parents who attended the information sessions this week. You have also received leaflets on child protection, positive behaviour, anti-bullying and Esafety. Please complete the final page in the Esafety booklet by signing the agreements with your child and return this page to school.

We will send home these booklets to those who were unable to attend.

School Trips

As a school we are very aware of the cost of living at the moment. This has had a huge impact on the cost of transport for school trips. We recognise that school trips are an important part of the children's education, but we are concerned that costs this year will be significantly increased. For this reason, I would like to ask parents to complete the short survey which you have been sent through Seesaw, so that we can review future planned trips.

Some people have had difficulty with the link to complete the survey. We will resend on Monday. Thank you.

School money

Please ensure **ALL bookings** are made by midnight on Sunday for the week ahead so we can plan staffing levels for the week.

DE Review of Childcare Services

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - REVIEW OF CHILDCARE SERVICES - SURVEY

A review of childcare services in Northern Ireland, commissioned by the Department of Education, wants to hear from parents, carers and others in the sector. The review wants to understand the current state of the childcare sector in Northern Ireland, including the supply and demand of childcare services, their accessibility and affordability. The review will involve surveys and focus groups or interviews with parents, carers, childcare providers and other people within the childcare sector. Parents and carers of children aged between 0 and 14 years of age in Northern Ireland can have their say in this survey (your answers are anonymous):

https://tinyurl.com/mrc7dskp?fbclid=lwAR1mTNrzcCkLmbRaOvJdTc3CB83HtkMIBCRqROV5KvUaZFSjzlonTspi1fg

The survey will close on 30th September 2022.

Cycle to school week 3rd - 7th Oct



More information to follow.

Parent/ Teacher Interviews

Parent/Teacher interviews are planned for week beginning **24th October.** More information to follow.

P7 participated in Coding Week hosted by Nerve Belfast





Restart a Heart Day

Bow Street Mall 15th -16th October



After School Clubs

Teacher led clubs begin on Monday 26th September. Children have received confirmation slips this week.

Monday - Netball

Tuesday - Hockey, Scripture Union

Thursday - Football

Dates Ahead

Thursday 29th September - Football Tournament

3rd Oct - 7th Oct Cycle to School week

4th Oct - PTF Meeting

10th Oct - Gardening Workshops

10th - 14th Oct NSPCC Assemblies

24th - 27th Oct Parent/Teacher Interviews

28th Oct - School Training Day