

Dunoon Primary School

Happy New Year

Issue

Winter 2016

October 2015

P4-P7 Halloween Party

Thursday the 29th of October saw many strange creatures enjoying a night of spooky fun at our annual Hallowe'en Party. Goey "Feely Boxes", delicious sugar doughnuts & dookin' for Autumn apples, not to mention groovy dancing were the order of the night!



November 2015 - CHILDREN IN NEED P.7 Enterprise Activity On Thursday the 12th of November P.7 pupils & staff held a super "Bake & Goods Sale" in our GP room & were beavering away from about 8am until lunchtime. Working as keen team members they arranged and displayed many tempting homemade cakes, biscuits & tablet, most of which were baked by themselves, Mrs A Macdonald & Mrs Hamlet. Visiting classes from around the school also got the opportunity to buy lovely pupil made badges & bookmarks. An amazing £928.47 was raised on the day.



AFTER SCHOOL / LUNCH TIME CLUBS 2016



Following on from Mrs Cairns' successful **BLANKET APPEAL** to help victims of the Nepal earthquake she has decided to set up a monthly After School Charity Club where volunteer pupils from P4-P7 can encourage others to donate unwanted warm items of clothing & organise these to be sent abroad to people in need. Other After School Clubs which are soon to be offered include karate, ukulele and ICT.

Christmas Concert

Our wonderful talented pupils from the Nursery to P7 rose to the challenge of wishing all parents & some friends of the school a **Very Merry Christmas** during both an afternoon and evening performance on the 17th of December 2015.

Each class sang their choice of festive cheer which also included songs from our choir & non choir French group. What a super whole school event

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organised by Mrs M. Macdonald!



COWAL SPEECH COMPETITION RESULTS



Once again we are very proud to announce that our pupils did extremely well in the annual Cowal Speaker's competition. Our school's finalists were Callum Crofts, Piper Purdie, Connor Drummond and Kate Low who was our reserve. All four finalists entertained a packed audience with their varied & interesting speeches and the judges had a very difficult job to decide on the overall winner. Callum Crofts with his speech about his love of Lego was declared to be the winner out of about 200 entries from local schools. **WELL DONE CALLUM!**



PLEASE SAVE THE DATE for our



Friday 26th February

10.00am – 3.00pm

& Evening Ceilidh

7.30pm- 11.30pm





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DECEMBER

P7/6 AND P6/5 POP UP SHOP ENTERPRISE



OFFICE NOTE:

Important Could all parents please note that our school office is very busy and we always endeavor to pass on telephone messages to pupils regarding changes to end of the day travel arrangements etc. if and when they occur. However we would appreciate if these could be kept to a minimum.

Mrs Simeone & Mrs Munro's classes were very busy indeed during the month of December designing & making items to sell at their 60's themed **POP UP SHOP** held at The Brae's. They sold lovely recycled clocks & blackboards which they made out of old vinyl records, pens, raffle tickets etc and earned a **whopping £717** which will go to help them organise an exciting school trip. They decided to celebrate by having their Christmas Party in The Brae's and danced the night away to fantastic 60's music presented live by two members of Dunoon

Radio.

