

Dear Parents and Carers,

Over the last few weeks, I have been meeting with all class teachers to discuss learners progress and the next steps for term 3. This is a crucial part of the learning, teaching and assessment cycle as well as our ongoing quality assurance process. As part of next week's Parents' Evenings, class teachers will be able to discuss where your child is on their learning journey as well as any support or challenge they are providing. Each 1-1 meeting should be no longer than 10 minutes and I would respectfully ask that you keep to these timings as this helps the evenings run smoothly. Children are more than welcome to attend with you and be part of the conversation, however all children must be supervised at all times. There is no access to the rest of the building during this event as this is being used by the out of school care provider.

Our Parent Association will be hosting a uniform recycling station at both Parents' nights and I would encourage families to use this facility. As a Laudato Si School, we are trying to follow Pope Francis' mission and care for our environment by reducing waste and recycling when we can.

Our P4 learners have been participating in The Beat Buddies Music Programme and our P1-3 learners and the P4 parents were privileged to watch their performance today. It was full of energy and highly entertaining. Thank you to Graeme Barclay from Beat Buddies for all his hard work.

A huge congratulation to our P6 learners who represented St Nicholas' at the Euroquiz this week. Freya, Kaine, Murray and Ayden held their own in a very competitive quiz and we are extremely proud of them. In addition to this, 12 learners from P7 participated in a local debating competition with a number of other schools from Bearsden and Milngavie. This was a great experience and all children delivered excellent speeches and ideas. Well done everyone.

Just a reminder as part of our Lenten Journey our Junior Management Team are organising a PJ and Movie afternoon for SCIAF on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> of March. Children are asked, if they can, to bring a small monetary donation on this day.

Finally have a lovely weekend, and a great Easter break when it comes!

Charlotte Grogan

### **Dates for your diary**

Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> March	Parents Evening (5pm- 7.30pm)
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	Parents Evening (3.15pm- 5.45pm)
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	JMT PJ and Movie Day
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	School closes at 2.30pm for Easter Holiday
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> April	School Reopens

