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Wednesday 8th February 2023

Dear Parents.

Upcoming Strike Action

By now you will be aware of the upcoming Strike Action planned by a number of Trade Unions, for Tuesday 21st February 2023. As our teaching staff are members of The Irish National Teachers' Organisation, it is highly likely that they will be unavailable for work on this day until 12noon. As a result of this strike action, school will not open until 12noon for all pupils on Tuesday 21st February. Children who are unable to attend school on this day will be marked present using the appropriate code for strike action. School meals will be available on this day for children entitled to Free School Meals. All other children should bring on a packed lunch.

Superhero Day

We have been celebrating Autism NI's Superhero Week in school and at home. Children are asked to come to school on Friday dressed as a Superhero and make a donation to Autism NI.

P6 Parent Meeting

P6 parents are invited to a meeting on Tuesday 14th February at 3.15pm to discuss the Transfer Process.

Midterm Break

School will be closed Thursday 16th - Monday 20th February 2023. Reopening at 12noon on Tuesday 21st February.

P7 Post Primary Applications

P7 parents are reminded that the Post Primary Transfer portal closes on Thursday 23rd February at 4pm.

Weekly swimming lessons will commence on Friday 24th February for P3-4 pupils. Please ensure your child can undress, dry and dress themselves for swimming. We ask that children make a £2 donation towards transport costs.

Assembly

P5-6 pupils will present their assembly on Friday 24th February at 1.15pm. Everyone is very welcome to attend.

If you have any further questions do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Matina Madin

Mrs Martina Martin PRINCIPAL