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Robertstown National School

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Dear Parents,

The PA Committee has received incredible support over the past week while selling tickets for our Christmas Raffle. Thank you to all teachers, school staff, children, parents, guardians, grandparents and extended families who have been so generous. The raffle draw will take place this **Friday morning** in the school under the supervision of Mr. O'Donoghue & staff. We plan to use Zoom to broadcast the draw to all classes in school. We will first hold the 'Sellers Prize' draw. Three children will win €30 Smyths voucher. Immediately following we will have the raffle draw. Winners name's, ticket numbers & prizes will be posted to the school website by Friday afternoon. Prizes can be collected from the school on Monday 20th. Thank you to everybody who has returned their tickets last week. We will need the remaining tickets returned to the school by Wednesday 15th. Good Luck everybody! Lots of nice prizes to be won!



Fabulous Prizes!

2 Samsung Tablets

€250 One4all Voucher

iPad 128GB worth €500

Porche Driving Experience

Children's Bicycle, Pamper Gifts

€150, Lunch at Osprey Hotel, Bathroom

mirror system €275, 1 year free Gym Membership

Meal for 2 Westgrove Hotel, Wine, Afternoon Tea Killashee

Hotel, Mounted Print, Chocolates & Candle, His & Her Hampers

Shopping Vouchers/Restaurants worth €250, 5 fitness classes

Nivea Hamper, Boiler Service worth €120, Horse Riding lessons, fitness classes,

Golf Game

Christmas Table

Decoration

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Junior Infants HSE Vaccinations, 4 in 1 and MMR will be held on Thursday 6th of January 2022, the first day back after the Christmas holidays.

The monthly Maths Challenge took place again in November - we had quite a difficult maths puzzle based around the FIFA World Cup. The following children got the answer correct and won homework passes. Well done! Abigail, Ben, Rhys in 3rd Class, Fionn W in 4th Class and Jacob and Dylan in 6th Class.

“Playball is Back” - we are excited to be coming back to your school!!!

Playball will be held on the school premises on a Monday and is open for Junior and Senior Infants and our new exciting Playsport program(multi-sport) will be offered for 1st class and 2nd class. If you would like to find out more about Playball, & who we are, please check out our website at www.playballkids.com/franchise/216

This term will start on **10th January** and will continue for 10 weeks last class in this term will be 21st March, as there is a midterm break in February. Playball is taught on the school premises once a week on Monday afternoon directly after school, we collect from the class teacher at 1.35 collection at 2.35 and 1st and 2nd class at 2.35-3.35 **Fees; €80.00** for more information contact Jodie at 0861619245

Swimming lessons for 5th & 6th classes will commence for 5 sessions on Wednesday 12th of January. A payment link has been set up on Aladdin. Please return confirmation slips to the class teachers. Those not attending the lessons will need a doctor's cert or legitimate reason as swimming is part of the school curriculum.

Last year we ran a very successful virtual GOAL Mile in Allenwood which raised a substantial amount of money for the very worthy charity GOAL and in the process lifted the spirits of Allenwood and the wider community in what can be for many a very tough time of year. This year our plan at the moment regulations permitting is to run an actual event and of course the option of a virtual event also. GOAL's emergency response programme focuses on saving lives, alleviating human suffering and building resilience for the future. Please let me know if your school is interested in supporting this worthy cause- Celine Cronly 087/2518114

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Here is a photo of Eli (the mischievous class Elf) in Senior Infants class.



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2nd class worked so hard on their Christmas dioramas and presented them outside their class to the school. They had very creative ideas and successfully created unique Christmas themed dioramas.



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