Killoughteen National School

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Dear Parent(s),

We have a group of children representing Killoughteen NS in Cross Country running in Patrickswell racecourse this Wednesday. We wish them all the best!

This Thursday our 5th and 6th class are going to Desmond College for ‘Hairspray’ the musical.

Also on Thursday we have a photographer coming to the school. He will take individual/family and class photographs. It is intended to use photographs of the children to create a school calendar. All children born in January will be on the January page etc.

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On the week of 14th to 18th of November first to sixth classes will get to visit UL for **science week**. We will be asking the pupils for a **€5** contribution to help defray the cost of travel. **First class will be travelling to UL on Monday the 14th** to a show on the ‘Science of Santa Claus’ and then they will visit the Firestation in Newcastle West on the way home. **2nd and 3rd class will go on Thursday 17th** to a Science Magic show. 4th 5th and 6th class will go on Wednesday 16th to 2 shows. Animal Magic (4th – 6th ), Science of Bubbles (4th) and an ICT workshop. (5th and 6th) Juniors and Seniors will do some science experiments at school.

**All classes travelling on Monday and Thursday will be leaving school at 8:30am. We cannot wait as the show will start at 10:00am.**

We will have an information night for parents in the school on Monday December 5th on internet safety. The children from 3rd to 6th classes will have a workshop at school on that day also. The presenter is a man called Ger Brick. We would ask that as many parents as possible who have children from first to sixth class attend this very practical and informative presentation. Please let us know if you wish to attend by writing a note in your childs homework diary to ensure that we have adequate seating on the night.

Finally, I would like to inform you that we will have a Christmas carol service in the Church of the Immaculate Conception on Wednesday December the 14th . It will involve all pupils from Juniors to Sixth classes. We have acquired the services of Jamie Herlihy from the Desmond School of Music to help us out with this. We look forward to seeing you all there on the night. Finalised details will follow later.

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Willie Curtin.