

**BALLYMACRICKETT PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
**PARENT INFORMATION**  
**21<sup>st</sup> January 2019**

**Children's Safety Comes First!**

Pick-Up Time Parking

Please continue to park in the nursery area, the staff/visitors' car park or the parent drop-off zone. If you fail to gain a parking space in the school grounds please park on the footpath side of Scroggy Road and walk the short distance for a safe pick-up.

All children are encouraged to only cross our road system at one of the zebra crossings. We would appreciate your help in reinforcing this message with your child.

Thanks.

**The disabled parking bays may only be used by vehicles displaying an appropriate badge.**

**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK**

(27<sup>th</sup> January - 3<sup>th</sup> February)

Sunday coming begins 'Catholic Schools Week.' This year's theme is: *'Celebrating the Work of our Catholic Schools'*.

In Ballymacrickett, we strive to allow our faith to shine through all that we do. Please talk with your child/children about their school activities during the week and about any activities that they may be asked to do at home.

**BOOK FAIR**

As in previous years, the Travelling Book Company will visit our school. The Fair will be in school from Wed. 23<sup>rd</sup> January - Tues. 29<sup>th</sup> January. This presents you with an excellent opportunity to purchase reading books at a competitive price. Our school benefits by being able to receive commission in the form of reading material for our class libraries. Today your child has received a little booklet with a selection of the books on offer.



Parents are free to visit the Fair (in the foyer of the main entrance) and choose material any day between 2:00pm and 3:30pm. Alternatively, you may complete the order form at home and forward it together with payment to school with your child. Children will have the opportunity to visit the Fair during class time.

In continuing to promote and encourage reading as a stimulating activity, we ask for your help by availing of this opportunity to purchase current popular books to share with your children at home.

In doing so, you will also be helping us acquire further reading resources for our school.