



# RIVER VALLEY CNS PA NEWSLETTER

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## PARENTS' ASSOCIATION 2021/2022

### Upcoming events ...

**Maths week** 2021 takes place from 16<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> October. The PA will be emailing out copies of the Credit Union 'Start Money Smart' pack which is a great way to teach your child about the value of money and the importance of saving in a fun and child friendly way.

**Book Club** The PA has set up a book club with Scholastic. Order your books for delivery to the school through the following link. <https://schools.scholastic.ie/rivervalley-cns-1/digital-book-club> For every €1 spent on the site the school will receive 20c to spend on books for the library

### What's happening ...

Thanks to the RSA for providing **Hi-Vis vests** to Junior and Senior infants as part of Road Safety week. The PA committee reached out to Fingal after their successful Bike week events and they very generously donated 70 additional vests to the school.

Well done to all the children who took part in the Super Hero cycle to school challenge as part of bike week and **congratulations** on winning first prize from Fingal in their competition.

The PA has also procured **top soil** to help fill the area just in side the gate so that the children have a chance to develop their green fingers.

#### Coming soon ...

Watch out for details of this year's sponsored **Christmas Culture Crawl** which will take place on the weekend of the 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> December.

The PA committee also plans to organise a **Winter Grand Prize Draw** – if you can help in any way with prizes or sponsorship we'd really appreciate it.



**Your PA committee** – Catherine [Luca SI], Emily [Isabelle SI], Elaine [Isla JI], Dave [Jamie 1st], Jo [Aoibheann 1<sup>st</sup>, Darragh JI], Claire [Sam SI], Ray [Leo SI], Suzanne [Aria 1<sup>st</sup>], Vasu [Tvesha JI]  
If you're available to help out in any way please let us know.



**Green Flag: Litter & Waste** – The PA Committee will be organising a collection of clothing, underwear, sheets, blankets and paired shoes as part of the Clothes POD / Green-Schools textile collection initiative. This program helps divert waste from landfill but is also a great opportunity to earn funds for the school. If you're sorting out your wardrobes and cupboards in the coming weeks please put the items aside for us – collection date and logistics to be advised.