

# DominicanTimes

February 2012

Happy  
Grandparents  
Day

**Grandparents Day** took place on 1<sup>st</sup> of February. A Prayer Service was held in our school hall at 12.00. Thanks to Ms. Heavin for organising it and to all who attended on the day.



The pupils from 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> class made **St. Brigid's crosses** with a little help from Finn's Mum and Kate's Grandad. Thanks so much for coming in to share your expertise with the children.



Sixth Class pupils made their **Confirmation** on Thursday, the 9<sup>th</sup> of February at 11.00am in St. Michael's Church, Dun Laoghaire.

Well done to all the pupils who were fantastic on the day. We are so proud of you all. A huge thank you to Ms. Fiorentini for all her hard work in preparing the children for this sacrament.



### **Yoga Classes for Parents**

started on Monday, the 27<sup>th</sup> of February. If anyone is interested in attending, please contact Ms. Heavin for more details.



**Liam Farrell, children's author and storyteller** came in on Wednesday, the 29<sup>th</sup> of February. The children really enjoyed the stories he told.





We are delighted to announce that the **Book Fair** will be in our school from Monday the 27<sup>th</sup> of February until Friday the 2<sup>nd</sup> of March. Check out Parents noticeboards for more information.

**Maths for Fun** has started in First Class since Wednesday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> of February. It will run each Wednesday until Easter. Thanks to all the parents who are helping out. We really appreciate it.







3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th class started **swimming lessons** on Friday, the 13th of January. The lessons will run every Friday for eleven weeks.



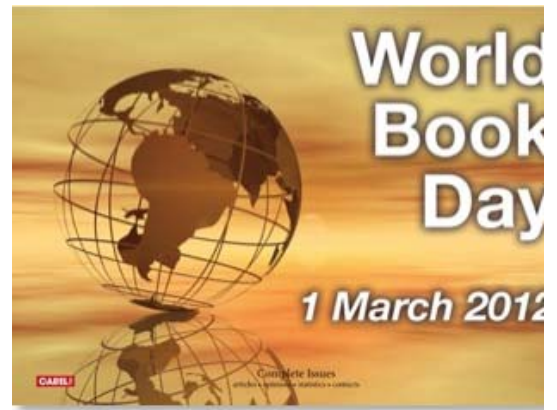
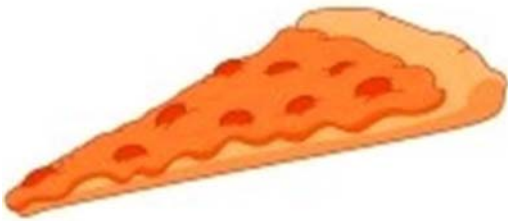
**Parent and Child Book Selection** takes place in the Library on Thursday afternoons at 1.30pm for Junior Infants and at on Friday afternoons at 1.30pm for Senior Infants.



**Story Sacks** are continuing in Junior and Senior Infants. Please check your child's classroom notice board for more details. Please collect story sack on Monday and return to school on Friday.

## Events to look forward to in March

**Pizza Day** will take place on Thursday, the 1<sup>st</sup> of March.



**World Book Day** takes place on Thursday, the 1<sup>st</sup> of March.

**World Maths Day** takes place on Thursday, the 1<sup>st</sup> of March.



**World Spelling Day** takes place on Tuesday, the 6<sup>th</sup> of March.





**Seachtain na Gaeilge** runs from Monday, the 5<sup>th</sup> of March to Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> of March.

**First Confession** for Second Class pupils takes place on Wednesday, the 14<sup>th</sup> of March at 7.30pm in St. Michael's Church, Dun Laoghaire.



There will be **no school** for pupils on **Monday, the 19<sup>th</sup> of March**. School will reopen on Tuesday, the 20<sup>th</sup> of March.



School will close for **Easter Holidays** on **Friday, the 30<sup>th</sup> of March at 12.00**. It will reopen on Monday, the 16<sup>th</sup> of April.

**Happy Easter everyone!**