

# The Parents' Association of St. Vincent de Paul Infant and Girls School Griffith Avenue Dublin 9



# February News

#### **Fundraising Update**

The Parents Association has raised a significant amount of money over the past couple of months:

Calendar sales	€11,105
Clothing collection	€420
Uniform sale	€215
Table quiz	€3,250
Total	€14,990

The schools and PA committee would like to extend a huge thank you to the parents and students who volunteered their time and contributed to these events. The money has and will be used to fund many vital costs and activities in both schools, enhancing your child's overall school experience.

#### iPad Fundraiser Information Evening: Friday 15th February, 8pm, Clontarf Golf Club

Our HUGE iPad fundraiser – the Broadway Challenge - is kicking off this week. This information evening will be a way to meet other teams, maybe join up as part of another team and to meet the choreographer and event organisers, all while having fun!

If getting on stage isn't your thing, there are lots of ways to contribute to this event and we would love to see you! Please come along and bring some friends!

The Broadway Challenge contact is Paul Mullin at <a href="mailto:stvincentdepaulmusical@gmail.com">stvincentdepaulmusical@gmail.com</a>

### Engineers/STEM Week: Monday, 2<sup>nd</sup> March to Friday, 8<sup>th</sup> March

Engineers Week is a nationwide campaign coordinated by the Engineers Ireland STEPS programme. The schools would like to invite parents involved in STEM-related careers to speak about their achievements during that week.

Please register your interest by Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February to: <a href="mailto:svpparentsassociation@gmail.com">svpparentsassociation@gmail.com</a>. As well as co-ordinating your visit, the PA will provide you with the STEPS guidelines on how to structure your talk to the children.



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## Cake Sale: Tuesday, 5th March from 9am to 11am

Always a big success; Parents are invited to join us in the school hall for this year's cake sale after 9am. Please bring any donations of cakes, breads, biscuits, buns and other goodies (no nuts please) to the hall on the morning of Tuesday, 5<sup>th</sup> March.

If you're free to help on the morning please contact us at <a href="mailto:svpparentsassociation@gmail.com">svpparentsassociation@gmail.com</a>. Many thanks for your support!

#### Class Reps

Thank you to parents for completing the forms that went home with your child and for those who have volunteered to be a class rep. We will be in touch shortly with the reps to advise of next steps.

Many Thanks,

Eve (Chairperson) & the PA Committee