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FÁILTE/WELCOME

A chairde,

Tá súil agam go bhfuil sibh go maith agus go mbaineann sibh taitneamh as nuacht na míosa seo a léamh.

I hope this newsletter finds you all well. Enjoy reading up on this month's news in Gaelscoil na Fuinseoige.

Aisling

BORD BAINISTÍOCHTA/BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

Mar is eol daoibh beidh Bord Bainistíochta nua i bhfeidhm Mí na Nollag na bliana seo. Seo a leanas baill an bhoird nua:

Máirín Ní Chéileachair: Cathaoirleach (Ainmní an Phátrúin)

Aisling Uí Fhéich: Rúnaí (Príomhoide)

Liam Dingle: Ainmní an Phátrúin

Jessica de Lása: Ainmní Múinteora

Róise Ní Fhlatharta: Ainmní Tuismitheora

Rónán Ó Caollaí: Ainmní Tuismitheora

Clíona Uí Mhócháin: Ainmní an Cheantair

Oisín Chambers: Ainmní an Cheantair

Our new Board of Management will be in place from 1st December 2019 until 30th November, 2023. The new board members are listed above.

Ba mhaith linn buíochas a ghabháil leis an mbord a d'oibrigh go dian ar son an scoile, go háirithe na tuismitheoirí, Niamh Curran agus Rory Kennedy.

Many thanks to the outgoing board who worked very hard on behalf of the school. We would like to especially thank the parents' nominees, Niamh Curran and Rory Kennedy.

LEABHARLANN/LIBRARY

Tá na páistí ag dul go dtí an leabharlann gach seachtain agus ag baint an-taitnimh as. Táimid fíorbhuíoch de thuismitheoirí na scoile atá ag cabhrú linn sa leabharlann. Táimid fós ag lorg cabhrach maidin Luain nó Máirt ó 8.30 – 9.30rn, má ta aon duine ar fáil.

The children are enjoying going to the library each week. We are very grateful to the parent helpers who facilitate the use of the library. We are still looking for help on Monday or Tuesday mornings from 8.30-9.30 and would love to hear from you if you are available.

DÍOLACHÁN CEARDAÍOCHTA/CRAFT SALE

Beidh díolachán ceardaíochta ag Rang a 2 i ndiaidh a seó Nollag (thart ar 12.15). Beidh siad a díol ceardaíocht atá déanta acu féin agus rachaidh an t-airgead i dtreo fearas ealaíne sa scoil.

Rang a 2 are holding their very own Craft Fair in the school. They will be selling crafts that they made themselves and all the money they raise will go towards buying more art materials for the school. The fair will be held the same day as their Christmas Show, Thursday 19th December at 12.15.

AISÍOC CÁINEACH/TAX REFUND

Fuair an scoil aisíoc €1712 ó na coimisinéirí ioncaim ó na síntiúis deonacha a tugadh don scoil. Míle buíochas libh ar fad as an tacaíocht seo.

The revenue commissioners have refunded the school €1712 from the voluntary contributions made to the school under the charitable donations scheme. Many thanks again to you for your support for the school that has made this happen.



CLÁR CROÍ NA SCOILE/SCHOOL ETHICS PROGRAMME

Mar is eol daoibh, leanann an scoil clár eitice a chlúdaíonn na mór fhéilte agus mór reiligiúin domhanda. Uaireanta, ní oireann an t-ábhar agus déanann na múinteoirí a gceachtanna féin bunaithe ar an téama. Bíonn ceachtanna OSPS ann a chlúdaíonn an-chuid freisin.

Seo a leanas an clár don chuid eile den bhliain:

Mí na Nollag: Críostaíocht: Muire

Eanáir: Hiondúchas. Ghandi

Feabhra: Daonnachas. Eolaíocht

Márta: Críostaíocht: An Carghas

Aibreán: Finithe Iáive: Bás Íosa

Bealtaine: Búdachas: Weak

Meitheamh: Críostaíocht: Oilithreach

Anuas ar sin, bíonn trácht ar na mór fhéilte a cheiliúraimid in Éirinn m.sh Oíche Shamhna, An Nollaig, Lá le Pádraic srl.

As you are aware, we follow an ethics programme in the school that teaches about the main world festivals and religions. Some months the subject matter isn't appropriate for certain age groups and teachers teach lessons based on the theme themselves. We also teach SPHE every week and this subject covers a lot of the messages.

This is the programme for the rest of the year:

December: Christianity: Our Lady

January: Hinduism. Ghandi

February: Humanism. Science

March: Christianity. Lent

April: Jehova's Witness: Christ's Death

May: Buddihs. Wesak

June: Christianity. Pilgrimages

We also celebrate the main festivals celebrated in Ireland e.g. Hallowe'en, Christmas, St. Patrick's Day etc.

TIOMSÚ AIRGID/FUNDRAISING

Bhí téarma den scoth againn ó thaobh tiomsú airgid de. Tá ós cionn €5798 bailithe agaibh ar son na scoile leis an Tráth na gCeist, an pacáil málaí agus an bailiúcháin éadaí. Táimid an-bhuíoch as an tacaíocht ar fad a thugann sibh don scoil i gcónaí agus tá buíochas faoi leith le dul ag an gCoiste Cairde a eagraíonn an hócáidí seo.

This term was exceptional given the huge amount that was raised for the school at the fundraising events. The Quiz, bag packing and clothes collection have raised an amazing €5798 for the school. We are extremely grateful to you all for your ongoing support and we are especially grateful to the Coiste Cairde who work so tirelessly organising these fundraising events.

DEONTAS STEM/ STEM GRANT

Tá áthas an domhain orainn a fhógairt gur éirigh linn deontas €2500 a ghnóthú do fhearas STEM don scoil. Buíochas le tuismitheoir Yvonne Ryan a chabhraigh go mór linn agus is comhlacht oibre, SAP, a fostaithe, a chuir an t-airgead ar fáil.

We are delighted to announce that we have been successful in securing a grant of €2500 for STEM resources for the school. Sincere thanks to parent, Yvonne Ryan, who assisted us in securing these funds. Yvonne is employed by SAP foundation and we applied for the grant through an employee scheme they operate. This will be a great addition to the school and we are very grateful to both Yvonne and SAP who have helped make this happen.



COISTE GLAS/GREEN SCHOOLS

Tá an coiste glas ag obair go dian faoi láthair faoi stiúir Múinteoir Katy. Tá súil againn an chéad bhratach ghlas a fhail i mbliana. Chroch an coiste póstaer timpeall na scoile agus scríobh siad “Cód Glas” le déanaí.

The Green Schools Committee has been working hard recently under the guidance and direction of Múinteoir Katy. We hope to get our first Green Flag this year. The committee have designed and hung posters around the school and have recently written a green code for the school.

Laghdaigh an bruscar, is na déan dearmad,
Ná caith bruscair ar na talamh!
Is féidir leat a bheith glas,
Is féidir leat rudaí a dhéanamh as an mbruscair
atá agat cheana féin
Déan athchúrsáil 3,2,1!
Ná caith bruscair in san abhainn,
Bí an-chúramach leis an domhain!

SAOIRE NA NOLLAG/CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

Táimid ag dúnadh ar an Aoine, 20ú Nollaig ag 11.45in. Osclóidh an scoil arís ar an Luan, 6ú Eanáir.

The school will close for Christmas holidays on Friday, 20th December at 11.45am and reopen on Monday, 6th January.

CRAOBH NA FUINSEOIGE

Beidh Cóisir Nollag Craobh na Fuinseoige ann ar an Luan 16ú Nollag ag a 6in sa scoil. Seinnfidh na páistí cúpla port álainn agus canfaidh siad amhráin. Tá fáilte roimh gach teaghlach sa scoil freastal ar an gcóisir, fiú mura bhfuil sibh mar bhaill den chraobh. Beidh imeachtaí eile ann i rith na bliana chun fáilte a chur roimh na teaghlach nua.

The Craobh na Fuinseoige Christmas Party will take place on Monday, 16th December at 6pm in the school. The children will play some tunes for you and sing a few songs. Everyone is welcome - if you are interested in the Craobh and what we do, it's a good chance to meet our members and committee. There will be more vents in the new year to introduce the craobh to the new families in the school.

SEÓNNA NA NOLLAG/CHRISTMAS SHOWS

Beidh seónna na Nollag ar siúl ar na laethanta seo a leanas:

Dé Máirt 17ú: Naíonáin Shóisearacha (Sive agus Katy)

Dé Céadaoin 18ú: N. Shinsearacha (Kate agus Shane)

Déardaoin 19ú: Rang 1&2 (Caitríona agus Colm)

Tosóidh na seónna ag 11.30rn agus mairfidh siad thart ar 45 nóiméad. Tá fáilte roimh shean thuismitheoirí freastal ar na seónna freisin agus is féidir na páistí a thabhairt abhaile i ndiaidh an seó má theastaíonn uaibh.

The Christmas Shows will be held on the days mentioned above. Each show will start at 11.30 am and will last approximately 45 mins. Grandparents are welcome to attend the shows and the children may go home directly after if you wish.