

Presentation P.S. Info Update May' 2017



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Principal's Notes

We had a wonderful week here last week for Active Schools. It was great to see so many children up and active! We have a busy seven weeks ahead until the summer. Please check the important dates on this page. This week there is information going out about school books for September and I hope as many parents as possible can support the new initiative. We have exciting plans ahead this summer to develop the school even further and I look forward to sharing them when all is confirmed. Thank you for your continued support, C. Ruane.

Important Dates

Maths & English Testing – May 24th and June 1st – Can you please ensure your child is in school on these dates.

Junior Infant Open Day for September starters will be on May 31st.

School Tours – June 1st to June 9th



Olivia

What can be said about the musical only that it was a fantastic success. The performances were out of this world for such young people. The production team of Ms. Dollard, Ms. Brennan, Mrs. Fenlon and Ms. Curtin went above and beyond to make this happen. I would like to thank the BoM for the financial support, the Parents Council for organising the raffle and prizes and most importantly you, the parents and supporters, for buying a ticket and coming to the show, It was real team effort by all.

Confirmation & Communion

Our sacraments were both very special occasions and our students represented their families and our school brilliantly. I would like to thank the teachers who prepared the classes so well. Fr. Hughes, Fr. Dooley and Rev. Bishop Nulty for the ceremonies. Our choir led by Ms. Dunne and finally the Parents Council for the great Communion party.



School Sports



Congratulations to our camogie team who are in the County Final in O'Moore Park next week, they have put in a great effort and deserve their chance in the final. Our 5 aside team were crowned laois champions and narrowly missed out on being Leinster Champs!



Parent Information

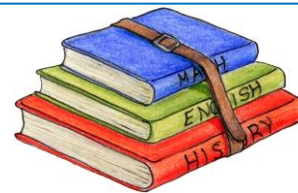
Enrolment – We have no more places for infants next year as all classes are full.

HEADLICE – This is a constant problem here in the school please be checking your child's hair and look at info to help at <https://www.rte.ie/lifestyle/living/2016/0309/773635-nits-whats-the-story/>

Parents Council – The Parents Council have been extremely busy lately organising the Communion Party and now begin the Book Rental Scheme. More information will go out this week.

Sports Days – Unfortunately we will not be able to have parents attend the sports days this year due to space problems. We will look at this again next year and thanks in advance for your understanding.

School Tours – School Tours are starting on June 2nd and will go on for the full week. More information can be found on the website.



School Books Order

We are just putting the finishing touches to the book lists for next year and also ordering new books for our book rental scheme.

When you receive the booklist there will be some books on it that you will have to purchase over the summer. This year we hope that you could buy these books here from the school. The books will be the same price as they would be in the shops so it is no extra cost on you the parent, the school get a bulk discount purchase price which would be a good source of fundraising. An info page will go out this week.

We are launching our e-payment facility this month so any school payments from June onwards can be completed online which we hope will be a great help to you. Book costs could be paid over the summer months.

Flagtastic!!



Our Green School Committee were delighted to hear the great news that we have been awarded our 3rd Green Flag. The award ceremony takes place next Wednesday May 24th in the Hudson Bay Hotel. We now are putting together the final pieces for our Active Flag application. It could be a very successful year!