

## Nuachtlitir Bealtaine 1 -19/05/2014



### Campaign to support Parental Choice:

Leanann an feachtas ar son na bpáistí agus a gcuid tuismitheoirí nach féidir freastal ar an scoil toisc cinneadh na Roinne. Iarrimid oraibh dul chuig suíomh idirlín na scoile ag [www.cnocnare.net](http://www.cnocnare.net); lean na nascanna chun an leathanach Facebook a leanúint agus a roinnt, do shíniú a chur leis an achainí arlíne agus tacaíocht a thabhairt do na thuismitheoirí agus iad ag roghnú a gcuid páistí a chur ag an nGaelscoil.

Please be aware that the campaign to support the parents whose children have been turned away from the school by the Dept. Of Education and Skills, continues. We encourage all parents to visit the school website, [www.cnocnare.net](http://www.cnocnare.net); follow the links to Like and Share the Facebook page, sign the online petition and support their choice to educate their child through the medium of Irish. Míle buíochas.

### CRUINNIÚ FOIRNE/STAFF MEETING & DEIREADH NA BLIANA

Dúnfaidh an scoil ag 12:00 ar an Aoine 30ú Bealtaine toisc go mbeidh cruinniú foirne ag na múinteoirí agus beidh sí dúnta ar an Luan 2 Meitheamh i gcóir Saoire Poiblí. NB: Beidh an scoil ag dúnadh ag 12.00 ar an Aoine 27 Meitheamh dona laethanta saoire. Tá a fhios ag na tiománaithe bus faoina socraithe.

The school will close at 12.00pm on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May for a staff meeting and will be closed for the Public Holiday on Monday 2nd June. NB: School will close for Summer Holidays at 12pm on Friday 27th June. Bus drivers are aware of the arrangements for early closing on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May and Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June.



### CÉAD COMAOINEACH/FIRST COMMUNION

Comhghairdeas le Rang 2 a fuair an Chéad Chomaoin Naofa an tseachtain seo chaite.

Buíochas do na daoine seo a leanas:

- Múinteoir Fiona agus na páistí féin,
- an tAthair Pat & Canon Tom
- na tuismitheoirí ar fad a chuidigh leo ullmhú don, go háirithe an Coiste 'Do This in Memory of Me'.
- an cór agus na ceoltóirí, bhí sibh ar fheabhas.
- Síle, Muireann agus foireann iomlán na scoile,
- Cairde, go háirithe Dara, Lorraine agus tuismitheoirí a d'eagraigh cóisir do na páistí i ndiaidh an Aifrinn agus a chabhraigh linn. Buíochas fresin daoibh a d'fhág bia don chóisir.

Congratulations to Rang 2 who made their First Holy Communion last weekend. A big thank you to:

- Múinteoir Fiona and the children themselves,
- Fr. Pat & Canon Tom
- the parents, who helped the children prepare for the day, especially the committee of the 'Do This in Memory of Me' programme.
- the choir and musicians, you were all excellent.
- Síle, Muireann and all school staff
- Cairde, especially Dara & Lorraine and the parents who organised the party after the mass and helped out. Also anyone who left food in for the party. The parents & children from R2 thank you all sincerely for a wonderful party.

### Cóineartú/Confirmation:

Guímis gach ráth ar na páistí ó Rang 6 agus múinteoir Samantha atá ag ullmhú go dian don Chóineartú ar an gCéadaoin, 4ú Meitheamh ag 11:30r.n. san ArdEaglais. Tá fáilte roimh cách chuig an ócáid speisialta seo. We wish every blessing to Rang 6 and múinteoir Samantha who are busy preparing for Confirmation on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> June at 11.30am in the Cathedral. Everyone is welcome to attend this special occasion.

Gach bliain, molaimid do na páistí ó R2 & R6 airgid a thabhairt do "Ospís an Iarthuaiscirt" (R6) agus "Bóthar" (R2). Míle buíochas do na páistí a thug síntúis ó R2 le déanaí. Beidh an t-airgead á bhailiú go dtí an Aoine seo 23ú Bealtaine. Míle buíochas!

Every year, we encourage the children from the Communion and Confirmation classes to make a donation to North West Hospice (R6) and "Bóthar" (R2). Many thanks to those who have already made generous donations to Bóthar from R2,, and donations will be accepted (anonymously if preferred) up to Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May. Míle Buíochas!

### VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTION:

Cuirimid i gcuimhne daoibh an síntiús deonach a chur chun na scoile go luath le bhur dtoil. Beidh litreacha curtha amach an tseachtain seo chugainn do clainne nár íoch aon síntiús ar bith fós.

Please forward your contribution to the school. If you have already done so, thank you. As a reminder, we would like to re-state that the shortfall of funds from the Department of Education, must be carried by the Board of Management of the school, for essential utilities such as light, heat and rent. Each family in the school is therefore requested to make some donation toward this shortfall.

To ensure equity to all parents/guardians it is the Board's intention to issue reminders where payment is not made and where no communication has been made and agreed with Michéal. Letters will be sent out to these families shortly.

### NB PLEASE NOTE:

Tá sé fíor-thábhachtach go mbíonn uimhir teagmhála tuistí againn do gach páiste sa scoil. Má tá aon athrú tagtha ar bhur sonraí teagmhála, cuir scéal chuig Muireann san oifig láithreach, le bhur dtoil. Míle Buíochas. It is imperative that the school has a contact number of a parent/guardian for each child, which is accessible at all times. If you have changed/updated any of your contact details, please let Muireann in the school office know immediately, thank you.

Freisin bí cinnte go gcuirtear aon airgead a thugtar don scoil (turas srl.) i gclúdach litreach. Le níos mó ná 190 dalta sa scoil, tá sé dodhéanta súil a choinneáil ar airgead nach bhfuil i gclúdach, go háirithe ag an am seo den bhliain leis an oiread sin turais scoile / gníomhaíochtaí etc. Muna bhfuil na clúdaigh scoile buí agat, seol € 3.50 chugainn agus cuirfimid paicéad nua chugat, nó is féidir aon chlúdach litreach ón mbaile a athchúrsáil. Míle buíochas!

Also, if you are sending money into the school, PLEASE ensure it is in an envelope! With over 190 pupils in the school, it is impossible to keep track of children handing money in without an envelope, especially at this time of year with so many school tours/activities etc. If you have misplaced or run out of your yellow school envelopes, send €3.50 in with your child and a packet will be sent home with them. Alternatively, you can recycle any envelope from home. Thank you.