



## March Newsletter

### Parents' Association Formation

Reminder: We are inviting all parents to a meeting to discuss the formation of a Parents' Association. It is taking place tomorrow, Thursday, March 19<sup>th</sup> at 8pm in the school.

### Grandparents' Day

We look forward to welcoming grandparents and parents to our Grandparents' Day Celebrations on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March, with Mass at the earlier time of 1:15pm. There will be some entertainment after Mass and refreshments will be served.

### Sports.

#### Soccer.

Well done to the boys and girls who took part in the FAI 5-a-side Soccer at Milebush, Castlebar. The boys played on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> and girls on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March. On both days our teams gave a great account of themselves and everyone really enjoyed the day.

#### Camogie

The girls will take part in the Mini 7's Camogie Blitz at Claremorris Town Pitch, tomorrow, Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March, at 11am.

#### Hurling

The Boys Mini 7's Hurling Competition will take place on Wednesday, 25<sup>th</sup> March in the Centre of Excellence, Began at 11am.

Best of luck to our Camogie and Hurling Teams.

### Thank You

Thank you to Colin Glavey, Paul Hunt and Conn Delaney who are coaching our Football, Hurling & Camogie teams. Your time and expertise are greatly appreciated.

Thanks also to Adrian Hession & Shane Morley who donated sliotars to our school on behalf of Tooreen Hurling Club. Go raibh míle maith agaibh.

### Bookfair

Our Annual bookfair takes place from Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April - Friday 24<sup>th</sup> April. Each child will be given a World Book Day voucher which will entitle them to €1 of a book of their choice. This is always a very enjoyable event in our school calendar, and it helps encourage children to read.

We ask parents not to send money with children in Junior and Senior Infants. If children from the Infant classroom wish to buy a book, please send the money with an older sibling or parents are welcome to visit the bookfair from 2-3pm each day and buy on their behalf.

### World Book Day

We celebrated World Book Day earlier this month. Teachers visited a different classroom and read an extract from their favourite book. They told the class why they enjoy the book and children shared their favourite books with the class.

### Easter Egg Raffle.

Madeleine has made some beautiful Easter hampers, filled with loads of Easter eggs and goodies. There will be one large hamper raffled in each classroom. There will also be lots of other Easter eggs to be won.

We will have our raffle on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March. Thank you all for your generosity in supporting the raffle. All proceeds will go to the development and upkeep of the school garden.

### Easter Holidays

School will close on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March for Easter Holidays and re-open on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April. We wish you all a very Happy Easter.

