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AS THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS APPROACH....

Many thanks to all the parents and guardians in our school for all your help and support this year, which allows us to provide the educational and fun experiences for your children. Many thanks also to the wonderful and creative staff who make it all happen. The behind the scenes learning is just as important as what we see.

Here is a snapshot of our last term!! We would like to wish everyone a safe and fun summer and look forward to seeing you all in September. We welcome our new Junior Infants and also say a sad goodbye to our 6th who are leaving us. It has been a pleasure to work with them over the last eight years and we wish them well in their new adventures!

Thank you to the hard working Parent's Association and Board of Management. Without their support and encouragement we would not be able to run many of our events.



REMINDER

School closes at 12 noon on Friday 30th June
Infants closing time : 11.50am

We will re-open on August 30th for all classes.



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SPORTS DAYS IN THE SUN

Thank you in particular to Ms. O'Callaghan and our caretakers John and Martin for all their hard work in arranging these days and setting them up.





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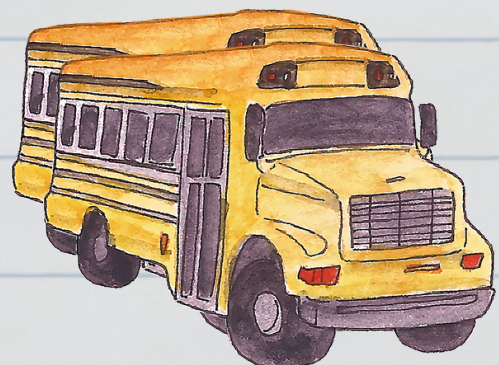
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SCHOOL TOURS NEAR AND FAR!



All classes enjoyed a variety of fun and educational tours this year. Tours ranged from farm visits and water sports to a trip to Emerald Park for our 6th class graduates. Thank you to all the children for their good behaviour and the secretaries for letter printing, money collecting and bus booking!

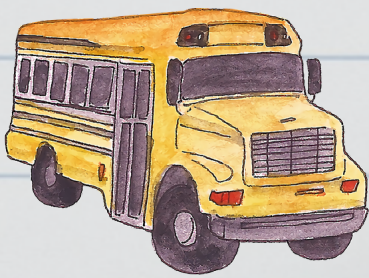




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Senior Infants enjoyed their day in Jungle Den.



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AWARDS NIGHT

Congratulations to everyone who received an award. Areas recognised ranged from sports, academics, arts, drama and chess to name a few.

It was a fantastic display of the talent in our school.

A particular mention to the 6th class awards

Parents' Association Award

Boy Jakub Trochonowicz

Girl Ava O'Donovan

Kathleen Kelly Award of Academic Excellence:

Girl Sophie Evans

Boy Kevin Chen

Georgie Power Award for Excellence in the Arts:

Boy Plerce Phelan

Girl Coleen Brennan

Sports Person of the year

Girl Jules Flanagan

Boy Podge Gleeson

Role model of the year

Boy Mark Chigozie Onwuegbunam

Girl Lucie Robinson



First Class Blitz



Lots of awards given to our musical stars also! It was great to see so many different talents and interests celebrated!





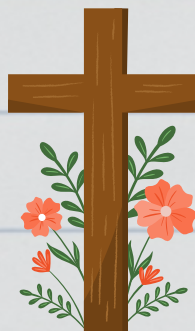
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WHOLE SCHOOL MASS AND CONCERT



We spent a beautiful day in the field surrounded by family to celebrate our end of year Mass. Mr Fleming opened the mass by thanking everyone for their hard work over the year and saying goodbye to four permanent members of staff who are leaving us for new adventures. Mrs Ashmore, Mr O'Carroll, Ms Pelin and Ms Phelan. Mass was followed by a concert showcasing lots of talent in our school. Well done everyone. You can scan the QR Code to listen to our School Anthem. We had a thoroughly enjoyable day with special thanks to Ms J Boyle who coordinated the event!



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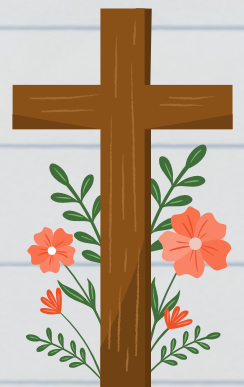
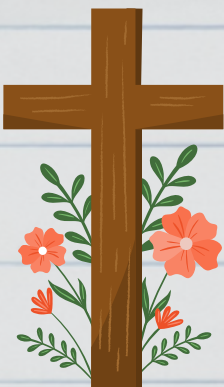


DIOCESAN MASS IN THE CATHEDRAL IN CARLOW

Some very lucky children had the privilege of attending a Diocesan mass in Carlow Cathedral to celebrate the sacrament of Confirmation. Each Confirmation class in our school chose a word to represent what they would like their church to look like. These words were discussed at their own Confirmation ceremonies in May and they brought the posters to Carlow to show Bishop Dennis.

Some of the words chosen by the children were :

- Inclusive
- Welcoming
- Sacred
- Hopeful
- Peaceful
- Joy





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6TH CLASS GRADUATION

6th class Graduation took place at 7pm Wednesday 28th June in the church for all of the 6th classes.
We will miss them lots.



Tea/ coffee was served by the Parents Association after the graduation ceremony.
As always we thank them for their support.





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SUNSHINE SUITE SAYS GOODBYE



After eight fun years the Sunshine Suite will finally say goodbye to two of its pupils. The boys have worked so hard to prepare for secondary school and we know they will be loved in any school they go to. We will miss them lots!



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SPORTS NEWS!

U12 camogie girls won their final before Christmas and the U13 girls' team played the final against Crookstown and were narrowly beaten in extra time!



U 11 hurlers were beaten by a strong Rathangan boys NS in the semi-final of the Cumann na mBunscoil. They put in a great effort training over the last few months and we look forward to next year's competition.



The Girls Basketball team had a great season and we look forward to next season as we say goodbye to some of our 6th class players.



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EXTRA ACTIVITIES AROUND THE SCHOOL!



Ms Pearson's class made anemometers to measure wind speed.



Ms Nolan's Solar ovens making good use of the beautiful weather!



Ms Hyland's Class dressing up for the Lá Glas.



SBPS Adult Choir



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EXTRA ACTIVITIES AROUND THE SCHOOL!



Our chess club this year got off to a flying start under the direction of Ms Denny.

Our remarkable school choir gave a breathtaking performance at the End of Year Mass and World Music Day Celebration.



Ms Burke's girls got into the Trocaire Gamechangers final with their boardgame based on global issues. They beat lots of primary schools around Ireland for a place in the jam packed and fun filled finals day in the Helix, Dublin. Well done girls!





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TEACHERS VS 6TH MATCH

Tuesday 27th June saw the unfortunate defeat of 6th class in the annual soccer match. They put up a good fight but the semi- pro teachers who had been in training since September had the upper hand. The final result was 2-0 to the yet undefeated teachers! Even the motivation from the cheerleaders ,under the direction of Ms Pelin, couldn't change the fact that Mr Stapleton was just too good in goals!
Better luck next time!

