

## Nuachtlitir Scoil Bhríde



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A Thuismitheoirí,

### Peace Prom

Comhghairdeas leis na buachaillí agus na cailíní go léir a ghlac páirt sa cheolchoirm PeaceProms 2018 san ollscoil tráthnóna Dé Sathairn. Well done to all of our pupils who participated in the Peace Proms 2018 concert at NUIG on Saturday last. Many thanks to our teachers for their work in preparing the children for such a wonderful experience and for supporting the children on the night. Further information about the Cross Border Orchestra of Ireland and Peace Proms is available at [www.peaceproms.com](http://www.peaceproms.com) or on twitter #cboiofficial #peaceproms18

### Scór na bPaistí

Comhghairdeas mór leis na páistí a ghlac páirt sa cheolchoirm Scór na bPaistí 2018 ar an Sathain seo caite. Big congratulations to all the children of Scoil Bhríde who took part in Scór na bPaistí 2018 competition in a County Final on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> January. Aoibhe Elwood, Emma Forde, Clíodhna Greaney, Alina Ferrie, Kate Clancy (Rang 5), Sarah Maloney, Shauna Forde, Lucy McDonagh (Rang 6) came first at Figure Dancing. Adria Gannon (Rang 5) got a third place in Solo Singing. Paul Schuler and Liam Ferrie (Rang 6) were representing Scoil Bhríde in Instrumental Music. All children made us so proud! Míle buíochas to Múinteoir Clár and all the parents who got the children ready for the competition. Maith sibh ar fad.

### Ospidéal na mBéiríní/Teddy Bear Hospital

Bhí áit faighte ag Scoil Bhríde in Ospidéal na mBéiríní i mbliana agus chuaigh Múinteoir Orla agus Múinteoir Sarah le páistí Naíonáin Bheaga & Naíonáin Mhóra ann. Scoil Bhríde was selected as one of the schools this year for the Teddy Bear Hospital visit where our Naíonáin Bheaga and Naíonáin Mhóra took part on the 18<sup>th</sup> of January. All the children enjoyed the day. ☺ Míle buíochas to all the parents who helped us at on the day.

### Seachtain na Scoileanna Caitliceacha/Catholic Schools Week

Beidh Seachtain na Scoileanna Caitliceacha ar siúl ón 28<sup>ú</sup> Eanáir - 3<sup>ú</sup> Feabhra. Beidh ceardlann Crossóga Bhríde ar siúl i seomra ranga R6 i rith an lae. Fáilte roimh tuismitheoirí agus seantuismitheoirí teacht isteach cabhrú leis an gceardlann. Tae agus bríoscaí ar an lá freisin. Luachair chuig an scoil ón Luan ar aghaidh le bhur dtoil.

Catholic Schools Week will take place from the 28<sup>th</sup> January until the 3<sup>th</sup> February. Grandparents' day is on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> January. This coincides with our St. Brigid's Cross-making workshop. Múinteoirí Caitriona and John will be making Crossóga Bhríde with the younger children throughout the day. Parents and Grandparents are invited to R6's classroom to help their children make their St. Brigid's Cross. See the schedule below of the times the various classes will attend. We look forward to seeing parents and grandparents on the day. Refreshments will be available and your help is welcome as always. Please send needs to the school from Monday onwards. Many thanks.

## **Ceardlann Crossóga Bhríde Céadaoin/Wednesday 31/01/2018 in R6 classroom (upstairs)**

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|-------------|-----------------|
| 9.30-10.00  | Rang 5 & Rang 6 |
| 10.00-10.30 | Naí. Bheaga     |
| 10.30-11.00 | Naí. Mhóra      |
| 11.30-12.00 | Rang 1          |
| 12.00-12.30 | Rang 2          |
| 12.30-1.00  | Rang 4          |
| 1.20-1.50   | Rang 3          |

### **Liathróid Láimhe/ Handball**

Beidh an liathróid láimhe do na páistí faoi 12 ar siúl san Aras ar an 7ú Feabhra. Beidh craobh an chontae ar siúl i Cnoc na Cathrach ar an 21ú Feabhra. Beidh an liathróid láimhe do na páistí shinsearacha ag deireadh mí an Mhárta. The U-12 handball competition will take place in Aras Pobail, Mionloch on Wednesday 7th February. Any teams lucky enough to qualify will take part in the county final on Wednesday 21st February in Knocknacarra. The senior handball competition will take place in late March.

### **Table Quiz Credit Union**

Beidh Paul Schuler, Rhys Creaven (Rang 6), Aadya Srivastava agus Clíodhna Greaney (Rang 5) ag glacadh páirt sa Credit Union Schools Quiz ar an Domhnach. Go n-éirí leo! Paul Schuler, Rhys Creaven (Rang 6), Aadya Srivastava and Clíodhna Greaney will be participating in the Credit Union Schools Quiz this Sunday. We wish them the best of luck!

### **Drámaíocht**

Beidh na Naíonáin Mhóra ag glacadh páirt sa chomórtas 'Féile Scoildrámaíochta na Gaillimhe' i Halla Chill Chornáin, Droichead an Chláirín ar an 19-22ú Feabhra 2018. Naíonáin Mhóra will take part in the 'Féile Scoildrámaíochta na Gaillimhe' this year. It will take place in Kilcornan Hall in Clarinbridge from the 19th to the 22nd of February 2018. Exact date to be announced.

### **Siúlóid Mhionlaigh/ Menlo Walk**

Beidh siúlóid i Mionloch ar siúl ar an 11ú Feabhra 2017.  
The Menlo Walk will take place on the 11<sup>th</sup> February @ 12 noon.

### **Oíche Eolais/Friends for Life Information Evening**

#### **Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> 7.30-8.30pm**

The Friends for Life programme will begin in Rang 3 and Rang 5 at the start of February (this year's Rang 4 will receive the programme next year). This is a school-based positive mental health programme that is proven to be an effective intervention for anxiety in children. The programme helps students to develop effective strategies to deal with worry, stress and change and teaches the skills required to reduce anxiety and promote resilience. It is beneficial for all students, irrespective of their anxiety level.

We invite the parents of children in Rang 3, Rang 4 and Rang 5 to attend an information evening in school on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> at 7.30pm. We are supported in delivering the programme by our school psychologist from NEPS who will explain the programme to parents at the information evening.

There is a cost of €10 requested towards the cost of the books/course materials, which you can see at the information evening.

Is mise le meas,  
Máire De Brún, Príomhoide