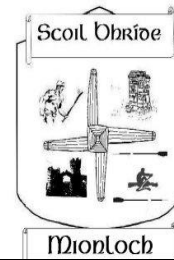


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A Thuismitheoirí,

Beidh Scoil Bhríde ag dúnadh ar an **16ú Márta** ag ar gnáth am. Beidh muid ar ais Dé Céadaoin 21ú Márta, bainígí sult as!

Scoil Bhríde will close on Friday the **16th of March** at normal time. The Bus service and Club Spraoi will be functioning as usual. Children are allowed to bring a treat to school for their lunch on that day. Scoil Bhríde and Bóin Dé will re-open on Wednesday the 21th of March 2018.

Briseadh na Cásca/ Easter Break

Beidh Scoil Bhríde ag dúnadh ar an 23ú Márta ag 12:30 i.n.

Scoil Bhríde will be closing at 12:30pm on Friday 23th of March. We will reopen on Monday the 9th of April.

Campa na Cásca / Easter Camp

Beidh Campa na Cásca ar siúl san Áras an chéad seachtain dár Laethanta Saoire na Cásca. Beidh Múinteoir Donncha i gceannas ar an gcampa. Ós rud é gurb é Scoil Bhríde príomh-úsáideoir an Áras, déanfar gach táillí clárúcháin i dtreo an fhoirgnimh a reáchtáil. Iarraimid, má tá tú ag smaoineamh ar do leanbh a chur chuig campa thar na laethanta saoire sin, go dtugann tú tacaíocht lenár gcampa féin.

An Easter Camp will take place in the Áras the first week of our Easter Holidays. Múinteoir Donncha will be managing the camp. As Scoil Bhríde is the main user of the Áras facility all registration fees will go towards the running of the building. We ask if you are considering sending your child to a camp over those holidays that you think of supporting your own.

Comhneartú / Confirmation

Comhghairdeas le páistí Rang a 6 as ucht an searmanas álainn a chuir siad ar fáil ar an 12ú Márta. Comhghairdeas freisin leis an gCór, páistí Rang a 4 agus Rang a 5. Bhí sibh go haoibhinn ar fad. Míle buíochas do na múinteoirí a thug tacaíocht ar aon bhealach. Míle buíochas do Múinteoir Caitriona as ucht na páistí a ullmhú don lá.

Congratulations to the children of Rang a 6 for the beautiful Confirmation ceremony which took place on the 12th of March. Congratulations also to Rang a 4 and Rang a 5 for their beautiful singing. Many thanks to Múinteoir Caitriona for her hard work over the weeks preparing the children for their special day, and to Múinteoirí Siobhán, Treasa and John for organising the beautiful music and choir.

An Chéad Fhaoistin / First Confession

Bhí searmanas an Chéad Fhaoistin ag páistí Rang a 2 ar an gCéadaoin, 14ú Márta, comhghairdeas libh go léir. Tá siad ag súil go mór agus ag ullmhú don lá speisialta eile ar an 21ú Aibreán. Children from Rang a 2 made their First Confessions on Wednesday the 14th of March at 2.00pm in Coolough Church. Congratulations to the children and Múinteoir Treasa and we wish them well as they look forward to, and prepare for, their next sacrament on April 21st.

Raifil na Cásca/ Easter Raffle

Tá ticéidí le haghaidh Raifil na Cásca á dtabhairt amach ag Coiste na dTuistí. Our Coiste na dTuistí (Parents Association) have organised the Easter Raffle. The children have been given raffle tickets and the draw will take place on the 21th of March. If anyone would like to purchase raffle tickets, they are available from the school office. Best of luck to everyone.

Liathróid Láimhe/Handball

Comhairdeas mór don pháistí Scoil Bhríde a ghlac páirt sa chomórtas Liathróid Láimhe faoi 12. Bhí na foirne measctha, agus d'éirigh leis na dhá fhoireann dul chomh fada leis an gcraobh in aghaidh a chéile! Chuaigh an fhoireann 'A' ar aghaidh go dtí craobh na gcontae agus d'éirigh leo go hiontach sa chomórtas.

A huge congratulations to the boys and girls of Scoil Bhríde who competed in the Mixed under 12 handball competition. Scoil Bhríde had an 'A' and a 'B' team competing in the tournament and both teams made it to the final to compete against each other! The 'A' team came through and qualified for the county finals. The team acquitted themselves excellently in the county finals and did the school proud, eventually losing out to the tournament winners.

Seachtain Na Gaeilge

Tá Seachtain Na Gaeilge ar ais linn i Scoil Bhríde agus i mbliana tá a lán rudaí eagraithe againn do ghach rang. Mar chuid den seachtain ar leith seo tá dhá chomórtas iontach ar siúl; comórtas scríbhneoireachta agus comórtas fógráin; don chéad cheann tá na daltaí ag scríobh scéalta deasa dúinn agus sa dara ceann tá siad ag dearadh fógrán le Gaeilge orthu. Le linn na seachtaine beidh deis againn na drámaí álainne ó na naíonáin mhóra agus ó rang a sé a fheiceáil dúinn féin. Freisin beidh Gaeilgeoirí Na Seachtaine i ngach rang agus ansin Dé hAoine beidh gach duine ag teacht le chéile don Chéilí Mór!

Seachtain Na Gaeilge is back with us in Scoil Bhríde and we've a full programme of events and fun competitions for all. This year we have two competitions open to all the classes, one for story writing and one for designing a labelled poster in Irish. We'll also get a chance to see the plays by the Naíonáin Mhóra and Rang A Sé pupils. As usual there are prizes for Gaeilgeoirí Na Seachtaine and there is the ever popular Céilidh Mór of Irish dancing on Friday!

Féile Scoil Drámaíocht na Gaillimhe'

Thóg páistí na Naíonáin Mhóra páirt i Féile Scoil Drámaíocht na Gaillimhe i Halla Chill Chornáin, Droichead an Chláirín ar an 23/02/2018. *Síofrá Sicín* is ainm don dráma. D'éirigh leo dhá ghradam a bhaint amach ar an lá, don amhránaíocht binn agus don aisteoireacht iontach. Tá múinteoir Orla an-bhrodúil as an rang. Míle buíochas don na túistí agus foireann na scoile a thug an-chúnamh don rang ar an lá.

Naíonáin Mhóra performed 'Síofra Sicín' as part of the 'Féile Scoil Drámaíocht na Gaillimhe' competition on the 23/02/2018 and they also took part in the 'Coirm Gaelinn' in the Town hall on 06/03/2018. Naíonáin Mhóra won two awards in the Town Hall. One award was for their brilliant singing abilities and the other for great acting skills. Múinteoir Orla is very proud of her class and would like to thank all the parents and members of staff who helped put it all together on the day. Naíonáin Mhóra performed 'Síofra Sicín' for the school on Wednesday as part of Seachtain na Gaeilge.

Coirm i Halla na Cathrach/Townhall

Ghlac paistí Naíonáin Mhóra agus Rang a 6 páirt i gCoirm Gael Linn i Halla na Cathrach ar an 6ú Márta. Bhí siad thar cionn! Bronnadh ghá ghradam do Naíonáin Mhóra don seó 'Síofra Sicín'. Bhuaigh Rang a 6 gradam amháin don seó "Caithfidh mé é seo a rá". Míle buíochas do na tuismitheoirí a thug cabhair do Mhúinteoir Orla agus do Mhúinteoir Caitríona.

Naíonáin Mhóra and Rang a 6 took part in Coirm Gael Linn in the Town Hall on 6th March. They were fantastic! Naíonáin Mhóra won two awards for their show 'Síofra Sicín'. Rang a 6 won an award for their show "Caithfidh mé é seo a rá". Many thanks to all the parents who helped Mhúinteoir Orla and Mhúinteoir Caitríona. Rang 6 also performed their drama for the whole school on Wednesday as part of Seachtain na Gaeilge.

Airgead le n-íoc/ Monies Owed

Fág isteach, le bhur dtoil, aon airgead atá le n-íoc ar son snámh, ceachtanna Sínis agus bhus san oifig nó i mbosca poist na scoile. Monies owed for swimming, Chinese and recent bus journeys can be left into the front office or the school post box (on the left hand side of the main school door). Míle buíochas daoibh ar fad, Thank you all.

Díolachán Cácaí/Cake Sale

Bhí deirfiúr Aoibhe Elwood I mBealarúis ar na mallaibh ag obair mar oibrí deonach le 'Adi Roche's Chernobyl Children International'. Beidh díolachán cácaí ag R5 ar Déardaoin 22ú Márta le hairgead a thógáil don charthanas.

Aoibhe Elwood's (R5) sister was recently in Belarus volunteering with 'Adi Roche's Chernobyl Children Internation'. Rang 5 will have a cake sale on Thursday 22nd March to raise money for 'Chernobyl Children International'. All support welcome. Due to food allergies, we ask that no food containing nuts or seeds be brought in.

*Remember to look up at the stars...
Be curious.
And however difficult life may seem,
There is always something you
Can do and succeed at.
It matters that you don't just give up.*

Professor Stephen Hawking
1942-2018



Is mise le meas,

Máire De Brún, Príomhoide