

Scoil Barra Naofa Cailíní Board of Management – Annual Report 2020

Board of Management 2019/'20

Chairperson – Eleanor Crowley
Treasurer – Rosie Hogan
Secretary – Marge O'Brien
Teacher Rep – Caitriona Devine
Parent Reps – Mary Barry

Paul Walsh

Community Reps – Séan Cowman

Lucv Walsh

School Ethos

Grandparents Day October 17th Service of Light December 2nd Do This In Memory masses held First Confession February

Postponed:

Confirmation on April 2nd Communion on May 18th Visit from Diocesan Advisor May 27th

Other:

Student Council elected. Graduation for 6th Class June 30th

Summer Works/Buildings

- Following underground investigations by Cumnor under the direction of a structural engineer, an application has been made to the DES for emergency works to replace collapsed drains.
- Fire Safety internal emergency lighting replaced
- Painting upstairs corridors and 6th class bathrooms. Outside railings.
- Security staff door entry keypad.
- Leaking cast iron down-pipe replaced.

Staffing

New staff 2019/20

Ailbhe Kennedy- permanent

2020 Retirements:

Joan Morley - teacher Mary Swords - cleaner

2019/2020 Secondment to Professional Development Service for Teachers:

Margaret Foley

Deputy Principal Appointment

Caitriona Devine

Policy Development / Review

Code of Behaviour, annually Anti-Bullying, annually

Child Safeguarding Statement, annually GDPR.

Teacher Induction, Droichead. SNA Roles & Responsibilities

Admissions Policy
Critical Incident Policy

Relationships & Sexuality Education Policy

PE Whole School Plan

Sporting and other Achievements

Sciath na Scól Champions 2019 Green Flag – Global Citizenship Amber Flag -mental health awareness Save the Bees - Supervalu Add Campaign School App – Aladdin Connect

After School Provision:

Club Spraoi, Zumba, Musical Theatre, Music Bugs, Tennis, School Choir, Play Therapy.

School Garden:

Thank you to our community volunteers for their ongoing support in the creation of our amazing outdoor learning environment.

Curricular Development

School Self Evaluation – Digital Learning

Purchase of 19 Ipads with charging trolley to support Digital Learning Plan. Whole school WiFi upgrade and two Smart Interactive panels.

SPHE Roots of Empathy Programme Wellness Week, Amber Flag Awarded Healthy Eating – Food Dudes

Visual Arts – Teacher/Artist Partnership **SESE** – New History Programme sourced for book rental scheme

Engineers week – Visiting engineers, Stem workshops and challenges, mini engineers

Science EXPO during science week

Maths – Launch of Ready, Set Go maths.

Literacy –CAPER – first, second, fourth.

Senior infants literacy station teaching.

PE – PDST support, gymnastics.

Parents' Association

We sincerely thank our Parent's Association for their support and fundraising efforts throughout the year: Refreshments provided for Beaumont GNS Open Night & Grandparents Day. New Infant & Graduation Goodie Bags. Halloween Disco. Santa Visit with Hot Chocolate & Cookies. Book Fair Support. Easter Event postponed.

We are committed to welcoming all our pupils back to school in the autumn while following all DES safety guidelines.