



Gaelscoil Thaobh na Coille

MOL AN ÓIGE AGUS TIOCFADH SÍ

25/09/2017

Fáilte Mhór Roimh na Naíonáin Shóisearacha

Tá gach duine i nGaelscoil Thaobh na Coille ar ais ar scoil arís agus iad dírithe isteach ar an obair chrua! Tá beagnach 470 dalta sa scoil anois agus 60 naíonáin shóisearacha tosnaíthe linn ag tús mí Meán Fómhair. Fáilte speisialta roimh na páistí agus na tuismitheoirí nua a thosaigh linn i mbliana. Tá súil agam go mbainfidh sibh taitneamh agus tairbhe as na blianta a chaithfidh sibh linn i nGaelscoil Thaobh na Coille.

We're all back in school and busy at work in Gaelscoil Thaobh na Coille. With almost 470 pupils and 60 junior infants who started with us this September our school has become an extremely busy place. A special 'céad míle fáilte' to all the new pupils and parents who joined our school this year. We hope they will enjoy and benefit from the years they will spend with us in Gaelscoil Thaobh na Coille.

Cuirim i gcuimhne daoibh gurb í an Ghaeilge amháin is ceart a bheith á labhairt ag na páistí ón uair go dtagann siad an geata isteach ar maidin go bhfágann siad tailte Ghaelscoil Thaobh na Coille ag deireadh an lae. Sé'n manna atá againn leis na páistí ná 'Labhraímid Gaeilge an t-am ar fad, i ngach aon áit i nGaelscoil Thaobh na Coille'. Iarraim ar thuistí uile na scoile sár-iarracht a dhéanamh an Ghaeilge a labhairt agus sibh ag fágaint bhúr bpáistí ar scoil ar maidin agus á mbailiú arís ag am dul abhaile san iarnóin. Níor cheart go gcloisfí Béarla ar bith amuigh ar an gclós. Más gá daoibh Béarla a labhairt bhéinn an-bhuíoch daoibh ach bogadh ar leath taobh agus labhairt go ciúin agus go díscréideach.

May I remind you that the children must speak Gaeilge from the minute they cross the school gates in the morning until they leave again in the afternoon. Our motto is 'We speak Irish all the time and every where in Gaelscoil Thaobh na Coille'. I ask all our parents to make a concerted effort to speak 'as Gaeilge' when you are dropping your children off in the morning and picking them up again at home time. No English should be heard out on the yard. If you must speak English I would be extremely grateful if you could step aside and do so quietly and out of ear shot!

Is mise le meas

Imar Lú Chonchubha



Ailléirge Cnónna

Cuirimid i gcuimhne daoibh arís gan cnónna nó bia le cnónna a bheith mar chuid de lón scoile do pháiste/pháistí mar go bhfuil **droch-ailléirge le cnónna** ag roinnt daltaí i ranganna éagsúla sa scoil.



We remind you all once again not to include nuts & foods containing nuts in your child/children's school lunch/lunches as there are several children throughout the school that suffer from **severe nut allergies**.

Nut Allergy

Éide Scoile

Éide Scoile Iomlán

Is gá do na páistí ar fad ó rang a 1 go rang a 6 an t-éide scoile iomlán, a chaitheamh an t-am ar fad. Caithtear an culaith spóirt ar an lá go ndéantar corp oideachas agus ar an lá sin amháin.

Bróga Scoile

Bróga **dubh** nó **dubhghorm** amháin ba cheart a bheith á chaitheamh ag na páistí ar scoil. Níl bróga nó bróga reatha il-daite ceadaithe. (Bróga reatha dubh, dubhghorm nó bán)

Na Naíonáin

Tá sé de rogha ag na naíonáin an culaith spóirt a chaitheamh lá ar bith gur mian leo.

Corp Oideachas Aoine: R3 R4 R5 R6 Luan: N1 N2 R1 R2



School Uniform

All pupils from first to sixth class must wear the school uniform at all times. The school tracksuit is worn once a week i.e. the day on which they have P.E.

School Shoes

Only **black** or **navy** shoes are to be worn to school. Coloured shoes or runners are not permitted as they are not part of the school uniform. (Runners should be black, navy or white)

Junior & Senior Infants

The infants have the option of wearing the tracksuit at all times or any day they wish.

P.E. Days Friday: R3 R4 R5 R6 Monday: N1 N2 R1 R2

School Uniform

Ceachtanna snámha

Freastalaíonn daltaí R1, R2 & R3 ar cheachtanna snámha i linn snámha Meadowbrook i mBaile an tSaoir mar chuid den Chorp Oideachas. Tá 3 sheisiún (9 seachtainí an seisiún) curtha in áirithe dár scoil rud a chiallaíonn gur féidir le rang ghrúpa éagsúil freastal ar ranganna snámha gach téarma. €65 an costas a bheidh ar na ceachtanna snámha seo (costas an bhus san áireamh). Seo a leanas na socraithe atá déanta againn don scoil bliain seo 2017/2018

Téarma 1: **R3A & R3B : Dé hAoine 15/09/2017 →**

Téarma 2: R2A & R2B : Dé hAoine 19/01/2018 →

Téarma 3: R1A & R1B : Dé hAoine 20/04/2018 →



Swimming lessons are arranged for the pupils of R1, R2 & R3 in Meadowbrook swimming pool in Ballinteer as part of the physical education curriculum. Each class attends classes for 9 consecutive weeks. Three terms of 9 weeks each have been set aside for Gaelscoil Thaobh na Coille which means that one class group attends each term. The cost of the swimming lessons is €65 (which includes the cost of bus transport). The following arrangements have been made for this school year 2017/2018

Term 1 : **R3A & R3B : Friday 15/09/2017 →**

Term 2 : R2A & R2B : Friday 12/01/2018 →

Term 3 : R1A & R1B : Friday 13/04/2018 →

Swimming lessons

Madraí

Níl sé ceadaithe madraí a thabhairt isteach sa chlós nó ar thailte na scoile fiú má tá siad ar cheangal treorach. Tá an riail seo i bhfeidhm ar mhaithe le sábháilteacht na bpáistí & ar mhaithe le cothromaíocht do pháistí go bhfuil fadhbairtí orthu roimh mhadraí.



Dogs are not permitted on the yard or in the school grounds even if they are on a lead. This rule is in place in order to ensure the safety of the children and in consideration of children who may be fearful of dogs.

Dogs

Ranganna Gaeilge do Thuismitheoirí

Beidh ranganna comhrá Gaeilge do thuismitheoirí á reachtáil ag Fiona Ní Chléirigh ar an Mháirt ó 8pm - 9pm. Tosóidh na ranganna ar an 3 Deireadh Fómhair. Tuille eolais le fail ó Fiona ag ni_cheili@hotmail.com nó 087 9619910 .



Ranganna Gaeilge for Parents

Fiona Ní Chléirigh will run Irish conversational classes for parents on Tuesday evenings from 8pm - 9pm. Classes will begin on the 3rd of October. For more information contact Fiona on ni_cheili@hotmail.com or 087 9619910



Comhgháirdeachas le Lauren & le Foireann B.Á.C.

Comhgháirdeachas le foireann peile na mban B.Á.C. as Craobh Peile na hÉireann a bhuachaint inné. Comhgháirdeachas mór milteach go speisialta le Lauren Nic Aoidh iar-scoláire de chuid na scoile agus deirfiúr le Cillian Ó Catháin i R3A as an sár-imirt a rinne sí do B.Á.C. i bPáirc an Chrócaigh inné. Congratulations to the Dublin team on winning the all-Ireland Ladies football final in Croke Park yesterday. A special congratulations to our past pupil (and brother of Cillian Ó Catháin in R3A) Lauren Nic Aoidh on her magnificent performance in Croke Park. Táimid an-bhródúil aisti.

Imeachtaí Breis Curaclaim

Traenáil Peile

Tá páirt á ghlacadh ag foirne peile sinsearacha na scoile (cailíní & buachaillí) páirt i léigeanna peile Chumann na mBunscol arís i mbliana. S'iad an Múinteoir Rónán Mac Niallais & An Múinteoir Maoilíosa Ó Dubhthaigh atá ag tabhairt faoi thraenáil na mbuachaillí agus an Múinteoir Cliona Seoighe, & an Múinteoir Karl Priestley atá ag traenáil na cailíní. Fáiltítear roimh dhalta ar bith ó R5 go R6 freastal ar an dtraenáil.

Bíonn traenáil peile na mbuachaillí ar siúl i ndiaidh na scoile Luan agus bíonn na cluichí léige na mbuachaillí ar siúl ar an Déardaoin. Bíonn traenáil peile na gcailíní ar siúl maidin Luain agus bíonn na cluichí léige acu ar an gCéadaoin. Ní bheidh an deis ag gach dalta imirt 'sna cluichí gach seachtain faraor mar go mbeidh i bhfad níos mó daltaí ag traenáil ná mar atá áiteanna ar an bhfoireann.



Club Spraoi

Feidhmíonn an Club Spraoi 4 lá in aghaidh na seachtaine i ndiaidh am scoile. Do dhaltaí ó R1 & níos airde bíonn sé ar siúl óna 2.30pm go dtí 4pm ón Luan go Déardaoin. Má tá breis eolais uait faoi seol r-post chuig: clubspraoitaobhnacaille@gmail.com nó déan teagmháil leis an Múinteoir Bróna Ní Bhaoil.

Ranganna Fraincise

Do dhaltaí ó R5 - R6. Déardaoin 2.30pm. Á reáchtáil ag an Clíodhna Ní Leocháin.

Ranganna Feadóg Mhóir

Do dhaltaí ó R4 - R6. 2.30pm Á reáchtáil ag Tomás Mac Uileagóid - Máirt & Oisín Mac Muiris - Luan, Máirt, Déardaoin (ranganna lán)

Ranganna Fídlí

Do dhaltaí ó R1 - R5. Dé Máirt, Déardaoin, Dé hAoine 2.30pm. Á reáchtáil ag Cormac Chambers (ranganna lán)

Ranganna Giotar

Do dhaltaí ó R5 - R6. Dé Máirt, Déardaoin 2.30pm. Á reáchtáil ag Colm Ó Coisdealbha (ranganna lán)

Ranganna Piano

A reáchtáil ag Clíodhna Ní Leocháin Dé Luan, Dé Máirt (ranganna lán)

Ranganna Rince

McDonnell Dawson Academy of Irish Dancing - Dé hAoine 2.30pm - 3.30pm. Á reáchtáil ag Joanne Nic Dhomhnaill. Tuile eolais déan teagmháil le Joanne ag 087 6474937

Ranganna Karate

Dé Máirt & Déardaoin 7pm á reáchtáil ag Finn Ryan Three Rock Kenpo. Gach eolas ag www.threerockkenpo.com

Extra Curricular Activities

Football Training

Our senior football teams (boys & girls) are participating in the Cumann na mBunscol football league again this year. An Múinteoir Rónán Mac Niallais & an Múinteoir Colm Ó Coisdealbha are managing the boys football team and an Múinteoir Cliona Seoighe, & an Múinteoir Karl Priestley are managing the girl's team. All pupils from R5 - R6 are welcome to attend training.

Training for the boys will take place on Monday afternoons with league matches being played on Thursdays. Training for the girls takes place on Monday mornings with league matches being played on Wednesdays. Not all pupils will get to play in the matches every week as the number of children wishing to attend training far out ways the number of children allowed on each football team.

Club Spraoi

The 'Club Spraoi' is up and running 4 days per week after school. For children in R1 & above, it runs from 2:30 to 4pm Monday to Thursday. If you require any other information regarding the 'Club Spraoi' please email: Clubspraoitaobhnacaille@gmail.com or contact An Múinteoir Bróna Ní Bhaoil.

French Classes

Open to pupils in R5 - R6. Thursday 2.30pm Run by Clíodhna Ní Leocháin.

Flute Classes

Open to pupils in R4 - R6. 2.30pm Tomás Mac Uileagóid on Tuesdays & Oisín Mac Muiris - Monday, Tuesdays, Thursday (classes full)

Fiddle Classes

Open to pupils from R1 - R5. 2.30pm Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays. Run by Cormac Chambers (classes full)

Guitar Classes

Open to pupils in R5 - R6. Tuesday & Thursday 2.30pm. Run by Colm Ó Coisdealbha (classes full)

Piano Classes

Run by Clíodhna Ní Leocháin 2.30pm Monday & Tuesday (classes full)

Irish Dancing

McDonnell Dawson Academy of Irish Dancing - Friday 2.30pm - 3.30pm. Run by Joanne McDonnell. For further information contact Joanne on 087 6474937

Karate Classes

Tuesdays & Thursdays 7pm. Run by Finn Ryan from Three Rock Kenpo. More info www.threerockkenpo.com

Páirceáil Neamhúdaraíthe i mBeallairmín

Iarrann PETRA Property - comhlacht bainistíochta eastáit Bheallairmín- orainn a chur i gcuimhne do thuismitheoirí na Gaelscoile nach bhfuil sé ceadaithe páirceáil in am ar bith 'sna hionaid páirceála atá ainmnithe do thionóntaithe Bheallairmín.



Unauthorised Parking in Belarmine

PETRA Property - the property management company acting for Belarmine Development request that we remind the parents of Gaelscoil Thaobh na Coille that they are not permitted to park in any of the Designated Residential Parking areas in Belarmine estate.

Naíonáin Shóisearacha 2018

Bí cinnte go bhfuil do pháiste cláraithe linn má tá sé i gceist agat go dtosóidh sé/sí sa scoil an bhliain seo chugainn. Beidh foirm chláráithe Meán Fómhair 2018 á sheoladh amach againn ag gach clan le gach páiste atá réamhchláráithe linn ag tús na míosa seo chugainn. Ofráilfear áiteanna sa scoil i rang naíonáin shóisearacha na bliana seo chugainn (MeánFómhair 2018) ar an Aoine 17ú Samhain .



2017 Junior Infant Class

Please ensure that you filled out a pre-enrolment form for your child if you intend starting them in school next year. Enrolment forms for September 2018 will be posted out at the beginning of October to all families of children for whom we have received pre-enrolled forms. School places for next year's junior infant classes (Sept 2018) will be allocated on the 17th of November 2017.

Dátaí don Dialann

Seó na Naíonáin

Beidh na naíonáin shóisearacha (N1A, N1B, N1C) ag déanamh cur i láthair beag dá dtuismitheoirí de na rannta agus na hamhráin atá á fhoghlaim acu ar scoil ar an **DÉARDAOIN** an **26 Deireadh Fómhair** ag 1pm. Beidh tae/caifé ar fáil sa halla óna 12.30pm



Dates for the Diary

Junior Infants Recital

Our Junior Infants (N1A, N1B, N1C) will put on a small performance for you the parents, of the poems and the songs they are learning at school on **THURSDAY** the **26th of October** at 1pm. Tea/Coffee will be served to the parents in the halla before hand from 12.30pm

Coiste na dTuistí - Oíche Shóisialta

Reachtáilfidh Coiste na dTuistí oíche shóisialta ceoil, rince & craic do thuistí na scoile ar an Aoine, 20 Deireadh Fómhair. Iarraim oraibh teacht amach ar an oíche sin agus tacaíocht a léiriú don Choiste san obair mhór atá ar siúl acu ar mhaithe lenár bpáistí & leis an scoil. Tuile eolais le teacht



Coiste na dTuistí - Social Night

Coiste na dTuistí are organising a social night of ceoil, rince and craic for parents on Friday the 20th of October. I would ask you to come out that night and show your support to your Coiste who are organising this fundraising and social event for the benefit of



Na cailíní amuigh i mbun traenála céad rud maidin Luain



Páistí i N1A ag tógáil leis an Múinteoir Cormac Chambers