

Gaeilscoil
Thaobh na Coille

12/10/2015

NUACHTLITIR

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Fiche Bliain ag Fás

1995 - 2015

Aifreann Ceiliúrtha

A Thuismitheoirí,

Mar chuid de cheilúradh 20 bliana na scoile tá Afreann Ceiliúrtha le bheith againn ar an Déardaoin an 22 Deireadh Fómhair ag 7pm i Séipéal Mhuire, Áth an Ghainimh. Go mí-ábharach ceal spáis, ní feidir linn daltaí uile na scoile a bheith i láthair ag an gceiliúradh seo mar nach mbeidh spás sa séipéal dóibh ar fad. Tá súil againn go mbeidh na daltaí ar fad ó Rang a 3 go Rang a 6 agus a gcuid tuismitheoirí ann ar an oíche. Cuirfear fíor-fháilte freisin roimh thuismitheoirí daltaí sóisearach na scoile, iar-dhaltaí, iar-thuismitheoirí agus cairde na scoile a bheith linn agus muid ag ceiliúradh 20 bliana ag fás. Má tá teagmháil agat le hiar-dhalta nó iar-thusite de chuid na scoile bheimís buíoch diot ach a insint dóibh faoin gceiliúradh speisialta seo.

As part of our 20th anniversary celebrations we are holding a celebratory Mass on **Thursday the 22nd of October at 7pm in St Mary's Church, Sandyford Village.** Unfortunately due to lack of space we cannot have all the pupils in attendance on **the night as there wouldn't be enough room for everyone in the church.** However we hope that all the pupils from Rang a 3 to Rang a 6 and their parents will be there to celebrate with us. Parents of pupils in our junior classes, past-pupils, past-parents and friends of the school are most welcome to attend to celebrate our first 20 years. If you are in contact with any past pupils or past parents from the school we would be grateful if you could let the know about this event.

Is mise le meas

Príomhoide

Aifreann Ceil iúr tha
Celebratory mass

Déardaoin 22/10/2015

Séipéal Mhuire
Ath an ghainimh
B.ÁC. 18

7pm

DALTAÍ r3 GO R6
FAILTE ROIMH
THUISMITHEOIRÍ, IAR-DHALTAÍ
IAR-THUISMITHEOIRÍ
& CAIRDE NA SCOILE

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Bord Bainistíochta

2011 - 2015

Cathaoirleach: Conor Mac Daid



Mary Mhic Dhomhnaill
Oilibhéar Ó hAodha
Lusáí Mhic Cnáimhsí
Conor Mac Daid
Emer Nic Chonchrada
Fiona Ní Chléirigh
Colm Mac Giolla Phádraig
Ailín Ní Dhomhnaill

Má tá spéis agat dul chun cinn don toghachán seo ná bíodh aon leisce ort teagmháil a dhéanamh leis an bpríomhoide/oifig. Le tuille eolais a fháil.

Déanfar gach iarracht do chuid ceisteanna a fhreagairt agus aon cabhair gur féidir a thabhairt duit.

If you are considering putting your name forward please do not hesitate to contact the principal or the office with any queries you might have.

We will do our best to answer all your questions.

Bord Bainistíochta
Nua

2015 - 2019

Bord Bainistíochta Nua le Ceapadh New Board of Management

Tá treoir faighte againn ón Roinn Oideachais & Scileanna agus ón bhForas Patrúnachta (Pátrún na Scoile) tús a chur le próiseis toghacháin Bord Bainistíochta nua na scoile agus tá comhairle curtha acu orainn faoin modh ceart atá le leanúint againn. Seo a leanas comhdhéanamh an Bhoird Bainistíochta.

1. *Beirt ionadaí de chuid an Phatrúin (molta ag an mBord atá ag feidhmiú faoi láthair).*
2. *Beirt thuismitheoir a bhfuil páistí leo cláraithe sa scoil (máthair agus athair).*
3. *Príomhoide na scoile.*
4. *Múinteoir de fhoireann na scoile.*
5. *Beirt eile a mholfaidh an seisear atá tofa ó (1) – (4) thuas.*

The Department of Education & Skills and An Foras Patrúnachta (our school's Patrons) have written to us instructing us to begin the process for the election of the schools new Board of Management and advising us on procedures which must be followed. The composition of the Board of Management will be as follows:

1. Two direct nominees of the Patron proposed by present Board of Management
2. Two parents of children enrolled in the school (one being a mother, the other a father)
3. The Principal Teacher of the school.
4. One other teacher on the staff of the school.
5. Two extra members proposed by those nominees, described in (1) - (4) above.

Toghachán d'Ionadaithe na dTuismitheoirí Parent Representatives

Cuirimid fáilte anois roimh ainmhithe do IONADAITHE na dTUISMITHEOIRÍ (pointe (2) thuas) don Bhoird Bainistíochta.

Eagrófar cruinniú do thuismitheoirí na Gaelscoile ar an Mháirt an 03/11/2015 áit a lorgófar ainmniúcháin ó thuismitheoirí na scoile d'ionadaithe na dtuismitheoirí ar an mBord Bainistíochta (painéal máithreacha & painéal aithreacha). Muna mbionn ach an t-aon ainmniúchán amháin ann do ceachtar painéal, ainmneofar é/i/iad tofa d-aon ghuth. Má bhíonn breis is ainmniúchán amháin ann do cheann ar bith de na painéil, reachtálfar ballóid rúnda ag an gcruinniú.

We now invite nominations for the two PARENTS REPRESENTATIVES (point (2) above) who will sit on the Board of Management.

A meeting of parents will be held on Tuesday evening the 03/11/2015 at which nominations will be sought from parents for persons to stand for election as parent representatives on the Board of Management (a mother's panel and a father's panel). If there is only one nominee for either panel, the nominee(s) shall be deemed to be elected. If more than one nomination is received for either of the panels, a secret ballot shall be held at the meeting.

Téarma Oifige an Bhoird Term of Office

Faoin am teorainn atá leaghta síos ag An Roinn Oideachais is gá don Bhoird nua a bheith i bhfeidhm faoin 1 Nollaig 2015 ar a dhéanaí. Críochnóidh téarma an Bhoird ar an 30ú Samhain 2019. Téarma oifige 4 bliana atá ann.

Faoi phátrúnacht an Fhorais is gá go mbeadh an Bord Bainistíochta ag feidhmiú trí Ghaeilge agus dá bhrí sin is gá go mbeadh Gaeilge feidhmeach ag na hainmnithe ar fad.

Under the timeframe set by the Department of Education the new Board shall assume office not later than 1st December 2015. The term of all Boards shall expire on 30th November 2019. The Term of Office of the Board is 4 years

It must be noted that under the patronage of An Foras Patrúnachta all Board meetings must be conducted through Irish and therefore all nominees are required to have a working knowledge of Irish.

Féinmheastóireacht Scoile School Self-Evaluation

Sa scoilbhliain 2012/13 chuireamar tús le próiseas na féinmheastóireachta scoile. Roghnaíodh an litearthacht (Gaeilge) mar réimse fócais d'fhéinmheastóireacht scoile i nGaelscoil Thaobh na Coille. Cuireadh Tuairisc Fhéinmheastóireachta Scoile don Ghaeilge i gcrích i Meitheamh 2014 agus cuireadh Plean Feabhsúcháin Scoile don Ghaeilge i bhfeidhm sa scoilbhliain 2014/2015. Táimid ag leanúint leis an bplean sin i mbliana 2015/2016.

Diríonn an plean feabhsúcháin don Ghaeilge ar na réimsí forbartha seo a leanas:

- Cruinneas teanga na ndaltaí a fheabhsú
- Saibhreas teanga na ndaltaí a fhorbairt
- Diriú ar cheart úsáid an bhriathair, le béim ar leith ar na briathra neamhrialta.
- Plean grádaithe don Ghaeilge a chur le chéile de réir gach caihdeán ranga sa scoil.

In the 2012/13 school year, we started on the school self-evaluation process. We choose to focus on Literacy in Irish in Gaelscoil Thaobh na Coille for our school self-evaluation. We completed a self-evaluation report on literacy in Irish in June 2014 began implementing our school improvement plan for literacy in Irish school year **2014/2015 and continue with it's implementation** this school year 2015/2016.

We have prioritised the following areas as our focus for improvement:

- To improve & develop the accuracy of the pupils' oral language
- To develop & enrich the pupils' oral language
- To focus on the correct usage of verbs, specifically the irregular verbs
- To put together a graded plan for Gaeilge for each class level in the school

Tuairisc FMS Uimhearthacht SSE Report 2015

Mar chuid d'obair leanúnach féinmheastóireacht na scoile cinneadh diriú ar an Uimhearthacht (matamaitic) mar an dara ábhar den féinmheastóireacht. I rith na bliana seo thart 2014/2015 rinne na múinteoirí macnamh doimhin agus inniúchadh ar éifeachtúlacht teagasc & eispéreas foghlama na huimhearachta sa scoil.

Tá Tuairisc Fhéinmheastóireachta Scoile don uimhearthacht curtha i gcrích againn agus Plean Feabhsúcháin Scoile don uimhearthacht atá bunaithe ar thorthaí an inniúchadh sin á chur i bhfeidhm againn i mbliana 2015/2016.

Tuairisc FMS 2015 ar shuíomh ghréasáin na scoile

As part of the ongoing school self-evaluation we chose Numeracy (Mathematics) as our second subject for self-evaluation. During the last school year 2014/2015 we evaluated and analysed the teaching and learning of Numeracy (Mathematics) in our school. We have completed a self-evaluation report on numeracy based on our findings and on the information we acquired from our parent and pupil surveys and are implementing a school improvement plan for numeracy this year 2015/2016.

SSE Report 2015 can be read on school website

Cúrsaí Spóirt



Ghlac foireann peile na gcaillíní páirt i gCorn an Chladaigh i mbliana. D'imir siad Scoil Mológa, Scoil Naithí & Scoil Nmh. Olaf 'sna cluichí sraithe.

Chriochnaigh siad sa tríú háit agus fuair an ceann is fearr ar Scoil Treasa, Teach na Giúise 3.10 v 2.06 i gceathrú craobh an sciath. Tá siad ag súil go mór anois leis an gcluiche leath chraobh i gcoinne Garrán Mhuire ar an gCéadaoin 14 Deireadh Fómhair.

Bhí an bua ag foireann peile na mbuachaillí – i gcoinne Scoil

Chillian, Oatlands & Scoil Nmh. Olaf 'sna réamh bhabhtáí i gCorn Chlanna Gael. Chriochnaigh siad ar bharr an léig & d'imir siad cluiche an-dian i gcoinne Scoil Naomh Beindict, Ongar, sa cheathrú chraobh. Bhuardar 3.09 v 3.06 agus tá cluiche leath chraoibhe bainte amach acu anois i gcoinne An Chorr Dhubh.



Tá tuille eolais faoin bhFéinmheastachán Scoile maraon le cóip den Tuairisc Fhéinmheastóireachta Scoile agus an Plean Feabhsúcháin Scoile ar fáil ar shuíomh Ghréasáin na Scoile

More information about School Self-Evaluation, a summary of the SSE Report & the School Improvement Plan can be found on our school web-site

www.taobhnacoille.ie

→ Policies → School Self-Evaluation

Diríonn an plean feabhsúcháin don Uimhearthacht ar na réimsí forbartha seo a leanas:

- Feabhas a chur ar chumas na ndaltaí focal fadhbanna matamaitice a réiteach.
- Feabhas a chur ar thuiscint na ndaltaí ar theanga na Matamaitice
- Feabhas a chur ar thuiscint na ndaltaí faoin úsáid a baintear as an Matamaitic sa ghnáthshaol & sa timpeallacht

The improvement plan for Numeracy focuses on the following areas:

- Improve pupils ability to solve mathematical 'word problems'.
- Improve pupils understanding of Maths language and terminology.
- Improve pupils understanding of how and when we use Maths in our everyday lives.



Seó na Naíonáin

Beidh na naíonáin shóisearacha ag déanamh cur i láthair beag dá dtuismitheoirí de na rannta agus na hamhráin atá foghlamtha acu ó thosaigh siad ar scoil i Meán Fómhair. Fáilte roimh na tuismitheoirí cuairt a thabhairt ar sheomraí ranga a bpáistí ar an gCÉADAOIN an **21 Deireadh Fómhair** - N1A ag **12.45pm agus N1B & N1C ag 1pm**. Beidh tae/caifé ar fáil roimh réidh óna 12.30pm i halla na scoile.



Infants Recital

Our Junior Infants will put on a small performance for you the parents, of the poems and the songs they have learnt since starting in school in September. All **parents of junior infant are invited to visit their child's classroom on WEDNESDAY the 21st of October - N1A at 12.45pm and N1B & N1C at 1pm**. Tea/Coffee will be served to the parents in the halla before hand from 12.30 onwards.

Gléasadh na Samhna

Beidh cead ag na páistí teacht isteach ar scoil i bhfeistis bréigéide ar an Aoine an 23 Deireadh Fómhair. Ní bheidh aon chomórtas bréigéide ann i mbliana



Halloween Dress Up

The children may come to school in fancy dress costumes on Friday the 23rd of October. However there will be no dress up competition this year.

Cruinnithe Tuistí Múinteoirí

Beidh na cruinnithe Tuismitheoirí/Múinteoirí ar siúl sa scoil ar an Déardaoin an 19 Samhain ó 2.45pm ar aghaidh. Beidh coinne 10 nóiméad ann do gach dalta sa scoil. Seolfar clár ama na gcruinnithe agus coinne pearsanta amach ag tús mí na Samhna.



Parent Teacher Meetings

Our Parent/Teacher meetings will be held in the school on Thursday 19th of November from 2.45pm onwards. Each pupil in the school will be allocated a 10 minute slot. The scheduled timetable & personal appointment times will be sent out in early November.

Geamaireacht an Helix

Beidh daltaí R1, R3 & R5 ag dul go dtí an geamaireacht Seán & an Gas Pónaire sa Helix ar an Aoine an 4 Nollaig. Costas €15 an duine (ticéad & bus) a bheidh ar seo. Baileofar an t-airgead i lár mí na Samhna.



Pantomime in the Helix

R1, R3 & R5 will be going to the Panto 'Jack in the Beanstalk' in the Helix on Friday the 4th of December. This trip will cost €15 per person (ticket & bus). Money will be collected mid November.

Gearrscéalta Nuachta

Lá na nGeansaithe

Mile buíochas le gach duine a sheol airgead isteach chun na scoile ar lá na nGeansaithe ar an Aoine seo thart. Bailíodh **€1,139** do Goal ar an lá.

Tá an Samhradh Thart !

Tá an Samhradh thart! Bristí gearra le cuir i dtaisce go dtí an bhliain seo chugainn! Éide scoile iomlán le caitheamh gach lá ach amháin ar lá corpoideachas (Luan nó Aoine)

Laethanta Báistí

Nuair a bhíonn sé ag stealladh básití ar maidin bailíonn na daltaí sa halla. Ní scaoilfear éinne isteach sa halla go dtí 8.45am

Ranganna Gaeilge do Thuistí

Ranganna Gaeilge do thuistí sa scoil oíche. Mháirt 8pm go 9pm. Gach eolas ón Múinteoir Fiona Ní Chléirigh.

Scoil Oideachas le Chéile

Fógraíodh le déanaí go mbeidh an Meánscoil Oideachas le Chéile nua atá le tosú i MeánFómhair 2016 lonnaithe go sealadach sa suíomh béal dorais linn anseo i nGaelscoil Thaobh na Coille agus go mbeidh Bunscoil Oideachas le Chéile na Céime lonnaithe ann ina dhiaidh sin.

News in Brief

GOAL Jersey Day

Thanks to everyone who sent money into school for Goal Jersey day on Friday last. **€1,139** was raised for Goal on the day.

Summer is Over!

Believe it or not the summer is over! It's now October and it's time to pack away the shorts until next year! Full school uniform to be worn every day except for P.E. day

Wet Mornings

When it is very wet in the morning the pupils line-up in the hall. Children will not be allowed into the hall until 8.45am

Ranganna Gaeilge for Parents

Ranganna Gaeilge for parents in the school on Tuesday night 8pm - 9pm. Contact Múinteoir Fiona Ni Chléirigh for more info.

Educate Together School

It was announced recently that the New Educate Together Secondary School which is due to open in September 2016 will be temporarily located on the site beside Gaelscoil Thaobh na Coille and that this site is reserved for Stepside Educate Together Primary School.