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Cúrsaí Scoile

Tá an-áthas ar an bhfoireann uile fáilte mhór a chur roimh Mhúinteoir Nicole, a thosaigh linn i nGaelscoil na Mara an tseachtain seo. Mar is eol daoibh beidh Nicole i mbun Rang a hAon. Tuigimid ar fad an tábhacht a bhaineann leis seo do N2 agus R1, chun seans a thabhairt dóibh, dul i mbun oibre, i rang níos lú, don 8 seachtain scoile atá fágtha againn. Go n-éirí le Rang a hAon agus Nicole don téarma deiridh. Beidh an dá rang-grúpa fós ag teacht le chéile d'Aistear, Corpoideachas, Ceol agus Tionól chuile sheachtain.
Tá na páistí ag déanamh tréan-iarrachta sa gháirdín scoile agus faoi stúir Neil, tá anois prátaí agus oinniúin ag fás sna ceapacha bláth. Sna seomraí ranga, tá biatas, leitís, spionáiste agus bachlóga Bhruiséil curtha ag na páistí. Táimid an-bhródúil as an obair seo ar fad, agus arís gabhaimid buíochas ó chroí do Neil atá ag stiúradh na garraíodóireachta!
Tá cuairteoirí sna seomraí ranga faoi láthair comh maith…9 gcruimh cabáiste, agus iad ag éirí níos mó chuile lá! I gceann seachtaine nó dhó beidh siad taobh istigh dá gCrisilid agus beidh seans ag na páistí scoile feitheoireacht a dhéanamh ar an t-athrú go Féileacháin. Táimid ar fad ar bís faoi…agus ag súil go mór, go mbeidh 9 bhFéileacháin againn ag deireadh an phróiséis!?!! Táim cinnte go mbeidh na páistí ag insint daoibh faoin scéal ar fad, sna seachtainí atá romhainn.

The entire school staff are delighted to welcome Múinteoir Nicole, who joined us at Gaelscoil na Mara this week. As you all know Nicole will take over as Múinteoir R1 . We all understand the importance of this for N2 and R1, to give them a chance to work, in a smaller class size, for the final 8 weeks of school that we have left. Good luck to R1 and Nicole for the final term. The two class groups will still meet for Aistear, Physical Education, Music and Assembly every week.
The children are working hard in the school garden and under Neil's tutelage, potatoes and onions are now growing in the flower beds. In the classrooms, the children have planted beets, lettuce, spinach and Brussels sprouts. We are very proud of all this work, and once again we sincerely thank Neil for his time, effort and guidance with all the gardening!
We have visitors to the classrooms at the moment also… 9 caterpillars, and they are getting bigger every day! In a week or two they will begin their fascinating transformation, and the children will have the chance to observe all these developments as the caterpillar forms a chrysalis and then transforms into a butterfly. We are all really excited about what's to come…and we are all really hoping that we will have 9 butterflies at the end of the process!?!! No doubt the children will keep you all updated at home during the coming weeks.

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Tráth na gCeist ar son na Scoile

Caithfidh mé a rá go raibh an-oíche go deo againn Dé hAoine seo caite ag an Tráth na gCeist scoile. Bhí atmaisféar álainn ann agus bhí sé go hiontach deis a thabhairt do chuile dhuine teacht le chéile d'ocáid shóisialta mar sin. Buíochas mór le Cairde na Scoile a rinne an t-úafás oibre ag tarraingt chuile rud le chéile, idir an ionad féin, na duaiseanna ar fad agus an Tráth na gCeist a chur le chéile. Tá súil agam gur bhain chuile dhuine sult as, agus táim ag súil go mór lenár gcéad oíche amach eile le chéile. Go dtí seo tá €1400 bailithe ar son na scoile, le roinnt deontais fós ag teacht isteach. Sin dochreidte ar fad, míle buíochas do chách. Comhghairdeas leis an bhfoireann 'Cé hé do Phaddy?' a bhuaigh an Tráth na gCeist le stíl!!

It has to be said that a great night was had by all, last Friday at the school Quiz. There was a lovely atmosphere on the night and it was wonderful to give everyone the opportunity to come together for a social event in the school's name. A big thank you to Cairde na Scoile who did so much work pulling everything together, between the Golf Club itself, all the spot prizes and organising the actual quiz itself. I hope everyone enjoyed the night, and I'm really looking forward to our next event together. So far we have raised €1400 for the school with donations still coming in. This is an unbelievable amount for such a small school community and I thank you all so much for your generosity. Congratulations to the team 'Cé Hé do Phaddy?' that won the quiz in style!!

Cruinniú do Thuismitheoirí N2/R1

Míle buíochas daoibhse a d'fhreastal ar an gcruinniú sa scoil ar an 18ú Aibreán. B'fhiú go mór an teacht le chéile agus an deis a thabhairt do thuismitheoirí a dtuairimí a roinnt.

Many thanks to all who attended the meeting on the 18th April. I think it was very worthwhile and it was important that parents got the opportunity to voice some of their opinions.

Lá Oscailte do Naíonáin Bheaga 2023

Táimid ag súil go mór leis na páistí ó Naíonáin Shóisearacha 2023/24 a fheiceáil sa scoil ar an 17ú Bealtaine, le bualadh lena múinteoir agus cuairt a thabhairt ar an seomra ranga. Má tá aithne agaibh ar éinne atá fós idir dhá chomhairle faoin scoil is

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oiriúnaí dá bpáiste, seol i dtreo na scoile iad ar an lá sin agus is féidir linn fáilte a chur rompu agus aon cheist a fhreagairt.

We are really looking forward to welcoming the children from N1 2023/24 to the school on the 17th May, to meet their teacher and visit their classroom for next year. If you know anyone who is still in two minds about where their child will go next school year, they are more than welcome to call in that afternoon, and we can chat to them and answer any questions or queries they may have about education in a Gaelscoil setting.

Ciorcal Comhrá

Beidh an chéad Ciorcal Comhrá eile ar siúl do phobal Gaelscoil na Mara, i dTeach Tabhairne Keelings ar an Luan 8ú Bealtaine ó 8:30/9in ar aghaidh.

The next Ciorcal Comhrá, for the Gaelscoil na Mara community, will take place on Monday 8th May from 8:30/9pm onwards, in Keelings pub.

Turas Scoile/Lá Spóirt

Beidh N1, N2 agus R1 ag dul ar thuras scoile go dtí Red Mountain Farm ar an 8ú Meitheamh. Beidh fógra ag dul amach ar Aladdin go luath, maidir le costas an turais agus beidh sibh in ann íocaíochtaí scoile a dhéanamh ar líne tríd Aladdin do seo. Táimid ag súil le Lá Spóirt a chur ar siúl dos na páistí ar an 15ú Mí Meitheamh agus arís beidh tuilleadh eolais le fáil faoi seo ag deireadh na míosa seo.

Classes N1-R1 will be going on a school tour to Red Mountain Farm on the 8th June. Keep an eye on Aladdin for more details and payment methods. We are hoping to hold a Sports Day for the children on the 15th of June and again there will be more information about this at the end of the month.

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Dúnadh scoile – Upcoming school closures

Meabhrúchán go mbeidh an scoil dúnta ar na dátaí thíos:
A reminder that school will be closed on the following dates:

- Lá oiliúna do mhúinteoirí — **2 Meitheamh (June) - Dúnta don lá**
  Teacher training on New Primary Curriculum
- La saoire bainc — **5 Meitheamh (June) - Dúnta don lá**
  June Bank Holiday
- Laetha Saoire an tSamhraidh — **23 Meitheamh (June) - Leath lá 11:50**
  Summer Holidays - Half day closure

Le gach deá-ghuí,
Orflaith Ní Mhaicín