

COGAR!

Friday 29th April 2016

School Starts At 9, Be On Time!

May Holiday

School will be closed from Monday 2nd May - Friday 6th May for the May holiday. School re-opens on Monday 9th May at 9am. Bus drivers have been informed of this.

Assembly

Today was Family Friday at school. Thank you to all the parents from our infant classes who came into school this afternoon to spend some time with the children.

1st - 6th class had a fantastic time at assembly this morning. Edward (Ruby and Bonnie's Dad) came in to talk to the children about his job. Edward is series producer for a company called 360 Entertainment. Edward talked to the pupils about how his company decides on what programmes to produce, the different types of programmes produced and how someone might become involved in this line of work.

The children (and adults) were totally entertained from start to finish. We even saw a television clip with Ruby in it!! Thanks Edward!!

LETNS/Letterkenny Athletics Club 5K -

Thank you to everyone who braved the cold, wet weather to attend the 5k event on Tuesday evening. Well done to all the children who participated in the 5k or 3k event and for all the adults who supported them. Thank you also to the staff who helped to organise this and who also helped out on the night.

The School Door/Pinehill Studios

One of the teachers Maggie (currently on career break) is also the owner/manager of a company called 'The School Door'. Maggie and Sarah Marie McDevitt (Pinehill studios) are running a summer fundraiser and have kindly chosen our school to receive some of the funds raised by the fundraiser. We are delighted to be part of this fundraiser and all monies raised will go directly to the children.

Gaeilgeoir na Seachtaine:

Comhghairdeas le Csenge i Rang Lisa, le Patrick i rang Verity, le Michael i rang Louise, le Cassie i rang Síne, le Marwin i rang Mairéad, le Kyle i rang Stephanie, le Dylan i rang Nakita agus le Adrian i rang Barbara.

Athletics Team

Well done to the Athletics Team who competed in the Letterkenny Athletics Event in the Aura last Friday. The children had a brilliant time and we even came home with a medal thanks to Declan in 5th Class! Thank you also to Catriona for taking the team to this event.

Debate Team

Congratulations to the school debate team who won their final debate of the school year. The team were in action against Kilmacrennan yesterday. Freya, Alexander and Kate were the three speakers and were amazing during the debate. The topic was 'More curriculum time should be allocated to P.E.'. Our team were opposing this motion. The team finished 2nd in the Letterkenny League this year and we are all so proud of them. Well done Freya, Alexander, Nell, Kate, Kayleigh and Hadiya!!

After School Clubs

The after school clubs are in full swing and going really well. The teachers would like to remind parents that the children need to be collected promptly at 3.40pm after the clubs. Over the last 2 weeks there have been a number of children who have not been collected on time. The teachers also have family commitments after school and late pick-ups cause upset and stress for all involved. We

would ask that all parents/guardians follow our High 5 rule of 'Be Respectful' and ensure the children are collected on time.