

Scoil Mhuire



Newsletter

May 2023

Welcome back to all for our final term of 2022/23

We have a very busy term lined up.



Wellness Week:

Already we have had a wonderful “Wellness Week”. This was an action packed week for pupils and staff with yoga, baking, dance, parachute games, table tennis, playground visits, movies, quiz, circus, crazy hair day, class breakfasts, pyjama day, music, bouncy castle, ice-cream van, disco and art.

The pupils thoroughly enjoyed this week and a huge thanks to all the staff who helped out and participated. A special thank you to Ms. Doyle who organised it.

I’d like to extend a big thanks to all the parents for engaging so well and helping the children with “Crazy Hair” and “Pyjama Day”. Mornings can be very busy in home so we really do appreciate your co-operation.



First Holy Communion:

Our 2nd class girls will be celebrating their First Communion on Saturday 6th May in the Church. We wish them all the best on the day and hopefully the sun will shine for them.

Thank you to Ms. O’Brien and Ms. Sweeney for all their hard work preparing the girls for this sacrament.

We are very pleased to have our 3rd class providing the choir for us on the day. Thank you Ms. Norris and 3rd class.

Book Week:

We are currently participating in Book Week which we had postponed earlier in the year. The children are all partaking in book related activities and will all dress up on Friday 5th May based on the book they have been working on during this term.



Reading is an invaluable gift that we, as teachers and parents alike, can provide for all children. Remember everyone can become a member of Clondalkin Library on Monastery Road, which houses a wide range of reading materials and many activities for all ages. Membership is free, one of the last remaining places that is free to join. I would encourage you all to become members now and keep your children reading throughout the summer.

Uniform:

Wednesday continues to be a non-uniform day. May I remind parents/guardians and children that uniform/tracksuit is worn on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

Cropped tops and clothes that are see-through are not acceptable clothes to wear to school on non-uniform day. Pupils should dress appropriately and keep the above-mentioned clothing for wearing at home.



Our Parents Association have been working continuously throughout the year. We are very thankful for their contribution. They will share an information letter with you later in the term outlining their activities.

They will be hosting a uniform swop at the end of the term. They will send out the information for this nearer the time.



School Books:

Ms. Carr and Ms. McKiernan are currently working on the provision of books and stationery for the next school year.

Funding has been provided from the Department of Education for school books and the book rental scheme for next year. This will mean a very significant reduction associated with booklists and school requirements. Some charges for school materials, photocopying, pupil insurance, etc., will remain in place.

The logo for "Upcoming Events" features the words "UPCOMING" and "EVENTS" in a large, bold, multi-colored font. Each letter is a different color, and the letters are slightly overlapping and have a 3D effect. The background is white with a faint grid pattern.

2 nd to 6 th May	Book Week
Saturday 6 th May	First Holy Communion
Monday 8 th May	Photographer for First Holy Communion
Wednesday 17 th May	Confirmation
Thursday 8 th May	Photographer for Confirmation

29 th May to 2 nd June	Music Week
Thurs 1 st June	Senior Infants and 1 st Class School Tour
Wed 14 th June	Junior Infants School Tour
19 th to 23 rd June	Active Schools Week
Thurs, 22 nd June	6 th Class School Tour
Tues 27 th June	3 rd , 4 th , 5 th School Tour
Thurs 29 th June	2 nd Class School Tour

Thank You To All Pupils and Parents

Enjoy the Weekend

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Ms. McKiernan and the Staff of Scoil Mhuire