

Mí na Nollag
2013



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Focal ón bPríomhoide

Dia is Muire dhaoibh go léir, fáilte go scéalta na scoile. We have been busy here in Scoil Eoin preparing and practising for this, our eighth Nativity play, "The Magical Christmas Jigsaw". A lot of background, unseen work goes in to any performance, from stage props to costumes to digital scenes, to choir, seating and the

mammoth task of getting all classes together for the finale. Maith sibh agus míle buíochas to all the staff and to our wonderful boys for the huge effort they have put in, to ensure that this year's play will maintain the high standard of previous years in Scoil Eoin.

Along with our Junior Infants,

we welcome all the new boys who have joined our existing classes in Scoil Eoin this year. Every boy's uniqueness is cherished and contributes to a truly wonderful school environment and learning experience in Scoil Eoin.

Guímíd dea ghuíthe na Nollag agus na hAthbhliana oraibh go léir, uainn go léir anseo i Scoil Eoin!

Open Night 2013



This year's Open Night was a resounding success, due to the wonderful effort of the boys and the staff. Scoil Eoin looked outstanding, a school to be truly proud of! Well done to every member of staff who helped to show our school in it's best light. A particular word of congratulations to the boys who participated on the night. Those boys were selected for their talents, friendliness and manners. We were very proud of their contribution to the night. They were a credit to their teachers, their families and ár scoil.

Sponsored Walk



To raise funds for our school, the new Friends and Parents of Scoil Eoin organised a Sponsored Walk. All classes in the school participated during the last week of November. Different classes walked a variety of distances and €4200 was raised, which will be put towards computer replacements to upgrade and enhance the Computer Room. We are especially lucky in Scoil Eoin to have this wonderful facility, utilised by all classes and after school I.T. tuition. "Míle buíochas to our wonderful P.F.A." Bn. Uí Nuanáin



Sporty Scoil Eoin



Basketball with Ciarán



Tag Rugby with Matt

Spikeball with Cáilíní B.C.S.

Spikeball is like volleyball with a difference!



Table-tennis with Ivan

Tennis with Conor C. and Conor T.



Pa Cronin, Cork Hurling Captain Honoured

Past pupil of Scoil Eoin, Pa Cronin visited the school at the end of November. We were extremely proud of Pa captaining the Cork team to the All-Ireland Final this year. He was presented with a plaque to honour this achievement. Pa was very generous with his time and the boys enjoyed engaging in a lively question and answer session with him.



Our Sponsor



A sincere word of thanks to our wonderfully generous sponsor, Kellehers Pharmacy. Míle buíochas to Alan and Deborah! Keep them in mind when doing your Christmas shopping!



Skipathon 2013

Skip-Hop did a Skipping Workshop in the school recently. Classes participated in an enjoyable lesson, which was also quite challenging! The boys learned how to master a number of skipping skills, such as double under, criss-cross and double Dutch. Míle buíochas to Mr. Landers for organising the sessions.



Cantarái Mhuscraí

Sixth Classes will be performing in Cantarái Mhuscraí's annual Christmas concert, which takes place on Sunday 15th December in The Church of St. Mary's and St. John's.



Thank you to all of the staff and pupils of Scoil Eoin for helping to make this publication possible... Miss Reihill

The boys in Scoil Eoin enjoyed a very 'Healthy Week' from November 18th—22nd. Mr. Casey's class helped to fill the Food Pyramid with lots of tasty food. During the week, the value of healthy foods and a healthy life-style was discussed with all of the children. The sixth class boys on the Healthy Eating Committee performed a little drama for the junior classes, encouraging them to bring healthy foods to school every day. At the end of the week all of the boys enjoyed a healthy fruit tasting session. Míle buíochas to Miss. Appleby for the wonderful work she did for Scoil Eoin's Healthy Eating Week. She would like to thank Down's Supervalu for sponsoring the delicious Fruit Tasting.



Dates for your Diary in December



Christmas Concert "The Magical Christmas Jigsaw"

On the nights of the concerts 10th & 11th Dec.



Times: Boys to arrive in their classroom at 6.30 p.m.

Play commences at 7 p.m.

Collect boys from classrooms at 8.15 p.m. approx.



Specific night for parents to attend:

Tuesday 10th Dec.

Naíonáin Bheaga (J. Inf)

Rang 1

Rang 3

Rang 5

Wednesday 11th Dec.

Naíonáin Mhóra (S. Inf)

Rang 2

Rang 4

Rang 6

St. Vincent de Paul

Christmas Contribution

No uniform day on

Wednesday 18th Dec. €2 please

Aifreann na Nollag

Dáta: Thursday 19th

Am: 10.15 a.m.

Church: St. Mary's and St. John's

Fáilte roimh gach éinne!



Cinema Treat

Dáta: Friday 20th Dec.

Praghas: €3 per child please



Christmas Holidays

Closing: Friday 20th December

11.45 a.m. Infants

12.00p.m. 1st - 6th

* Re-opening:

Monday 6th January



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