

# Weekly News 9<sup>th</sup> March, 2018



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## Dalta na Seachtaine

Juniors: Daniel Flanagan & Meaghan Glynn

Seniors: Ailbhe O'Brien & Sarah Jane Moran

1<sup>st</sup> Class: Tiarnán Collins

2<sup>nd</sup> Class: Eoghan Creed & Mary Angela Mulkere

3<sup>rd</sup> Class: Luke Farrell & Arek O'Donnell

4<sup>th</sup> Class: Conal McMahon

5<sup>th</sup> Class: Síomha Perill

6<sup>th</sup> Class: Hannah Gleeson

## Gaeilgeoir na Seachtaine

**Naíonáin Shóisir:** Nadia Nic Ghioll phóil & Pádraig Ó Maoilchéire

**Naíonáin Shinsir:** Aoibhe Ní Dhónalláin & Hollie Ní Chaocháin

**Rang 1:** Adam Ó Géaráin

**Rang 2:** Ella Nic Chonchoille & Jake Wherrett

**Rang 3:** Ben Ó Sléibhín & Cathal Ó Deafaigh

**Rang 4:** Ruairí Ó Teimhneáin

**Rang 5:** Sorcha Ní Dhómhnaill

**Rang 6:** Aisling Ní Fhaoláin

## Clare Development Stars

Well done to Hannah Gleeson and past pupil Faye Dean who play in the Clare Development football squad tomorrow against Tipperary. Best of luck girls!

## Marion Keane Basketball Tournament

Well done to the girls basketball team who competed in the Marion Keane tournament. The girls lost by one point but are now through to the next round. Details to follow.



## School Attendance

The attendance record for the month of January 2018 was 96.4% and for the month of February was 93.2%. We would like to commend the pupils on their excellent attendance. Well done



Test your general knowledge and support the School Table Quiz which is on **tonight Friday 9<sup>th</sup> March in the community centre starting at 6.30 p.m.** The pupils are busy naming their teams and looking forward to having fun answering questions. All are welcome.

## Clean Footpaths

It has been brought to the attention of the school from a local resident that the footpaths are unclean after people have walked their dogs. As you are aware some of the children walk to school on these footpaths and this is causing concern. Please be mindful of this as it could be a health and safety issue for all concerned for adults and children alike.

## Crusheen Youth Club

Crusheen Youth Club are organising a fundraiser walk/run on Sunday the 18<sup>th</sup> of March at 1.00 p.m. It's a 5km fun run/walk, Starting at the church and going down the Lahardan road and back, €5 per person and €10 per family. We would really appreciate the support from the local community. Hope to see you there!



### **World Meeting of Families.**

As part of the 'World Meeting of Families' programme, a short series of discussion/sharing evenings will take place on the theme of 'The Reality of Family life today'. Everyone is welcome to come, chat and take part. The meeting scheduled for Feb 28<sup>th</sup> was postponed due to the weather conditions but has been re-scheduled for Wed. March 14<sup>th</sup> at 8 pm in the church meeting room. Please come along.

### **Pray and Play**

A 'Pray and Play' group is being planned for mass times in Crusheen church. This is a wonderful opportunity for young children to spend Sunday mass times in an upstairs room, exploring the Gospel theme of the day through Art and play. They will re-join their parents in the church in the latter part of mass. If you are interested, please contact Doris Vaughan 086 3007176 or Claire Harkin, 087 7582063.

### **Transition from Primary to Second Level**

Fidelma Healy is doing a talk 'Making an Effective Transition to Second-Level, Coping with Change YOUR CHILD MATTERS' in Clare Education Centre on April 12<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.

Below is the link to apply

<https://www.clareed.ie/cpd-courses/primary-courses/648-making-an-effective-transition-to-second-level-coping-with-change.html>

### **Upcoming Dates for your Diary**

- Table Quiz – Friday 9<sup>th</sup> March at 6.30 p.m.
- Science Week Monday 12<sup>th</sup> March to Friday 16<sup>th</sup> March
- Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> March at 10.00 a.m.- Sacrament of Reconciliation in St. Cronans Church.
- Monday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2018 - Bank Holiday
- The school will close on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2018 at 12.30 p.m. and will re-open on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2018 – Easter Holidays.
- Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April – County Photos will visit the school.
- Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2018 at 9.00 a.m. - Gort Community School School Evaluation Day
- Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2018 - First Holy Communion Mass will be held at St. Cronan's Church, Crusheen at 11.00 a.m.
- Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018 The Confirmation Mass will be held at 11 a.m. in St. Cronan's Church

### **Irish Phrase of the week -- Seanfhocal na Seachtaine**

" Ní thagann an óige faoi dhó choíche' -  
You're only young once