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## Weekly School Newsletter 23/11/18

### DALTA NA SEACHTAINE

Juniors: Andrew Farrell & Joey Woods

Seniors: Sarah Harkin & Daniel Flanagan

1<sup>st</sup> Class: Emma Scully

2<sup>nd</sup> Class: Clodagh Harkin

3<sup>rd</sup> Class: Eoghan O'Donnell & Chloe Holian

4<sup>th</sup> Class: Alex Guilfoyle

5<sup>th</sup> Class: Simon Farrell

6<sup>th</sup> Class: Síomha Perill

### Handwriting Awards

Juniors: Jared Hudson & Ella O'Donnell

Seniors: Oisín Collins & Lily Hassett

1<sup>st</sup> Class: Evan Wherrett

2<sup>nd</sup> Class: Stephen Morrish

3<sup>rd</sup> Class: Maria Keane & Jane Farrell

4<sup>th</sup> Class: Clodagh Barry

5<sup>th</sup> Class: Matilda Nolan

6<sup>th</sup> Class: Courtney White Kelly



### World Nursery Rhyme Week

Ms. Brady's Junior and Senior Infants celebrated World Nursery Rhyme Week 2018 which was held from Nov. 19th- Nov 23rd. They learnt and sang many nursery rhymes during the week and lots of rhyming words were discussed. They also undertook a Nursery rhyme quiz. On Friday they performed a selection of rhymes for other pupils in the school.

### CLOTHES RECYCLING

Crusheen National School will host its annual Clothes Recycling Collection Day in January 2019. Please start collecting any unwanted clothes, shoes, handbags, curtains, bed linen for this fundraising event. You can drop bags into the school from now until collection day. Thank you for your support

### PARENT TEACHER MEETINGS

Parent Teacher Meetings will be held in the school on Monday 26th & Tuesday 27th November. A letter has been sent to you with a time to meet your child's teacher. If this time is unsuitable for you, please contact your child's class teacher.

### CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE

This year the school will host a Christmas Carol Service on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December, 2018 in St. Cronan's Church at 6.00 p.m.

### HIP HOP

Thank you to Lourdes O'Donoghue who visited the school on Thursday to run Hip Hop dance for all classes. The pupils benefit from engaging in different forms of exercise on a regular basis. .

### PRAY AND PLAY' GROUP

A 'Pray and Play' group is being organised for 9.30 a.m. Sunday Mass in St. Cronan's Church. If you are interested in helping out, please contact Doris Vaughan 086 3007176 or Claire Harkin, 087 7582063.

## PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

The Parents' Association is busy collecting spot prizes for the school annual Christmas sponsorship draw.

If you would like to contact the Parents' Association by email please email the Secretary at [parentsassociationcrusheen@gmail.com](mailto:parentsassociationcrusheen@gmail.com).

Please find letter attached regarding fundraising.

## REMINDER: COMMUNITY GET TOGETHER INVITATION

You are invited to a community get together taking place in Crusheen Community Centre on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> November from 4.00 to 7.00 p.m. This is a special opportunity for all residents of Crusheen/Ballinruan to come together and enjoy an evening of chat, fun, music and refreshments. If you would like to contribute to this special event (food, drinks etc.) or require further information please contact: Bríd – 087 6807148, Nollaig – 086 8257253, Riona 087 2410819 or Helen – 086 1545620. (Note all children must be accompanied and supervised by an adult or guardian)

## CRUSHEEN CAMOGIE 50/50 DRAW

Crusheen Camogie are hosting a weekly 50/50 draw. The 50/50 envelopes are available at Clarke's, Crusheen. Place €2 in the envelope and write your name and phone number on it. The draw will take place every Wednesday

## CRUSHEEN CAMOGIE AGM

Crusheen Ladies football AGM is on **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> November at 7.00 p.m. in clubhouse.** All players and parents new and old are welcome.

## DO THIS IN MEMORY DATES FOR 2018/19 FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PUPILS & PARENTS

Masses in the following venues for Do This in Memory:  
Ruan Saturday evening at 8.00 p.m.  
Crusheen Sunday morning at 9.30 p.m.  
Corofin Sunday morning at 11.00 a.m.

### Weekends

24<sup>th</sup> / 25<sup>th</sup> November Feast of Christ the King  
26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> January 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in ordinary time  
23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>th</sup> March 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent  
4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> May 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter

## THE WEEKS AHEAD

- **Monday 26<sup>th</sup> November – Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> November - Parent Teacher meetings**
- **Friday 7<sup>th</sup> December**, - Enrolment night for Confirmation pupils at St. Mary's Church, Ruan, at 7.30 p.m.
- **Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December** – Christmas Carol Service at 6.00 p.m.
- **Swimming Lessons** - each Thursday starting from Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February to Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April for pupils from 1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> classes
- **Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March** - Confirmation retreat date for 6<sup>th</sup> class pupils in Knock, Co. Mayo.
- **4<sup>th</sup> April 2019** – 3<sup>rd</sup> Class pupils travel to Quilty Beach to take part in a Seashore Safari Module with Loop Head Summer Hedge School.
- **Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2019** First Holy Communion Mass at St. Cronan's Church, Crusheen @ 11 a.m.
- **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2019** Sacrament of Confirmation @ 11 a.m. at St. Cronan's Church, Crusheen.

## SEANFHOCAL NA SEACHTAINE - IRISH PHRASE OF THE WEEK

*Ciall agus míchiall - dís ná gabhann le chéile.* - Sense and nonsense-two which do not go together



