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Weekly School Newsletter 28/9/18

DALTNA NA SEACHTAINE

Dalta na Seachtaine

Juniors: Eilí Hanrahan & Dylan Corbett
Seniors: C. J. O' Doherty & Nadia Guilfoyle
1st Class: Chloe Skerit Waters
2nd Class: Aimee Glynn
3rd Class: Niall Whelan & Conor McAllen
4th Class: Joe Quinn
5th Class: Cora Houlihan
6th Class: Courtney White Kelly

Gaeilgeoir na Seachtaine:

Naíonáin Shóisir: Jared Hudson
Naíonáin Shinsir: Eimíle Ní Ghrifín & Sínead Ní Raghallaigh
Rang 1: Éadaoin de Barra
Rang 2: Abel Duarte
Rang 3: Ella Nic Chonchoille & Ronán Ó Suilleabháin
Rang 4: Riain Ó Dhónaill
Rang 5: Ruairí Ó Teimhneáin
Rang 6: Síomha Ní Pherill

An Archeology Adventure

On Friday 21st September, pupils from 5th and 6th classes were invited to visit an archeology site near Crusheen Playground. We are grateful to Red Arc Consulting for facilitating the visit. During the field trip, We learned first hand about the work of archeologists. We were shown the remains of a 'Fulacht Fiadh'. A 'Fulacht Fiadh' is a low horseshoe-shaped mound of charcoal-enriched soil and heat shattered stone, with a cooking pit located at its centre. They date from the bronze age and there are multiple examples of them found all around Ireland.

One of the archeologist's, Victoria explained how important it was to record about the 'fulacht fiadh' for the future. This 'fulacht fiadh' had just been excavated and burned rock was discovered inside it which dated from over 1,000 years ago. When burned rock is picked up it will crumble in your hands. The people back then had made a circle with rocks which was the usual way they did it but in county Wexford archeologists had found a wooden basket believed to have been 1,000 years old also. It was a great opportunity to learn about archeology in our locality.

By Sarah O'Donnell.

East Clare Primary Schools Cross County

Thirty six pupils represented the school at the East Clare primary schools Cross Country Championships 2018 at O'Sullivan's Park, (Lees Road) Ennis on Tuesday 25th September. Thank you to the staff and parents who helped out on the day.

Well done to the following pupils who participated in the cross country running:

U8 Girls

Aimee Glynn
Ella Woods
Eadaoin Barry
Lucy Whelan
Clodagh Harkin
Jane Farrell

U8 Boys

Odhran Hassett
Sean Woods
Evan Wherrett
Reece Corbett
Adam Guerin
Darragh Greene

U10 Girls

Keelin Forde
Cora Houlihan
Abaigeal O'Doherty
Clodagh Barry
Sinéad Sheedy
Sadhbh O'Donovan

U10 Boys

Ríain O'Donnell
Cillian O'Meara
Odhran Perill
Alex Guilfoyle
Ronan O'Sullivan
Cronan McMahon

U12 Girls

Grace Gleeson
Caoilfhionn Perill
Amy Colleran
Síomha Perill
Sarah O'Donnell
Aine Sheedy

U12 Boys

Peter Farrell
Rory Tynan
James O'Sullivan
Sean Hanrahan
Simon Farrell
Kyle Scanlon

REMINDERS

Set Dancing Classes

Set dancing classes for primary school pupils continue every Monday in the Community Hall. Class times are as follows:
4.45 p.m. to 5.15 p.m. - Ages 4 ½ to senior infants
5.15 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. – from 1st Class upwards
For further details, please contact Carmel Scully 087 7840894.

Sparks Hip Hop Dance School

Sparks Hip Hop dance classes continue on Wednesdays at Crusheen hall.

Details are as follows:

Junior and Senior Infants 2.00 p.m.-3.00 p.m. (pupils are collected at school door)

1st to 6th classes 3.00 p.m.-4.00 p.m.

It is not possible for Lourdes Murphy to collect pupils at the school at 3.00 p.m.

Each class costs €7 per child. A Christmas Dance show will take place in Glór on 16th December. Please contact Lourdes Murphy from Sparks Dance School at 086 1787455 or lodsparks@gmail.com if you are interested in having your child attend a class.

The Burren Ramble

This year's *Ramble in the Burren* will take place on Sunday the 30th of September at Fanore. Parking is available at O'Donohues Pub in Fanore at 12.00 noon for a 12.30pm start. The walk is about 8km long and will take in the deserted village at Fanore, the Slipway where the Connemara men brought in the Poitín, the Mermaid's Rock, the Caher river and more. Bring suitable footwear and weather gear. For further Information please contact 087 6260301

THE WEEKS AHEAD

- Monday 1st October - 5th and 6th class pupils travel to Gort Community College for a hurling/camogie blitz.
- Wednesday 10th October - First Holy Communion Parents' talk at 7:30pm in Ruan Community Hall. (Beside the Church)
- Girls football division 2 and Boys football division 3 group games to be played over the coming weeks.
- Thursday 11th October Confirmation Parents' talk at 7:30 p.m. in Ruan Community Hall.
- Tuesday 16th October – 3rd & 4th Class pupils will travel to Ruan to play hurling and camogie (weather permitting)

- Tuesday 23rd October – Pupils from Junior & Senior Infants will travel to Glór in Ennis, to see *"How to Catch a Star"*
- Friday 26th October – School will be closed for Voting Day
- Hallowe'en Break - The school will close from **Monday 29th October to Friday 2nd November** inclusive.
- **First Holy Communion Mass 2019**
The First Holy Communion Mass will take place on Saturday 25th May at St. Cronan's Church, Crusheen @ 11 a.m.
- **Confirmation Mass (Pentecost Weekend)** Fr. Damien Nolan will confer the sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday 8th June @ 11 a.m. at St. Cronan's Church, Crusheen (Crusheen & Tubber schools)

Seanfhocal na Seachtaine –
Irish Phrase of the week

Tús maith leath na hoibre – A good start is half the work

Crusheen Camogie 50/50 draw

Crusheen Camogie are hosting a 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.



Date

