

# Weekly School Letter 24<sup>th</sup> January, 2020



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CRUSHEEN, CO. CLARE.

**SCOIL INSE CHRÓNÁIN**  
CROISÍN, CO. AN CHLÁIR.

## Dalta na Seachtaine

Juniors: Kayden Greene & Emily McMullan

Seniors: Darragh Donnellan

1<sup>st</sup> Class: Saoirse Dillon

2<sup>nd</sup> Class: Caoimhe O'Brien & Éadaoin Barry

3<sup>rd</sup> Class: Alex Forde & Adam Guerin

4<sup>th</sup> Class: Niall Whelan

5<sup>th</sup> Class: Ben Slevin

6<sup>th</sup> Class: Cora O'Donoghue

## Reader

Seniors: Luke Bourke & Faye Colleran

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

2<sup>nd</sup> Class: Hollie Keehan & Evan Wherrett

3<sup>rd</sup> Class: Stephen Morrish & Robbie Hickey

4<sup>th</sup> Class: Ella Woods

5<sup>th</sup> Class: Ava Guilfoyle

6<sup>th</sup> Class: Lucy Keane



Clare County Council invited the SPAR FAI girls soccer teams of 2018 and 2019 to a Mayoral reception on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January in the Council Chamber, Clare County Council, Ennis. The achievements of this group of girls were honoured.

Well done to our two girls soccer teams. The panel were Hannah Gleeson, Caoimhe Clancy, Lily Copley, (team of 2018) along with Grace Gleeson, Sarah O'Donnell, Síomha Perill and the girls currently in our school, Caoilfhionn Perill, Aimee Colleran, Aine Sheedy, Clara Butler and Cora O'Donoghue and Lelia Ryan. Thank you again to Ciaran Collins (Fern Celtic), Triona McGrath, and Mr. Gantley.

## Student Council News

The Student Council members have busy organising the details for the upcoming fundraiser which will be held on next Friday, January 31<sup>st</sup>.

All classes received a voting chart and the teachers early in the week, gave the pupils information on each named charity. Later in the week, the pupils placed their vote and the following are the results from all classrooms:

With 'Dogs Trust' topping the poll, this will be the focus for next Friday's charity fundraiser. Pupils who wish to take part in the 'Crazy Hair Day' fundraiser may contribute a donation of their choice and place into the collection box in their classroom. Collection boxes will be in place in classrooms from Wednesday to Friday of next week. The Student Council wishes to thank all the pupils for placing their vote and they look forward to seeing lots of 'crazy' hairstyles next Friday!!



### Crazy Hair Day - Chosen Charities

Class	Bóthar	Dogs Trust	Simon Community
Ms O'Connell	5	13	6
Ms Considine	1	19	6
Ms Brady	3	11	11
Mr Keane	10	11	7
Mr Gantley	10	7	12
Total Votes:	29	60	42

### Dates of Standardised Testing 2020 (1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> class pupils)

Reminder the dates for the standardized tests are 11<sup>th</sup> May to 22<sup>nd</sup> May.

### Pupil Enrolments 2020

Our school is currently accepting enrolments for September 2020. If you have a child that you wish to start school in September 2020 please collect an enrolment form from our school office. If you know a family who would like to enrol in our school in September please let them know that the closing date is 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2020. The contact number for the school office is 065 6827183 and email is [crusheen@eircom.net](mailto:crusheen@eircom.net).

### Clare Inter Schools Quiz 2020

The Clare Inter Schools Quiz took place at St. Tolas National School, Shannon last night Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> January, 2020 at 7.30 p.m. Well done to our two teams who represented our school.

Caoilfhionn Perill  
Paddy Harkin  
Arek O'Donnell  
Conal McMahon  
James Nihill  
Cathal Daffy



### Credit Union Table Quiz 2020

The Credit Union Quiz will be held at The Inn at Dromoland on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2020 at 6.00 p.m. Best of luck to our 4 teams who will be representing the school.

#### **U11**

##### **Team 1**

Luke Farrell  
Oscar Brigdale  
Ronan O'Sullivan  
Abaigeal O'Doherty

##### **Team 2**

Odhran Perill  
Jake Wherrett  
Niall Whelan  
Maria Keane

#### **U12**

##### **Team 1**

Conal McMahon  
Aimee Glynn  
Caoilfhionn Perill  
Arek O'Donnell

##### **Team 2**

Lucy Keane  
Cronan McMahon  
Clara Butler  
Alex Guilfoyle

### **Clothes recycling fundraiser**

Our school is continually collecting unwanted clean clothes and textiles for the School clothes recycling fundraiser. It is a great way to raise funds. Please continue to let your families, friends and neighbours know that we welcome all unwanted clothing.



### **Food Dudes**

Pupils are enjoying the Food Dude Programme. They are having lots of fun tasting fruit and vegetables and earning their just rewards. There is also food dudes activities from the programme. in their classes.

### **Reminder: Items of Clothing missing**

Parents are asked to check and see if your child took home a navy blue Regatta jacket age 14 and also a Primark navy padded jacket in error. The two pupils would be delighted if they were found. Please return to school office.

### **Upcoming dates for 2020**

- Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> class pupils will visit Clare Museum.
- Friday 31<sup>st</sup> January, Crazy Hair fundraiser for charity – Dogs Trust.
- Friday 31<sup>st</sup> January - Credit Union Quiz will be held at The Inn at Dromoland at 6.00 p.m.
- Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March - First Confession in St. Cronans Church, Crusheen at 7.00 p.m.
- Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March, County Photos will visit the school.
- Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2020 - The Sacrament of Confirmation (Bishop Fintan Monahan as celebrant) Crusheen, Tubber & Boston in St. Cronans Church, Crusheen at 3.00 p.m.
- Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> May 2020 - First Holy Communion in St. Cronans Church, Crusheen 11.00 a.m.
- 11<sup>th</sup>- 22<sup>nd</sup> May Standardised Testing (1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> classes)

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

*Níl aon tinteán mar do thinteán féin* - There's no fireside like your own fireside.