



## Scoil Mhuire

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This year Soil Mhuire will host a **Summer Camp** for the pupils from 3<sup>rd</sup> July to the 7<sup>th</sup> July for week 1 and from 10<sup>th</sup> July to 14<sup>th</sup> July for week 2. Pupils can participate in one or two weeks and if you are interested forms will go out early in June. The pupils will enjoy sports activities both indoors and outdoors, art activities as well as a school trip each week. The Summer Camp will be run by the teachers in Scoil Mhuire.



The sacrament of First Communion is on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> May and we wish all the girls in 2<sup>nd</sup> class every blessing on the day. We hope the fine weather lasts until Saturday. We ask families to be in the church by 10.45am. Photographs will be taken on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May in the school hall.



Confirmation will take place on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> May at 11am. Bishop Raymond Field will be confirming the girls. We pray for all the 6<sup>th</sup> class pupils preparing for the sacrament of Confirmation. The retreat for 6<sup>th</sup> class as part of the preparation will take place on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May. Photographs for the pupils will be on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> May in the school hall.



This year 6<sup>th</sup> class are participating in BÍ Gnothach which is an enterprise education award for primary schools. It is an educational programme that introduces pupils to working as a team and to many aspects of setting up and running an enterprise while also learning about the world of work. This year they made Pom Pom Pals and sold them throughout the school.

Congratulations to all three classes for this wonderful innovative project which raised close to €700.



Sports days are scheduled for 12<sup>th</sup> May for junior infants to 1<sup>st</sup> class and on 19<sup>th</sup> May for 2<sup>nd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> class. Both of these days are weather dependant but we will update you by text nearer the day.

### School Tours:

- Senior Infants: Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May - Newgrange Farm
- 1<sup>st</sup> Class: Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June - Puddenhill Activity Centre.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Class: Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June - Imaginosity.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Class: Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June - Pine Forest Arts Centre
- 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Class: Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June - Crystal Maze.
- 6<sup>th</sup> Class will also be visiting the Art Gallery on 20<sup>th</sup> June.

**Le gach dea ghuí**

**Ms. Burke-Heneghan**

**and the Staff of Scoil Mhuire.**

## Newsletter for May 2017



These are going to be a very busy two months with school tours, sports days, visits to the school garden, standardised tests, reports, First Communion, Confirmation, 1st and 6<sup>th</sup> class graduation.



Our **Challenge to Change** will be on 11<sup>th</sup> May and a number of pupils from the Green School Committee will travel to Kilkenny to represent Scoil Mhuire and to present their project. This year's project is "Stepping Up" which is a project that records the pupil's personal energy usage. This will culminate with a marathon in June



Our **Céilí** on 23<sup>rd</sup> March was a great success and a very enjoyable learning experience for all. It was wonderful to see all 380 pupils in the school participating in the dancing. A total of €1,423 was collected from sponsorship cards which is a fantastic amount. We had a raffle the day of the Easter Holidays with two prizes in each class.