



# NUACHTLITER SHAMHRAIDH

June 2026

Dear Parents and Guardians,

As we come to the end of another busy and rewarding school year, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you sincerely for your continued support and partnership throughout the year. Your encouragement and involvement play a vital role in the life of our school, and we greatly appreciate it.

I would also like to commend our pupils for their hard work, enthusiasm, and dedication. They have shown great effort in their learning and have contributed positively to our school community. We are very proud of each and every one of them.

A special word of thanks is due to all of our staff, teaching and non-teaching, for their commitment, professionalism, and care. Their hard work ensures that our school remains a happy, safe, and nurturing environment for all.

We are also very pleased to share the welcome development that our school is now part of the DEIS Plus programme. This will continue to bring valuable supports and opportunities, benefiting our pupils and enhancing the educational experience we provide.

Thank you once again for all your support. I wish you and your families a safe, restful, and enjoyable summer break.

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Gerry Diver

Principal





## HSCL



We've had a busy end of year and lots of activities in HSCL!

Some of our 3rd Class children have been taking part in a Food Dudes cooking programme with their parents, led by our facilitator Carol.

We had a very successful Parents Course 'Minding Me' run by Noeleen Watson over five weeks.

June has been a busy month with our 6th Class children transitioning to secondary school. Every child received a book called 'Mind The Gap' which helps prepare for secondary school. There have also been visits to the new secondary schools.

While we prepare to say goodbye to our lovely 6th Class children we prepare to welcome our new 3rd Class children. The current 2nd Class children will have some visits to the senior school. They will be invited to our school for a Q&A session with some of our present 3rd Class children. The 2nd Class children will also do some baking with Ms Maye and children from 6th Class

Wishing you all a happy and safe summer and see you at the end of August!

Karen, HSCL





## Glendalough

6th Class enjoyed a wonderful trip to Glendalough as part of their preparation for Confirmation. We were lucky to have a beautiful day as we explored the historic monastic site and learned about its fascinating history and connection to faith. The children were a credit to the school throughout the trip, showing great enthusiasm, respect, and interest. We took time to reflect on the important journey towards Confirmation while also enjoying the stunning scenery and spending time together. It was a memorable day filled with learning, reflection, and fun, and we all had a brilliant time! Maith thú gach duine!



## A Special Day At Bloom

Our Agri Aware pupils enjoyed a fantastic day out at Bloom in the Park after receiving tickets as a reward for their active participation in the programme. The children explored the beautiful gardens, interactive exhibits, and educational displays while learning more about farming, food, and the environment. A highlight of the day was meeting the President of Ireland, which was a very exciting experience for everyone. The pupils had a wonderful day, represented our school brilliantly, and returned home with lots of happy memories.



## Sport

We had a fantastic day at Old Bawn TY soccer blitz. We won the Shield 🛡️ 😎 🏆 !!! well done to all the children involved. They were fantastic to take out.

Thank you to all the boys and girls who took part in the schools soccer team. We had a great league and played some great matches. Thank you to your parents too. Keep up playing sports 🏈 🏐



## GAA Blitz

Well done to the boys team who won the GAA blitz on Wednesday 3rd June and the girls coming 2nd. They were amazing. It's on days like this where other people who don't know our kids, praise them so highly that you realise how lucky we are. They played their hearts out in all weather conditions today, including hailstones at one point.

Thanks for all who helped out, esp Mr. O'Meara, Mr. Finnerty and Ms. Dalton. A big thank you to Joanne from Dublin Bus and the Gardai from Tallaght Garda Station.



We had an amazing active and well-being week here in school from Wednesday June 3rd to Tuesday 9th June. There was a variety of activities available each day, from Gymnastics to mindfulness to gaa and hurling and nutrition talks. We also had a fantastic soccer match between 6th class pupils and teachers, what a win for the staff!!

We hope everyone enjoyed it and thanks to our Active committee 😊.



## **Celebrating Sir David Attenborough's 100th Birthday and Climate Action Week:**

**Ms. Cahill's 6th Class went on a trip to see 'Oceans' by Sir David Attenborough @TheSquare. As part of our celebrations for Sir David Attenborough's 100th birthday and Climate Action Week, we enjoyed a special VIP experience! We were sitting in style while we watched and learned about the importance of protecting our planet and caring for the environment.**



Congratulations to everyone at Sacred Heart Senior National School on an excellent application and on achieving a well-deserved **Research Ireland Gold Curious Minds Award!** From windproof houses and body system projects to coding and robotics challenges it's plain to see there are young scientists and engineers working hard in every class. Judges were so impressed to see the Pickle Brick team doing a brilliant job at the First Lego League challenge with Think Big Space and to hear the teacher cheering them on (go Ms Jenkins) - fantastic teamwork! Well done to all the children and staff involved.



## Green Schools

Congratulations to the Green School Committee who were awarded the Travel Flag after two years of hard work. They have been creating awareness around active travel and have been encouraging everyone to cycle, scoot and walk to school. The flag was raised on the 15th June by our Travel Officer Ellen Kissane and we would like to thank her for all of her help and support this year.





# Confirmation



A huge comhghairdeas to our 6th Class children who recently celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation. It was a beautiful and memorable occasion, filled with joy, faith, and celebration. Their hard work and preparation over the past year were evident on the day, making it a truly special celebration. We are incredibly proud of each and every one of them!



# **School Fees**

School Fees €50  
(incl 24hr 365 days insurance)

Pay at link below or School Office  
<https://pay.sumup.com/b2c/QSVLT6HJ>

# **School Uniform**

Tracksuit €50  
Pay at Office card /cash

# **School Office Opening**

10am -2pm  
Mon 29<sup>th</sup> /30<sup>th</sup> June  
Reopens  
Monday 24<sup>th</sup> August



# Scoil N An Chroí Ró Naofa

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	School term starts
	School Closure/Holidays
	School term ends