

Scoil an Linbh Íosa News (Sept 2009)

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After School Activities

| Day | Activity | Class(es) | Time |
|-----------|----------------|---------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Monday | Football | 4 th /5 th /6 th | 3:10-4:30 |
| Tuesday | Basketball | 6 th (Girls) | 3-4pm |
| | Basketball | 6 th (Boys) | 4-5pm |
| | French | 3 rd /4 th | 3-4pm |
| | French | 3 rd /4 th | 4-5pm |
| Wednesday | Hurling | 5 th /6 th | 3:10-4:30 G.A.A |
| | Camogie | 4 th /5 th | Start Jan |
| | Speech & drama | 3 rd to 6 th | 3-4pm 4-5pm |
| | Play ball | J.Infants S.Infants | 2-3pm |
| | Playball | 1 st /2 nd | 3-4pm |
| Thursday | Art | 1 st to 6 th | 3-4:30pm |

Speech and Drama

Speech and drama classes will re-start on **Wednesday 23rd of September** and will run for 10 weeks at a cost of €80.

Please feel free to call to Mrs.A Gilbert's classroom (room 10) at 3pm any day to reserve a place.

Class times will be from 3-4pm and 4-5pm in the school library.

Note: Places are limited.

Sacramental Classes

Parents of children receiving the sacraments of Communion and Confirmation are invited to attend a meeting in the school library on

Tuesday 6th October

7:30pm Communion Meeting

8:30pm Confirmation Meeting

Maeve Mahon, the diocesan advisor, will facilitate both meetings.

Swimming

(each group will attend 6 swimming sessions)

Sept 10th/ 17th /24th

2nd & 3rd

Oct. 1st/8th /15th

C. Shanley / J.Molloy

Oct 22nd

2nd/3rd

Nov 5th /12th /19th 26th

J.Conlon / E. Carroll

Dec 3rd

Dec 10th /17th

1st/2nd & 4th

Jan 14th/21st/28th

A.Swords / K. Casey

Feb. 4th

Feb. 11th/ 25th

1st & 3rd/4th

March 4th/11th/18th/25th

L.Corrigan / C.Nolan

April 15th/22nd/ 29th

1st & 4th/5th

May 6th/13th/20th

F. Lydon / L.Scanlon

Interactive Whiteboards

(See how they work!)

The Interactive Whiteboards are proving to be a very valuable resource in the school.

A practical demonstration of these boards will be given at the **A.G.M. of the P.T.A on Wednesday 23rd of September.**

Night of Showband Stars and Guests (Benefit night)

Wednesday 30th September in the Westgrove Hotel. Doors open 7pm. Show starts 8pm.

Damien Rice / Sean Dumphy /The Everglades Showband/ are just some of the great names lined up to perform in what promises to be a great night's entertainment.

Catherine Daly, director of the choir, is organizing this benefit night for Sean Thompson, chairman of the Board of Management, who is currently undergoing medical treatment. Sean has been very supportive to the school over the last number of years, both as a member of the B.O.M. and of the fundraising committee.

As a school community, we would like to do all we can to support this event.
Tickets cost **€25** and are available through the school office.

The support of the parent body would be greatly appreciated.

W.O.W & W.O.F

Now that we are settled back into school, we would like to remind everyone of W.O.W and W.O.F. (Walking on Wednesdays and Fridays).

As well as the obvious benefits to the environment and congestion outside the school, a walk, however short, is the best possible start the children can get to their school day.

Parking

Parents are asked to park in a safe area away from the school.

We would like to take this opportunity to ask the parent body to consider the needs of the St. Farnan School Community and to not block the entrance to their school. Parents are also asked to avoid driving into St. Farnan's, either to turn around, or to park.

Your co-operation with this matter is greatly appreciated.

Art Classes

It is hoped to run after school Art classes on **Thursdays from 3 to 4:30pm.** (beginning **October 8th**)

These classes are available to pupils from **1st** to **6th** at a cost of **€80** As art materials need to be purchased, it will be necessary to pay for these lessons in advance.

To reserve a place please contact Ms.E.Carroll room 15 or Ms. L .Corrigan room 13 after 3pm any day.

Note: Wednesday 23rd is the final day for registration. Places are limited so book early to avoid disappointment.

**PTA – 'Book Saving's Club' will begin
on Friday 9th October
See this newsletter for details**

**REMINDER – Please ensure that we have all
correct addresses and telephone for your
child/children**

Calendar Update

