

BOM Meeting Wednesday 21st of May 2025 - Agreed Report

1. Minutes of last meeting were read and seconded

2. Communications received

- The Board watched sections from a Bi Cinealta video provided by our Patron.

3. Before and After School Childcare

- The Board had received communications from parents about setting up before and after school childcare on the premises.
- The school looked into the possibility of using the school building to provide before and after school child care.
- There is a shortage of provision of this service in Prosperous at the moment.
- The Board reached out to several providers and held detailed discussions about the possibility of hosting the service.
- The school is not in a position to accommodate the service as there are no classrooms available.

4. Treasurer's report

- The Treasurer gave his report including the Charity Regulator annual return .

5. Solar panels

- The Board agreed to proceed with the process of procuring solar panels through a fully funded Department of Education grant and an SEAI funded Commercial grant.

6. Principal's Report

- Book Blast was held between Scoil an Linbh Íosa, Farnan's and several other local schools.
- The Rainbows programme, run by volunteer teachers, finished their first group.
- Pupils from 4th class won a category at the national Intel Mini Scientists award in Blanchardstown

7. The Principal gave the Child Safeguarding and Anti-bullying report

- The collection of data from the anti-bullying forms and how this data should be used was discussed.

8. School meals

- It was agreed that the school would send out a survey to parents to highlight any issue with hot lunches. The results of this survey will then be forwarded to The Lunchbag.

9. Assessment

The different forms of assessment of pupils' work and how the results are communicated to parents was discussed.

10. School Development

- Class sizes and waiting lists were discussed.
- The Board intends to apply for planning permission to have modular accommodation for an extra classroom. It should be in place by September 2026.

11. Applications for Job Share and Career Break were discussed

12. School Tours

- The Board reviewed and ratified this year's school tours.