



05/10/2023

Dear Parents/guardians,

I hope you are all keeping well, and looking forward to midterm break.

### Coffee Morning

We hosted a coffee morning for parents of our junior and senior infant children on **Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> September**. Thanks to all those who came along. *We want to especially thank our senior girls from Room 15, Clodagh, Mia, Robyn, Avaleigh, Aoibheann, Madison and Mila for serving and helping out.*

### Junior Infant Enrolment 2024/2025

Enrolment for 2024/2025 commenced via our school website on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> October and will remain open until 6<sup>th</sup> January 2024. Click on the QR code to access the pre-enrolment form.



### Junior Infant Photographs

The school photographer will visit on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> October to take pictures of the junior infant children.

### Sacraments Information

First Holy Communion and Confirmation dates were shared with parents on Monday. The parish online registration for parents to register their children for the sacraments opened Monday 2nd and will close on Friday 27th October.

### Secondary School Applications

Final reminder for parents of sixth class children! Application forms for Coláiste Bríde must be returned to Coláiste Bríde on or before the **27<sup>th</sup> October, 2023**.

### Maths Week

Maths week takes place from Monday 16<sup>th</sup> – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October in Scoil Íde. It is always a great week and we look forward to doing riddles, games, maths trails, stations and lots of great activities.

### September Assembly

We had our September assembly a little later than planned. Congratulations to all our September Principal Prize winners. Well done to Ms Murphy's class for their fantastic performance of 'When I Grow Up'. Check out our website to read all about our assembly.



### **Student Council Elections**

Preparations are underway for the election of a new student council. Voting will take place during Maths Week. We look forward to the results.

### **Parents Association AGM**

The Parents Association AGM will take place on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> October at 4pm in the school hall. We hope to see you all there.

### **Safe Cycling Course**

A 7-week safe cycling course for 5<sup>th</sup> class commences on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November. Topics covered will include: safe equipment; rules of the road; starting and stopping; road positioning; shoulder checking; turning left and right; overtaking and traffic manoeuvres, and on-road training.

### **Marathon Kids**

Our senior classes are continuing with their Marathon Kids programme. Keep up the great running.

### **Clondalkin RFC**

Rugby continues on Wednesdays for children in 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> classes until midterm break.

### **GAA Coaching**

Senior infants and 1<sup>st</sup> classes have 1 more week of coaching with David. Children were delighted trying out camogie and hurling this week.

### **Halloween Disco**

The disco has been rescheduled until after Christmas.

### **Spooky Walk**

We will have a spooky walk around our neighbourhood on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October, this is the last day of the term. Children may dress up if they wish. Regular closing times apply on that day; 1:30 for infants and 2:30 for the rest of the school.

Keep up to date with all school news on our website [www.scoilideclondalkin.com](http://www.scoilideclondalkin.com)

*Catherine Keane and the Scoil Íde Team.*