



08/06/2023

Dear Parents/guardians,

We hope you are all well, we cannot believe we are in our final weeks of this school year. What a great year it has been in our school!!!

South Dublin County Council Poster Winner

Huge congratulations to **Zuzanna Kozdron** from 3rd class who won the poster competition for her category with South Dublin County Council. The council invited pupils to make a poster encouraging people to clean up after their dogs and create awareness of the problems that dog litter poses. Zuzanna will be awarded her prize by the Mayor and her poster will be professionally painted, printed and put up in the locality. Well done!

School Tours

Our Junior Infants went to Red Mountain Farm this morning, we hope they have a great first school tour. Next up are our Sixth class girls, they are off to Alive Outside Activity Centre on Wednesday 14th June. We hope they have a great trip.

Incoming Junior Infant Meetings

Meetings for incoming parents took place on **Tuesday 30th May and Thursday 1st June**. It was great to meet everyone. We look forward to welcoming you all back again on the first day of school, 30th of August, 2023.

School Reports 2023

School reports will be available to view on Aladdin from Monday 19th June.

Nore Valley Incubator Project

It's day 16 in the Big Chick house. We cannot wait for the eggs to hatch and we are all very excited for their arrival.

Art Exhibition

The school will hold an art exhibition on **Tuesday 13th and Wednesday 14th June**. All are welcome to attend. Classes will display samples of their creations from throughout the year.

Garda Band visit

The Garda band will entertain the whole school community on **Thursday 15th June** from 11 am to 12 midday. Parents are welcome to come and listen to the music. We will also present our cheque for our Down Syndrome Fundraiser on the day.



Active School Week

Active school week will take place from **Monday 19th – Friday 23rd June**. We have many great activities planned; Cricket, Volleyball, Sports Day, Yoga, Bleep test and the Tour de Scoil Íde. It is always a fun filled, action packed week.

Memorial Match

Our annual Memorial match in memory of Dr. Harrison Omorodion will take place on Wednesday 21st June at 12 midday on the all-weather pitch at Round Towers. All are welcome to attend. Mayor Emma Murphy will present the cup to the winning team.

Graduations

First and Sixth class graduations will take place on **Wednesday 28th June**. First class graduation ceremony is at 11:30am and 6th class graduation ceremony is at 1:45pm. Parents are welcome to attend.

Run with Ray

Scoil Íde were delighted to accept an invitation to run with Ray D'Arcy in our school yard on the 30th June. Ray will visit the school at 10am and our athletics team will run with Ray. We look forward to his visit.

Homework/Afterschool Club

Our afterschool club will finish on **Thursday 15th June** for the year. Thanks to all the teachers who facilitated this club.

Sixth Class Show

This year Sixth class will perform the musical *Annie* as an end of year show on **Friday 23rd June** at 1:45pm. Parents/Guardians are welcome to attend.

Tech Improvements

All our mainstream classrooms have had new interactive screens installed. Everyone is thrilled with them, they are already making a huge difference to teaching and learning.

Gaelic Football

Coaching has now finished for this year. We would like to say a huge thank you to the coaches, Ms Warde, Ms Murphy and Ms Crowley for all their time and dedication with the panel all year long. We look forward to the memorial match against our neighbours, Scoil Áine on the 21st June.

Volleyball

Volleyball has now finished for the year. We are so delighted to have had volleyball as an afterschool activity and look forward to it returning next year. Thanks to Lina and Ewelina for all their coaching and expertise.



Art Club

Art Club has 2 sessions remaining, Wednesday 14th and Wednesday 21st.

Summer Camp

The Scoil Íde Summer Camp runs from the 3rd – 7th July, from 9:30 – 1:30 daily.

WOW

Our Walk on Wednesday winners this week were; Room 2 – Ms Sweeney's class and Room 14 – Ms Kelly's class. Well done to all.

Green School

Our garden area looks fantastic, this is down to all the hard work of our Green School Committee. Well done to all involved.

School News

Keep up to date with all school news by checking out our website
<https://www.scoilideclondalkin.com/news/>

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.

Catherine Keane and the Scoil Íde Team.