# Scoil Mhuire agus Iosaf

# March 2023 Newsletter

Lots of exciting things happened in the month of March. Keep up to date with news and events through our <u>Newsletters</u>, <u>Class Blogs</u> and our <u>School Facebook page</u>.





#### World Book Day 2023

For World Book Day the children dressed up as different characters from their favourite books. The day was devoted to fostering a love of reading. Children created bookmarks, read aloud to their classmates, designed book covers and completed book reviews. A fantastic way to celebrate books and reading in a fun and positive way.



#### Mini 7s

We are so proud of our boys and girls teams who both made it to the semi finals this year. There was great support and a fantastic atmosphere in Connolly Park. Thank you once again to Mr. Higgins and Ms. Mulvaney for all their hard work in preparing the teams. They are an absolute credit to you both.





## Lá Glas

To celebrate St. Patrick's Day and the end of Seachtain na Gaeilge children and teachers wore green clothes into school. Take a look at our class blogs to see more photos from Lá Glas.



### Pieta Fundraiser

For our Wellness Wednesday in March we held a wholeschool Teddy Bears Picnic and Walk in aid of Pieta House.

Each class participated in a walk along with their teachers and finished off with a tasty picnic back at school. We raised €500 for this fantastic charity.

Thank you for your support, it is very much appreciated.



Congratulations to all medal winners so far in the community games.

Our pupils are a fantastic representation for our school and

we are so proud of each and every one of you.

#### **New Building**

We are expecting the handover of our new building over the easter holidays with the intention of moving in on the 17th of April.

(With the exception of any delays).

A text will be sent to parents over the break to keep you all updated. Thanks to all the pupils, staff and parents for your patience during the construction phase, it is much appreicated.



Wishing you all a happy and peaceful Easter break. School will close on Friday the 31st of March at 12:30pm (half day) and will reopen on Monday the 17th of April.



# **Dates for the diary:**

★ World Book Day: 2nd of March

★ International Women's Day: 8th of March

★ Seachtain na Gaeilge: 6th-17th of March

★ Staff Training Day: 16th of March

★ St. Patrick's Day: 17th of March

★ Mothers Day: 19th of March

★ World Down Syndrome Day: 21st of March

★ Pieta Fundraiser: 29th of March

★ Easter Holidays: 31st of March