

NEWSLETTER

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Important Health Notice

Like everyone, the school community at Nano Nagle is playing its part to combat Covid-19. This week all of the children are receiving lessons on safe hand hygiene and “*Cover your Cough and Sneeze*” posters are visible in all classrooms. Please reinforce this important message at home!

Multiple hand sanitizers are located around the school building, especially at entry and exit points. Our cleaning staff are also ensuring that extra measures are being taken to protect pupils and staff.

Children with any form of sickness should always be kept at home until they have fully recovered. This is our advice all throughout the year.

Given the young age of our children, we are responding in a sensible and calm manner.

The Department of Health have asked all schools to send an information letter out to parents. It is attached to this newsletter. More information and advice on Covid-19 is also available at www.hse.ie

St Patrick's Day Holidays

The school will be closed on **Monday 16th March and Tuesday 17th March**. The school will re-open on Wednesday 18th March.



St Patrick's Day Concerts



For ‘Irish week’ or ‘Seachtain na Gaeilge’ there will be an extra emphasis on the speaking of the Irish language and promoting Irish culture within the school. **Parents/Guardians are invited to attend a short class concert in the hall** to celebrate St Patrick's Day and our Irish language and culture.

Junior & Senior Infant Concert Dates:

Time: 9.10 a.m. in P.E.Hall

Junior Infant : Wednesday 11th March

Senior Infants: Thursday 12th March

1st & 2nd Class Concert Dates:

Time: 1.40 p.m. in P.E. Hall

First Classes: Wednesday 11th March

Second Classes: Thursday 12th March





Early Start St. Patrick's Day

Concert Date:

Early Start Friday 13th March.

AM group: 10.45 a.m.

PM Group: 1.45 p.m.

Early Start concerts are in the classroom followed by Quality Time.

Lá fhéile Pádraig shona dhaoibh go léir!

[law ayla paw-drig hunya yeev guh lair]

Happy St. Patrick's day to you all!



World Book Day

World Book Day is on Thursday 5th March. Every class will have DEAR (Drop Everything & Read) time to mark the day.

2nd classes will visit the Junior & Senior Infant classes and read to them. 1st classes will visit Early Start classes and will read to them. **All the children received their book token on Monday March 2nd. Book tokens are valid until Sunday 29th March 2020 and can be redeemed in listed bookshops**

www.worldbookday.com/world-book-day-ireland

Enrolments

We are still taking enrolments for Early Start & Junior Infants for the academic year 2020-2021. Please call to Mr. Burke or to Ms Mac Mahon any Monday to Friday from **1.00 p.m. to 1.30 . p.m.**

Applications should be accompanied by:

- 1. Child's birth certificate**
- 2. Your child's PPS number (this can be found on your child's medical card)**
- 3. Recent utility bill as proof of address**

Parents' Association Meeting

The next Parents' Association meeting takes place in the Parents' Room in the pre-fabs on Tuesday 10th March at 9.05 a.m. All are welcome. This is a great way to get involved in school events and meet new people.

National Parents Council (NPC) Talk on Internet Safety

Tuesday March 24th at 9.15a.m. in Scoil Talbot P.E. hall. This talk will give information on setting boundaries for your child and empowering and supporting parents/guardians around the whole area of internet safety. No booking required.

Autism Awareness Talk

The Irish Society for Autism will give a talk on Autism Awareness in Scoil Nano Nagle P.E. hall on

Thursday 26th March at 9.10. - 10.10 a.m.

Tea/coffee will be provided after the talk to allow an opportunity to meet other parents. No booking required.



Returning Library Books

Early Start, Junior & Senior Infants and First class books that were borrowed from Clondalkin library during their recent visit can be returned to any library in the country or to the mobile library that comes to Bawnogue. It is good to know that up to 12 books can be borrowed from the library and there are no more fines for late returns.

The Mobile Library is in Bawnogue on Thursdays :

Kilmahuddrick Crescent 3.00pm-3.55 p.m.

Melrose Green 4.00pm-5.00 p.m.

Bawnogue Road 6.00pm-7.00 p.m (opposite the church)

Cherrywood Crescent 7.00 p.m.-8.00 p.m.

Contact: 01 4593315

www.southdublinlibraries.ie

