

Latnamard NS Newsletter

DECEMBER/NOLLAIG 2022



WELL DONE ON A FANTASTIC RESPONSE TO THE TEAM HOPE SHOE BOX APPEAL!

Congratulations and well done to all our pupils and families who contributed to the Team Hope Shoe Box Appeal.

These shoe boxes will be delivered to other children in need this Christmas. A lovely way to 'give' this Christmas.

CHRISTMAS FOOD APPEAL

The school community has been completely overwhelmed at the response to the Christmas Food Appeal for St. Vincent de Paul.

Thank you to all who contributed. Our food will be collected today 20th December.

HEALTHY LUNCHES

As a health promoting school, pupils are encouraged to bring healthy lunches to school.

Latnamard NS is a **nut free school** as a number of our pupils are severely allergic to nuts! Thank you for your co-operation with this matter.



SCIENCE WEEK 2022

The pupils in all classes participated in the 'National Science Week' from Monday 14th November – Friday 18th November. 5th & 6th Class completed different experiments including – Coke & Mentos, Giant Jellies, Rainbow Skittles, How strong is spaghetti?, Bread Experiment & How to make butter to mention a few with all classes. Well done to all our great scientists & leaders in Latnamard NS!

Christmas Jumpers & Mass

The pupils can wear their PE uniform on Tuesday and Wednesday with their Christmas jumpers/PE Jumper.

Pupils will be participating in our Christmas Mass on 21st December 2022 in St Mary's, Aghabog at 10am.

All classes will remember the first Christmas through story, songs and prayers in our school Christmas mass as we await the birth of Jesus.



GAA & GYMNASTICS FOR 2023

We look forward to the new year with great excitement as we welcome two new strands from our P.E. Curriculum. On **Wednesdays** the pupils will be completing GAA skills with Ann Mc Kenna from Monaghan GAA. Pupils from 1st – 6th Class will need to wear a gum for GAA. On **Thursdays** LA Gymnastics will be teaching gymnastics to all pupils in line with our PE Curriculum.

Closure for Mid Term

School closes on Wednesday 21st December at 12p.m. for Christmas Break.

School will reopen on Thursday 5th January 2023.

PE Uniform: Wednesday & Thursday for Term 2.

Christmas Play: We would like to congratulate all our pupils on an outstanding night of entertainment on Friday 16th December. The pupils completed a range of plays including the nativity with Room 1 – It's a Baby, Room 2 – A Midwife Crisis & Christmas festiviites with Room 3 & 4 with No One Wraps like an Elf. Thank you to all our families and the local community in supporting the concert and the raffle on the night. A great night was enjoyed by all! Thank you!

We would like to thank you, the parent body for your wonderful, ongoing support to your children and our school.

The pupils of Latnamard NS are a credit to you all.

Wishing you and your families a very happy and peaceful Christmas and we very much look forward to 2023!

Nollaig Shona daoibh go léir agus athbhliain faoi mhaise daoibh.

Important Dates for 2023

First Penance – 22nd Feb

First Holy Communion – 28th May

Confirmation - 28th April



Our Christmas Raffle

We would like to thank the following businesses for their generosity towards our raffle: Roslea Bureau de Change, TOS, Mc Ardles, Aghabog GAA, Martins, Gillanders, Cusack Carpentry, A2B Coaches, Fitzpatrick's Fuels, Avenue Pharmacy Clones, B. Keelan, Tommy Leonard, Frank Leonard, Tony Mc Gorman, Senator Windows, Alice Gallagher & Doapey.

