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Hibernating Harry

Unfortunately not everyone will have the opportunity to partake in our festive celebrations. In the Junior Infant room, Harry the Hedgehog is oblivious to the hard work and Christmas preparations that are underway but has his alarm clock set in time for Spring!



**A VERY HAPPY,
PEACEFUL AND
ENJOYABLE
CHRISTMAS TO
ALL FROM THE
STAFF AT
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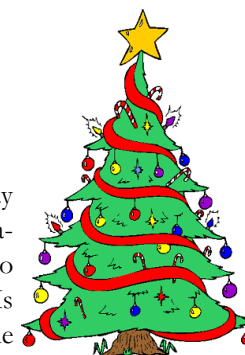
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Christmas is Coming!!

Christmas is fast approaching and December promises to be an entertaining month with all classes busy preparing for their Christmas performances.



6th class will get the festive season underway with a Gala Performance in the Solstice Theatre Navan on Monday 3rd. We look forward to a great night's entertainment! Thanks to Ms O'Sullivan for all her help co-ordinating the performance.

Class Performances



Second class kick off our school performances with their play Ralph the Reindeer on Friday 14th at 2.15pm. 1st class will perform The Prickly Hay on Tuesday 18th Dec at 2.15pm. That evening's entertainment will include performances from 4th class in A Christmas To Believe, 5th class in Beauty is a Beast and 6th class with their concert.

Junior Infants will make their debut in Whoops-a-Daisy Angel on Wednesday 19th December at 11.15am, followed by Senior Infants in The Innkeeper's Breakfast at 1.15pm.

3rd classes will bring a close to our performances with lots of song and dance on Thursday, 20th December at 2pm.



Hallowe'en 2012

Our Hallowe'en fancy dress day proved a great success and lots of effort was made by all! Our many witches, vampires and other scary characters raised a very impressive €311, with half of these funds being donated to St Vincent de Paul.



Shoebox Appeal



Lots of families got on board recently with Operation Christmas Child and St Vincent de Paul by filling shoeboxes with gifts. Their contribution will make a real difference to many children both at home and abroad this Christmas. Many thanks to Angie for her time in organising this project!



Thank You!

Many thanks to our parent volunteers for their help and support with our paired reading every week with Senior Infants. This is proving to be a great success!



Book Fair

The recent book fair held in the computer hall was a great success, with all classes and parents given the opportunity to browse and purchase from the huge selection of books. There was a great variation of books purchased this year and many is the child that has had their head buried in them since! Many thanks to Antonia and her gang, who visited most classes, for some animated storytelling on the day.

Be awesome - be a book nut!!

-Dr. Seuss



Gaelic Skills



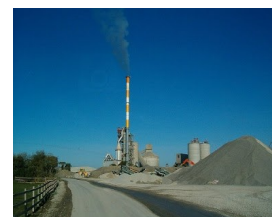
Junior Infants, Senior Infants and First class have been enjoying Gaelic skills each week with Eddie in school 2. They have had lots of fun playing different games and have learned lots of skills. Second, third and fourth classes have also been enjoying football with Stephen. Hopefully, the Kildalkey football teams, and indeed the Meath football teams will reap the rewards in the future!! Many thanks to Stephen and Eddie for their guidance and help!



Dance

Earlier in the term, third and fourth classes thoroughly enjoyed dance classes with Siobhán. We will be able to see some of the good work done in the up and coming performances!

Class Tours & Activities



The third classes had the opportunity to visit the Lagan Cement Plant in Kinnegad in recent weeks. Fourth class also visited the ESB Power Plant in Edenderry. These were very educational trips and were enjoyed by all!

The third classes have also been busy doing lots of project work.



Fifth class visited Newgrange recently and had a very enjoyable day! Fifth class have also been very busy with class projects and debates which are proving to be a great success.

First and sixth classes have been teaming up to do 'buddy' reading which has also been very successful for all involved.

