

Scoil Mhuire Gan Smál New Inn

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<u>Dates to remember</u>

- Fri 23rd Mar Closing Easter Hols— I 2noon
- Mon 9th April School re-opens
- Wed I I th April u I 3 Camógie blitz
- Sun 15th April Do this in Memory Mass
- Thurs 26th April ull(A) Camógie blitz
- Fri 27th April ull(IA) Camógie Blitz
- Mon 7th May Bank Holiday
- Sat 19th May Ist Holy Communion
- Mon 4th June Bank Holiday
- Active School Week I I th—I 5th June
- Mon I I th June Junior Tour (Juniors to I st class) School closed (2nd –6th)
- Mon 18th June Senior Tour (2nd—6th class)
- Fri 22nd June Summer Holidays Closing 12noon

CHILD PROTECTION

All partners in Education have a responsibility to the children in our care and ensuring their wellbeing and safety at all times.

New Child protection laws came into being on 11th March 2018 for all schools, and all schools had to undertake a child safety risk assessment. The draft copy of our child safety risk assessment is available for viewing on our school website:- www.newinngirlsschool.ie. This draft copy has been brought to the attention of the Parents Council at their meeting on Wednesday 21st March and following feedback will be ratified by the Board of Management at the next Board meeting on 9th April 2018.

ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICINES

As per our Administration of Medicine policy teachers will not administer medication to pupils in school. However if a written note is given the teachers will supervise the child self administering medication. It has come to our attention that from time to time pupils have inhalers and other medication in school. Please note it is not safe for any child to keep medication in his/her school bag. The teacher should be informed in writing if a child is bringing medication to school and this medication is to be stored in a safe area in the office until the child requires it. Teachers cannot be responsible for other children inadvertently accessing your child's medication.

COLLECTION OF CHILDREN AT HOME TIME

In the interest of your child's safety it is important that he/she knows who is collecting him/her or if he/she is going to "After School" or going home on the bus. Please ensure your child is aware of what his/her home-time arrangements are.

1st PENANCE

Congrats to our 2nd class pupils who made their 1st Penance on **Tuesday 13th March**.

1st Holy Communion takes place on **Saturday 19th May.**

The final "Do this in Memory" Mass will be on **Sunday 15th April**

Please note that next year all members of the "Do this in Memory" programme will need to be Garda vetted.



CAMÓGIE

The G.A.A. season has commenced once again in school and pupils from 1st to 6th have resumed coaching.

There will be an u13 camogie blitz in Cashel on Wednesday 11th April and our u11 (A) team will have a blitz in New Inn on Thursday 26th April, while our u11 (A1) will have a blitz in Cashel on Friday 27th April.

All deliveries of G.A.A. gear are due after Easter .

ACTIVE SCHOOL WEEK 11th—18th June

Our Active School Week this year is planned for 11th—18th June.

On **11th June** our Junior Tour (Junior Infants —1st class tour will take place. Children will be going to "Leahys Open Farm". Further details nearer the time. **School will be closed on that day for 2nd—6th class.**

On Monday **18th June** The senior Tour will be going to The G.P.O., The Zoo, and Butlers Chocolates. The tour will cost approx. €36. further details nearer the time.

AIR-TASTIC

The pupils from 5th & 6th class went to Air-tastic, Little Island in Cork on Thursday afternoon **8th March**, as part of our Active School programme. The girls really enjoyed the evening trampolining and of course we did have a "pit stop" in Fermoy on the way home! See website—www.newinngirlsschool.ie—Active School/Physical Activity for further photos.

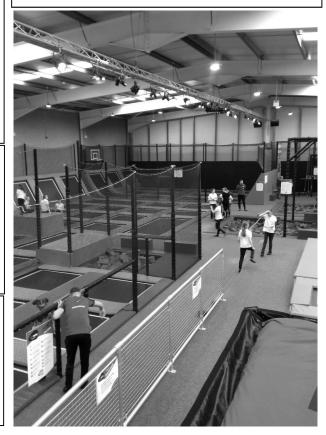
ATHLETICS

Athletic training with Albert Doyle and Michele Nugent will take place every Monday & Wednesday, 5— 5.45pm in the G.A.A. field beginning **Monday 9th April.** Further details from Michele 086 8565358 After school running will be on Tuesdays 3.10pm to 4pm starting on **Tuesday 17th April.**

SPLIT the POT Congratulations to our recent winners!

2/3/18—Niamh Marnane (5th) - €68 9/3/18—Róise Callery (J.I.) - €50 16/3/18—Evan Ryan (1st) - €70





Congratulations to the following who celebrated their birthday between 1/1/18—31/3/18

<u>Junior Infants</u>

Caoimhe Burke Ella Gayson Hannah O' Donnell Bríd Quinn Adam Ryan Sophie Shanahan

<u>1st Class</u> Saoirse Harnett Méabh Lonergan

<u>Senior Infants</u>

Maria Durkan Adele Fitzgerald Elizabeth Julian Evie Lawrence Emily O' Donnell Rory Shanahan

<u>2nd Class</u> Shóna Moloney

3rd Class

Catherine Fitzgerald Molly Lawrence Sophie Lonergan

4th Class

Cara Hennessy Derry Matthia Sienna O' Dwyer

5th Class

Maeve Carroll Ciara Fitzpatrick Margaret McGrath Freya McKenna Emily McNamara Anna O' Donoghue

<u>6th Class</u> Clara Matthia