Scoil Mhuire Gan Smál New Inn

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Dates to remember

- May 30th Wed
 Closed Senior Tour
- May 31st Thurs
 Closed Referendum
- June 1st Friday Junior Tour
- June 4th Monday Closed - Bank Holiday
- June 7th Uniform fittings 9.30am -2.30pm
- June 8th Uniform fittings 2.30pm 3.30pm
- June 18th 22nd Active Schools Week
- June 28th Thurs Closing 12noon - Hols

our website:

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First Holy Communion 19/5/12



The boys and girls in 2nd class from both schools made their 1st Holy Communion on **Saturday 19th May.** All the children were a credit to themselves, their families and their school. They celebrated the ceremony with reverence and dignity. Thanks to Fr. Kennedy, their teachers and the "Do this in Memory" co-ordinating group who helped in the preparation for this special day for : *Matthew Barry, Aoibhe Bergin, Kerri Browne, Kyle Burke, Sarah Fitzgerald, Conor O' Dwyer Fitzgerald, Kevin Keating, Joseph Lawrence, Thomas Marnane, Ciara Moloney, Diarmuid Monaghan, Diarmuid O' Brien, Eimear O' Brien, Niamh O' Brien, Jason O' Gorman, Claire Ryan, Davina Ryan.* A special word of thanks to Patsy McGuirk who played the keyboard for us. We hope that everyone enjoyed their day.

W.O.W.

Our W.O.W. programme got off to a great start on **Wednesday 9th May** with Brendan Cummins launching it. We raised €425 on the day with our breakfast morning. It is great to see so many Parents and younger brothers and sisters joining us every Wednesday as we continue our Walk on Wednesdays. Please feel free to join us any Wednesday until the summer holidays.



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Athletics

Congratulations to all in 3rd & 4th class who travelled to Clonmel for a Track and Field event on **Wednesday 23rd May**. The 3rd & 4th class team received silver medals and 5th & 6th came 1st and received gold medals. Everybody's placing in the team matters as points are awarded to each person. As our combined points were the highest on the day we received the trophy for "Best Large School" overall. Special congratulations to Jessica McNamara who came 1st in 100m sprint and Elma Casey who came 1st in 300m.

Many thanks to Mary Doyle for all her help and encouragement with the training. Without her we wouldn't have achieved such great results.

Thanks -Parents Council

The Parents Council supplied and fitted new security cameras and signs around the school yard. Hopefully these will eliminate the recent vandalism we have been subjected to. Also, many thanks to the Parents Council who sponsored the balance of the buses for our trips to Dundrum and Cahir for the u 11 and u 13 camógie blitzes. In addition they also covered the cost for the new goal posts we have for the penalty shoot out.

Active Schools Week

This year as part of our Active Schools Flag campaign we will be having an active schools week! This will be on **18th - 22ndJune**. During this week we will have some activity every afternoon.

Congratulations!

Well done to Ciara Moloney & Davina Ryan who won prizes in Cahir GAA recent art competition. School Jacket A red school jacket,7-8 years, remains unclaimed. If you think it may belong to your child please con-

tact the office.

<u>Camógie</u>

On **Thursday 10th May** our u 11 camógie team went to Cahir to take part in a blitz. We played four matches in total. First we met Clonoulty and got off to a great start and we were 2 goals up at half time. Unfortunately Clonoulty made a big

come back and ended up winning by 3 goals to 2. Our next match was against the Sisters of Charity, Clonmel which we won 3 goals to no score, followed by Boherlahan who beat us 2 goals and 3 points to no score. The girls put up a great fight but Boherlahan were just too strong for us. Our 4th and last match was against our old rivals Ballylooby and we won that match 1 goal and 2 points to no score.

Overall it was a great day. Boherlahan proved too strong for all teams on the day and as they won all their matches they were the team to qualify for the finals in Semple Stadium. Thanks to coaches Brian White, Paul Perry and Taylor Ryan and the parent volunteers who supervise training sessions.

Our deepest sympathies are extended to Mrs. Harrington and her family on the death of her father, James McGloin late of Rathmullan, Co. Donegal. On **Wednesday 16th May** Fr. Kennedy celebrated Mass in the school with the pupils and staff for the repose of his soul **Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam**

Handball Coaching

Children from 1st to 6th class had handball coaching at the hurling wall in the GAA pitch on Friday **25th May** from 10am to 12 noon. The weather was kind to us and everyone enjoyed themselves. Our thanks to Cyril Fitzgerald and Lagganstown Handball club for organising this event.



