

# Scoil Mhuire Gan Smál New Inn

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# Dates to remember

# • Mid-term break

School closed

Monday to Friday

31st Oct — 4th Nov

# • Christmas Hols

Closing Wed 21st Dec

#### • First Holy Communion

Saturday 29th April 2023 At 11.30am

# ABSENCE NOTES

We would like to remind you that if your child is absent from school for any reason you must fill in the Absence Form on the front page of our website

#### Reminder

The school is a nut free zone. Please do not give your child/children actual nuts to bring to school and do not put Nutella or peanut butter in your child's lunches.

Thank you for your cooperation A special welcome to our 14 Junior Infants: Darragh Buckley, Annie Burke, Lilly Delaney, Cara Flynn, Hugo Harnett, Rory Kelly, Tom Maher, Tom Mason, Emanuel Mitrofan, Clare O'Connor, Essie O'Farrell, Jimmy O'Reilly, Ella Shanahan, & Will Tierney.



Welcome also to Miriam & Alexandra Mitrofan who have joined us in 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> class.

We wish last year's 6<sup>th</sup> class well in the next stage of their education and hope our 1<sup>st</sup> class boys are settling in well in the Boys School. Best wishes also to Charlotte Treacy, David O' Brien and Tina O' Reilly who have also moved on.

#### SCHOOL FEES

School fees (&60) are now due. Our thanks to all who have paid to date. If yours are still outstanding we would appreciate your attention to this matter. You may pay by cash or cheque but online is the preferred method. IBAN is IE87BOFI90593451108900

## **ATHLETICS**

Pupils from 3rd to 6th class took part in the Tipperary Primary Schools Cross-Country in Thurles on Wednesday 28th September. Well done to all the girls! They represented the school with distinction and gave it their all.



3rd & 4th class

5th & 6th class



Further photos to follow next week

#### SCHOOL UNIFORM

P.E. days are Tuesdays and Thursdays and tracksuits may be worn on these days. In addition, while Zumba is taking place, tracksuits may also be worn on Wednesdays if you wish. **Full school uniform** should be worn on Mondays and Fridays. This includes the school crested red/navy jumpers.

The school 1/2 zip order has been forwarded to the supplier for those who placed an order. It may take a few weeks before we receive the goods.

### COMMUNICATION

We would like to remind parents that they can check out our website—newinngirlsschool.ie for regular updates of school events, photos and a number of our school policies.

We post our monthly newsletter on our website and we currently use textaparent to update you on many events during the year. We will shortly moving to whatsapp messaging. If you wish to speak to your child's class teacher please telephone the office 052 7462122 or email info@newinngirlsschool.ie to make an appointment.

#### SPLIT THE POT....

Will resume shortly. For those of you not familiar with this initiative it is a fundraising event organised between the school and the Parents Association. Every Friday each family is given an envelope and you are encouraged to put €2 in this envelope and return it to school by the following Wednesday. All the money collected is counted and half goes to the school and half goes to the winner whose envelope is picked on Friday, You may enter as often as you like. Spare envelopes are available from you child's class teacher or from the office.

Sincere thanks to Michael Purcell in The Shop who facilitates the changing of coins into notes.

# FIRST HOLY COMMUNION..

Will take place on Saturday 29th April 2023 at 11am

We have no date yet for Confirmation

#### **HEAD LICE**

If we send a notification regarding head lice in school it is very important that all children's hair is checked and treated if necessary. Please remember that if treatment is required the instructions should be closely followed.

## **ACTIVITIES**

Zumba, with Clodagh, continues every Wednesday until Halloween. All the children and staff are really enjoying it.!!!

GAA coach, Denis is doing great work with all the pupils on Thursdays—developing the skills of the older groups while helping the younger pupils with their fundamental movement skills

The beginning of school year mass took place on Thursday 29th September in the Parish Church. Thanks to everyone who participated and to Fr. Bobby for leading the ceremony.

## CHILDREN'S ART— JUNIORS

# BLENDED LEARNING/ICT SKILLS

We have been chosen by the PDST as a pilot school for enhanced blended learning in education. 5th & 6th class will partake in a number of modules which will develop their ICT skills



# SENIOR INFANTS & 1ST CLASS



5TH & 6TH CLASS







3RD & 4TH CLASS





1ST & 2ND CLASS