



gaelscoil bhaile brigín

NUACHTLITIR 13



04/12/23

Tógáil an tsínte/ Building of Extension

Tá áthas an domhain orainn go mbeidh tús á chur le síneadh ar fhoirgneamh na scoile i mí Eanáir. Bhí an tógáil seo le tarlú siar i 2015 ach cuireadh siar arís is arís eile é. Faoi dheireadh thiar thall tá dáta tosaithe faighte againn den 16 Eanáir.

Beidh ocht mí ghnóthach dhéag i gceist leis an obair tógála. Tíocfaidh athrú ar chóras theacht isteach ar scoil agus dhul abhaile. Chuige seo, tá físeán gairid déanta ag múinteoir Clodagh chun na hathruithe seo a mhíniú daoibh. Míle buíochas le Eric Campbell as ucht an físeán a thaifeadadh.

Bígí i dteagmháil linn má tá ceist ar bith agaibh faoi aon chuid de.

<https://youtu.be/SZW25zYsKdY>

We are over the moon that the extension to the school building will start in January. These works were due to start way back in 2015 but have been pushed back again and again. Finally, we have been given a start date of 16th January.

It will be a busy 18 months of building works. Arrangements for coming into school and for going home will change. To this end, múinteoir Clodagh has recorded an explanation video to go through these changes with you. Many thanks to Eric Campbell for filming.

Please get in touch if you have any questions.

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Féilire/ Calendar

Is féidir leat Féilire 2024 a ordú anois. Ní gá ach scéal a chur chun na hoifige. Costas €10.
You can now order the 2024 Calendar. Just contact the office to order. Price €10.

Panto

Chuamar ar thuras uile scoile chuig an Panto an tseachtain seo san amharclann nua i mBaile Brigín, The Lark. Bhí an-am againn ann. Is ionad iontach é seo agus tá an t-adh dearg linn go bhfuil sé ar leac an dorais againn. Is féidir tuilleadh eolais a fháil faoi na seónna atá ag teacht aníos acu anseo: <https://thelark.ie/whats-on/>

We went on a whole school tour this week to see the Panto in the new Lark theatre in Balbriggan. We had a great time there. This is a great venue and we are so lucky to have it here on our doorstep. You can find more information on upcoming events at The Lark here: <https://thelark.ie/whats-on/>

Carúil na Nollag/ Christmas Carols

Beidh séirbhís charúil na Nollag ar siúl ag an scoil oíche Mháirt na seachtaine seo chugainn i séipéal Naoimh Peadar agus Pól @ 6.15in. Beidh cór Rang a haon agus a dó agus cór rang 3-6 ag casadh amhráin ar an oíche. Tá fáilte roimh chách.

The school will host a Christmas Carol service in St. Peter & Paul's church on Tuesday 12th December @6.15pm. 1st & 2nd class choir and 3rd-6th class choirs will perform on the night. All are welcome.

Iris Nollag/ Christmas Annuals

Tá síneadh ama curtha leis an nasc ordaithe ó Educate.ie. Beidh tú in ann iad a ordú ar feadh seachtaine eile.

The order link for Christmas annuals from Educate.ie has been extended. You can order for another week. <https://annualorders.educate.ie/20252P/aisling-ni-ghiobuin>

Saoire na Nollag/ Christmas Holidays

Dúnfar an scoil @12 ar an 22 Nollaig le haghaidh saoire na Nollag. Osclófar arís í ar an 08 Eanáir @ 8.50rn.

The school will close at 12 on 22nd December for Christmas holidays. We will reopen on Monday 8th January @8.50am.

An Cór Sinearach/ Senior Choir

Rachaidh grúpa beag ón gcór chuig Moorehall Lodge chun cúpla amhrán Nollag a chasadh do na daoine atá ina gconáí ann Déardaoin na seachtaine seo chugainn. Míle buíochas le múinteoir Elaine as ucht seo a eagrú.

A small group from the choir will go to Moorehall Lodge nursing home on Thursday 14th to sing some Christmas Carols. Thanks to Múinteoir Elaine for organising this.

Billí/ Bills

D'iarrfaimis oraibh anois aon bhille scoile atá fós ar Aladdin a ghlanadh. Beidh bille club na naíonán don tréimhse seo le híoc faoin 21 Nollaig.

We ask that any outstanding payments on Aladdin are now cleared. The bill for this period of infant club will need to be paid in full by 21st December.

St. Vincent de Paul

Beidh bailiúchán bia ar bun againn ar son St. Vincent de Paul an tseachtain seo agus an tseachtain seo chugainn. Tá liosta thíos den saghas bia atá á lorg acu. Beidh boscaí bailiúcháin thart timpeall na scoile agus is féidir le do pháiste nithe a thabhairt isteach iad féin le cur isteach iontu nó is féidir le tuismitheoirí rudaí a fhágáil san fhailtiú. Rachaidh gach rud sa bhailiúchán seo chuig clanna inár bpobail áitiúil atá ag streachailt.

Our St. Vincent de Paul food collection will be on this week and next week. Below is a list of items they need. There will be collection boxes throughout the school and your child can bring items in to put into these. Parents can also leave items in reception. Everything collected will go to families in our local community who are struggling.



Liosta bia

Bia Stáin:

- Cannaí torthaí nó glasraí
- Cannaí nó paicéid anraith
- Cannaí spaigití, pónairí stánaithe
- Cannaí tuinnín nó iasc eile
- Cannaí stobhach nó millíní feola

Gránach & míreanna eile:

- Gránach bricfeasta & muslaí
- Pasta, rís & núdail
- Anlann Pasta
- Barra gránaigh nó muslaí
- Tae & Caife
- Siúcra
- Subh & Marmaláid

Rudaí deasa:

- Seacláid (barraí & boscaí)
- Brioscaí (Paicéid & boscaí)
- Criospaí
- Grán rósta
- Milseáin
- Roghbhoscaí

Food List

Tinned Foods:

- Tinned fruits & Vegetables
- Tinned or packet soup
- Cans of spaghetti, beans or other pulses
- Canned tuna or other fish
- Canned stew & meatballs

Cereals & Other Items:

- Breakfast cereals & muesli
- Pasta, rice & Noodles
- Pasta sauce
- Cereal & muesli bars
- Tea & Coffee
- Sugar
- Jam & Marmalade

Treats:

- Chocolate (Bars & boxes)
- Biscuits (Packets & boxes)
- Crisps
- Popcorn
- Sweets
- Selection Boxes

An Seó Nollag/ Christmas Show

Beidh an seó Nollag ar siúl ar an 19 Nollaig i halla na scoile. Beidh fáilte roimh thuistí teacht chuige.

The Christmas show will take place in the school hall on 19th December. Parents are welcome to attend. (Please note change in time for Rang a 3 & Rang a 4)



AN SEÓ NOLLAG
19 NOLLAIG 2023

08.55	Rang a 6 Múinteoirí Cillín & Donagh
09.30	N. Mhóra Doireann, Gráinne & Helena
10.00	Rang a 4 Múinteoirí Lára & Emma
10.50	Naíonáin Bheaga Múinteoirí Elaine & Abby
11.30	Rang a 5 Múinteoirí Tom & Síle
12.55	Rang a 3 Múinteoirí Gráinne & Nicole
13.25	Rang a Múinteoirí 1 Maria & Tomás
14.00	Rang a 2 Dearbhla & Gráinne

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IMEACHTAÍ NA NOLLAG

01/12/23 Lá na nGeansaithe Nollag

05 & 06/12/23 Panto sa Lark

12/12/23 Carúil na Nollag sa séipéil @ 6.15in

13/12/23 Séirbhís Carúil Rang a 6

19/12/23 Seó na Nollag



The Adult Education Service offers a variety of courses for adults. Most of these courses are taught within the school hours. Many of our students are parents who have availability while their children are at school. We have evening and weekend course options as well.

The Adult Education Service will start a range of new courses in January 2024. You can find more details about these courses in the link below and in the attached poster.

<https://mailchi.mp/24c973cc5e8a/courses-january-2024>

Applications for all of these courses are currently open. We recommend people apply for courses they are interested in as soon as possible. People can get in touch if they have any questions or if they require any support with making an application.



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**Food
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**Saturday
9 December**

**Balbriggan
Community
Club K32 NA00**

**From 2 PM
Until 5 PM**



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Christmas trees for sale

In Balbriggan RFC

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THIS SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

11AM - 3PM

