## Scoil Náisiúnta na Cathrach Cahir National School

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# An Ráiteas 15-22 Deireadh Fómhair

The Bulletin, 15-22 October

A Thuismitheoirí/Dear Parents,

I am going to try out a weekly bulletin. This may not last but I would like give it a go.

The aim is to keep as many announcements and reminders as possible in one bulletin. As is the nature of a busy school, there will be times where a few emails may come from the school. Let's see how it goes!

### Reminders

- Art with Julieann continues on Friday. Old clothes please. Uniform is optional for Junior Infants -1<sup>st</sup> Class
- Ceol le Peggy Healy and French with Mme. Brosnan finish this Friday for the half-term. Lessons will begin again after Hallowe'en Break

#### **Announcements**

**Speed Limit Sign:** Fr. George Hayes, our Chairperson, has been assured by Kieran O'Halloran, the town engineer, that progress is being made on the replacement of the sign.

**Thursday, 17 October:** Visit from An Garda Síochána regarding Hallowe'en Safety. I strongly encourage asking your children 'What did the Gardaí say?' after the visit. Hallowe'en Safety is extremely important.

**Tuesday, 22 October:** Sixth Classes from Tahilla Community National School, Tulloha (Bonane) National School and Lauragh National School will come to Cahir to get to know our own Sixth Class pupils. The aim of this initiative is for the children to get to know one another and become familiar with one another before secondary school. The children will engage with ice-breaker activities, Hallowe'en games and board games.

**Friday**, **25 October**: This is a full day of school and pick-up times are as normal. Children are allowed to come to school dressed up. *Plastic weapons* (swords, lightsabers, wands, guns etc) **and masks** are allowed to be brought/worn as part of the costume. However, these items will not be allowed on the yard during playtime in the interests of health and safety.

The Parents' Association have kindly organised treats. **€2** from each pupil will be collected on the morning.

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**Christmas Annuals:** We are getting ready for the Christmas term. School Christmas Annuals will be ordered during the first week back in November. The price of an annual is €3. Notes regarding Christmas annuals go home today and must be returned to school on or before Wednesday, 23 October.

**Tom Naiman:** Tom Naiman. photographer, is away for November. If you are interested in ordering photographs, please do so before the end of October so he may arrange delivery in good time.

Visit from Oceanworld, Dingle: I have arranged a visit from the Education Officers in Oceanworld, Dingle. They will come to school on 7 November. Shellfish Allergy: If your child has a shellfish allergy could you please email the office

**Christmas Concert:** The Christmas Concert will take place on 6 December. More details to come.

4 March 2025: Confirmation in Holy Cross Church, Kenmare

Thank you for all of the support regarding our Open Afternoon © Enrolment will remain open in Cahir NS throughout the winter

