

# LISNAGRY SCHOOL NEWS



Halloween 2018

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## Sacraments

Second Class will celebrate their First Holy Communion on 11th May at 11a.m. Our Sixth Class will make their confirmation on May 26th.

Enrolment mass for Communion and Confirmation children will take place on Wednesday 21st November at 7.30pm in Castleconnell Church. Our whole school community is invited to attend this mass.

## Health Promoting School

We are continuing our Health promotion work this year. Please be mindful of our Healthy Eating policy and in particular that only small treats are permitted on Fridays. After Halloween we will participate in the Food Dude Programme which encourages children to eat more fruit and vegetables at school and at home. In January we will introduce some short physical aerobic exercises in the yard. We will also participate in the daily mile, an initiative that sees pupils run or jog for fifteen minutes every day. Whole School mindfulness will also be practised.



## Girls and Boys Gaelic Football

Both our girls and boys football teams have had a great season so far. They both played in the finals held this week in the Gaelic Grounds. Congrats to our boys team who captured the East Limerick Football Title. They now progress to compete in the County Shield. Our girls team played brilliantly and narrowly missed out. Our boys team also won the East Division of Mini 7's and will progress to the County Series next Spring.

## Ard Scoil Rís Hurling Tournament

Congrats to our boys team who won the Shield final in Na Piarsaigh last week.

## Parents Association

Thanks to everyone who attended the Parents Association AGM. It was wonderful to see such a great attendance. Please support our Halloween Cake Sale on Thursday.

## Upcoming Events Internet Safety Talk

I would like to invite you to a talk on internet safety and cyber bullying on **November**

## 15th at 7pm in the halla.

This talk will be addressed by Ger Brick who is an experienced facilitator in this field. He offers practical advice for parents on how to keep their families safe online regardless of their level of computer literacy. I am appealing to you in the strongest possible way to attend.

Ger Brick will also address the children in 4th, 5th and 6th classes on that day. This workshop has strong themes of mutual respect throughout, accompanied by rules for staying safe online.

## Junior Entrepreneur

Our Fifth class pupils will participate in this entrepreneurial education programme again this year

## Music Generation

The pupils in 3rd and 4th class will again take part in this music programme. We have found it beneficial in the past and the children really enjoyed it.

## Science Week

We will celebrate Science week in the school from the 11th to the 18th Nov. Our 5th class pupils will participate in

**Vex Robotics**, an exciting and fun program where school children learn about STEM while having fun! They design, build, program and compete with their robot in a spectacular competition organised by Dell.

## Peace Proms

Pupils from 5th class will take part in this musical education programme and will perform in Limerick on 2nd March at 8pm

## Halloween Fancy Dress

The children will be allowed dress up in Halloween costumes on Thursday 25th October. (full day). Our annual Halloween cake sale will also take place in the Halla from 1.30p.m on that day. Please support our first fundraiser of this school year.

## Parent/Teacher Meetings

Our annual P.T.M are scheduled for Wed 16th and Thurs January 17th 2019. There will be a Scholastic Book Fair in the school during that week should you wish to visit it.

## Christmas Concerts

Tuesday 4th Dec- 2nd Classes  
Wednesday 5th Dec- 3rd/4th  
Thursday 6th Dec- 5th /6th  
All shows will commence at 7pm. in School Halla. Following that our Christmas Concert for Juniors, Seniors and 1st Classes will take place on Tuesday 11th and Wednesday 12th Dec at 12.30 pm. More details to follow.

## Halloween Holidays

We wish you a safe and restful Halloween break. We will re-open on Monday 5th November.