



Scoil Bhríde Cailíní

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

As we approach the end of another school year, I want to thank you all for your support and co-operation during the year. It has made my first few months as Principal a lot easier working with such a fantastic school community. Míle buíochas daoibh go léir.

Fairwell to 6th Classes

The girls in 6th Clas had their Graduation Ceremony on June 28th in school. I would like to pay tribute to these girls. They have been exemplary in both their behaviour and their work ethic. They are a credit to their families and their teachers and it has been a real pleasure to work with them all year. I have no doubt that they will be a wonderful addition to their future secondary schools and have very bright futures ahead of them.

SBC Parents' Association Fundraiser

Thank you to the Parents' Association who organised a successful non-uniform day recently where they raised €456. The girls were treated to a delicious cone from the ice-cream van! Thank you to everyone involved in our PA!

Sports Days

Our two Sports Days took place recently, one day for the senior girls and one for the junior girls. We had fantastic weather and all the girls had a super time. Many thanks to Ms Mc Keon and all involved.

Summer Activities

Please see a list of suggested activities to do over the summer holidays attached with this newsletter. In addition, I would encourage you to check out also the wonderful activities that are available through the local Blanchardstown Library. This is a terrific resource on our doorstep and it is free!

Internet Safety

As we approach the holiday period, when children may be spending more time online, I would encourage all parents to check out the following websites. These will give valuable guidance on ways to ensure that your daughter is kept safe online at all times.

commonsensemedia.org

internetmatters.org

zeeko.ie

webwise.ie

School Holiday Closure

The school will close on Friday, June 30th at 12 noon for the summer holidays and will reopen again on Wednesday 30th of August. The full school calendar is available on our website and attached with this notice.

School Lotto

We sincerely thank you for supporting our school lotto and encourage those who are not to visit our homepage- <https://www.ourfundraiser.ie/org/sbc/>. All funds raised are used to directly support your daughter's education.

This is just a flavour of all the exciting activities happening in SBC! Check out the other activities on the school website.

Thanks and best wishes

On behalf of the entire staff of SBC, I would like to wish you all a very enjoyable and relaxing summer, wherever your journeys may take you. Take care and enjoy the break and we will look forward to welcoming you back again in August.

Finally, I would like to extend my sincere thanks to every member of the staff of SBC and to the Board of Management, whose daily dedication, commitment and enthusiasm make everything possible.

We are very fortunate to have them.

Go dté sibh slán i rith an tSamhraidh!

Le gach dea-ghuí,

M. Kilroy

(Principal)