

# Clooney National School



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16<sup>th</sup> of June 2023

Dear Parent(s)/ Guardian(s),

I would like to bring the following items to your attention:

## Cumann na mBunscol Division 6 Champions



Yesterday, we had a brilliant day in Cusack Park! Congratulations to our hurling and camogie teams who emerged victorious after two fantastic matches against Bridgetown NS. What a performance of teamwork and skill out on the field of play. All panel members played an integral part of the team's successes this year. Many thanks to Ms. Lynch, Pauline and Dave who have worked so hard with both teams throughout the year. Keep an eye out on social media for a montage of yesterday's celebrations. We will have a medal presentation in the coming days and details will follow once finalised.

## All Ireland Minor Hurling Visit & Jersey Day

On **Monday, 19<sup>th</sup> of June** we will proudly welcome past pupil Darragh White to the school with the Irish Press Cup. We would ask that all the boys and girls wear the Clare colours for the visit.

Our jersey day will be a fundraiser for Munster Wheelchair Hurling and Camogie Club. Wheelchair Hurling is ground hurling played by wheelchair users. The game has grown from strength to strength over the years and each province now has a Senior Team. They currently hold three Senior League titles and four All-Ireland titles. They are the current All-Ireland Champions, and their Interprovincial League began on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> of May. The Junior team won the Sean Fitzgerald Cup in Mary Immaculate College last year at the Munster Round of the Interprovincial League.

All donations are greatly appreciated.

## Munster Wheelchair Hurling and Camogie Club

On **Tuesday, 20<sup>th</sup> of June** pupils from 1<sup>st</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> class will travel by bus to Doora Barefield GAA to work with coaches from the Munster Wheelchair Club to experience playing hurling in a wheelchair. Pupils will need to bring a packed lunch and their helmets. Second class pupil Dáithí O'Rourke is a member of the club and we have no doubt that he will be showcasing his super skills to his classmates on Tuesday.

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## **BAKE SALE**



### **Fundraiser - Bake Sale**

Pupils in the senior classroom are holding a Bake Sale in aid of school funds on **Wednesday, 21<sup>st</sup> of June**. Donations of baked goods may be left into the school hall on Wednesday morning between 9 – 10 am. The Bake Sale will be open from 1.30 – 3pm. Donations of baked goods and your support is greatly appreciated.

### **EVA Fundraiser**

Many thanks to all the boys and girls who proudly wore their county colours on the 25<sup>th</sup> of May in aid of Ennis Voices for Autism. A fantastic €127 was raised. Thank you!



### **Sports Day**

Sports Day will take place on **Thursday, 22<sup>nd</sup> of June**. Please bring in equipment for sprints, potato & spoon race, teddy bear race, sack race, three-legged race, wheelbarrow race & slow bicycle race (3<sup>rd</sup> class up). Many thanks to the PA who have organised a BBQ for the boys and girls on the day.

### **Spencil Hill Fair Day Closure**

The school will be closed on **Friday, 23<sup>rd</sup> of June**. We will reopen again on Monday, 26<sup>th</sup> of June. Enjoy the fair.

### **Graduation & Medal Presentation**

On **Tuesday, 27<sup>th</sup> of June** we will have a small 6<sup>th</sup> class graduation ceremony and Cumann na mBunscol medal presentation ceremony at 1.30pm. Family members of 6<sup>th</sup> class are invited along with all parents to celebrate this special occasion.

### **Summer Holidays**

The 2022.23 school year will draw to a close on **Wednesday, 28<sup>th</sup> of June** at 12 noon. It has a very busy year and on behalf of all the staff I want to thank all the pupils and parents for their wonderful support throughout the year. We look forward to all the new adventures that September 2023 will bring.

*If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me by email (clooneyns@gmail.com) or by phone (065 6835806) and I will get back to you as soon as possible.*

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