

February Newsletter



A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Spring is finally here and although the weather is still quite cold, the school is a hive of activity and we are enjoying a busy and exciting term! We have so much to enjoy in the coming weeks as the children learn about the plants, animals, weather and celebrations that we associate with this time year. Preparations for our school musical are in full swing and there are many great initiatives and activities taking place in Scoil Phádraic Cailini as well as plenty of learning and exploring! Everyone here is busy and working hard and as such we have a lovely term to look forward to!

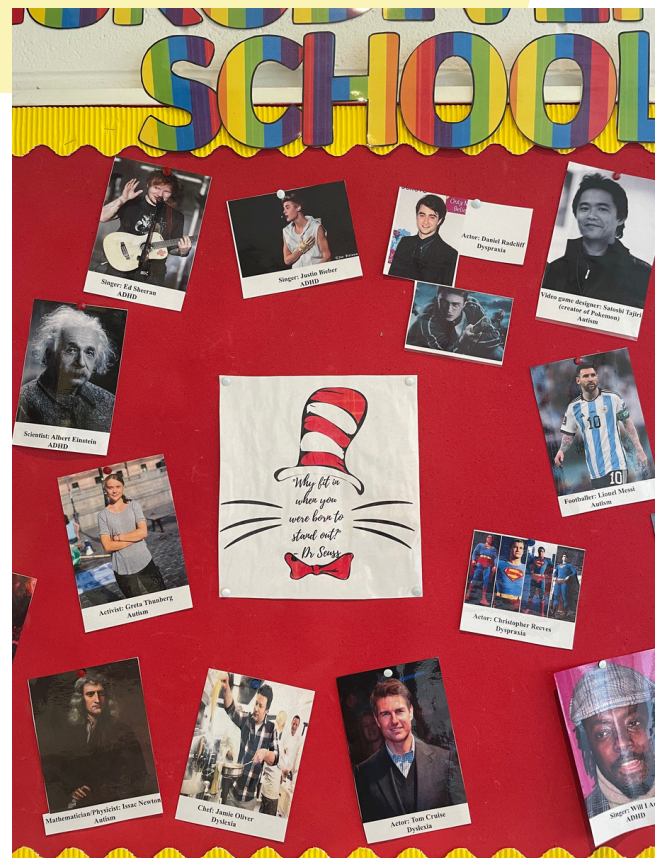
Best wishes,

Ciara Greene





In Scoil Phádraic Cailíní, we are very proud to be an Autism Friendly school. As part of this initiative Ms Kennedy created a lovely display showcasing just a few famous people who are neurodiverse.





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- Why not try out some of these simple Irish phrases at home?
- Dia dhuit - Hello (dee-ah-guich)
- Dia is Muire Huit - Response to hello (dee-ah is mura ditch)
- Conas atá tú? - How are you? (cunas a taw too)
- Tá mé go maith - I am well (taw may guh mah)
- Lá Fhéile Vailintín - Happy Valentine's Day (law Ayla val-in-teen)



TEXACO ART COMPETITION

Entries for the Texaco Art Competition have been collected from the girls in 3rd-6th Class and they have been sent in for judging! We wait with great excitement for the results!



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PICKER PALS



We are delighted that our two 2nd classes are participating in the Picker Pals environmental education programme. Each student received a Picker Pals Adventure reader and a fun book which contains environmental learning activities.



As part of Picker Pals, the children in the class have the chance to bring home the Picker Pack. This contains everything needed to do a short litter-pick with a parent. One child in each 2nd class will bring home the litter picking kit at the weekend. The idea is to spend some time together litter-picking safely, having a good time and making a positive difference. Well done to all our 2nd class pupils!





Our much anticipated production of Annie Jr. is due to begin this week and we could not be more excited or more proud of the girls. In recognition of their hard work and enthusiasm, there will be a special publication of our Newsletter dedicated to the school musical in the coming weeks but for now, here is a sneak peak behind the scenes during one of the rehearsals!



We hope the girls have a fantastic time putting on their production and we cannot wait to see them!

As they say in the acting world - "Break a leg!!"

