

# St. Conaire's Newsletter

December 21<sup>st</sup>, 2016

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

**Christmas Holidays:** St. Conaire's will close at **12 noon on Thursday, December 22<sup>nd</sup> 2016.** The school re-opens on Monday, January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2017. Please note that Ms. Bulfin's class will be released from the back of the assembly hall tomorrow only.

**Plays/Carol services:** Well done and congratulations to the pupils and teachers from 3<sup>rd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> classes for the lovely plays that took place this year. Also, congratulations to the Juniors to 2nd who held a lovely prayer service with Santa in the church on Friday, December 16<sup>th</sup>. Thank you to all the teachers, SNAs and other staff who helped prepare the children so well.

**Photographs on website:** Go to [www.conaires.ie](http://www.conaires.ie) to see event pictures.

**September 2017 Junior Infant Enrolments:** Applications are now being taken for new Junior Infants only who are due to start school in September 2017. Forms may be obtained from the school office.

**Board of Management:** The Board of Management met on December 7<sup>th</sup> to plan for the coming year. The Board wishes to thank everyone for their support and co-operation over the past 12 months.

**No Uniform Day:** Thursday, December 22<sup>nd</sup>, will be a no-uniform day and we will be closing at 12 noon for all pupils.

**Prize Winners:** There were 16 individual prize winners in the 3<sup>rd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> class raffles at the Christmas plays. The hampers were won by Annalee Considine (2<sup>nd</sup>) and Rhys Coleman (3<sup>rd</sup>). Thank you to everyone for your generous support and the funds raised will go to rent new musical instruments for the school. Your generosity is much appreciated.

**Parent/Teacher Meetings for 3<sup>rd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> classes:** Parent/Teacher Meetings for pupils in the senior classes will be held in the week starting January 23<sup>rd</sup> 2017. Appointment times will be sent out in the New Year.

**Christmas wishes:** Best wishes to all parents, Parents' Association, Board of Management, pupils and staff of St. Conaire's for a very happy Christmas and a peaceful new year in 2017. We wish to thank you all for your help and co-operation throughout the past year.

## Beannachtaí na Nollag Oraibh Go Léir

Yours sincerely  
*Peter Walsh*  
Principal Teacher

**Reminder about Swimming Classes:** Swimming classes for pupils in 3<sup>rd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> classes will begin in the new school term in 2017. The cost will be €3 per lesson. Your child's class teacher will inform you of the day allocated for his/her class. A timetable for each class will be sent out in January.