St. Conaire's Bulletin June 28th, 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians,

New school year: The school will reopen for the 2019/2020 school year on Thursday, August 29th for all pupils. The full school calendar is published on www.conaires.ie We wish all pupils, parents/guardians and staff a safe and enjoyable summer break.

Go raibh maith agaibh go léir! We would like to thank you all for your co-operation and support over the past school year. It was a special year as we marked our 50th anniversary and we express our sincere gratitude to all who worked with us in so many different ways for the benefit of the pupils of St. Conaire's. We would like to thank all the school staff, the Parents' Association, the Board of Management and friends of the school who assisted in so many ways.

Best wishes: We wish our 6th class pupils well as they leave primary school and head towards secondary school. We hope the journey ahead will be a good one. We are very proud of them and we wish them well for the coming years.

Fittest Team Challenge: A huge thank you to all the teams, sponsors and staff who participated in this very special event last Saturday. It was a massive success and we are grateful for all the support received. It was a very fitting event to mark our Golden Jubilee.

Field Development Project: The playing pitch was officially opened at the Fittest Team Challenge on Saturday, June 22nd. The pitch has been in use since the start of June and some additional improvements will be made over the coming months.

Thank you: A special thank you to all the people who supported St. Conaire's in any way this year. We wish to thank Fr. Francis Xavier, Sacristan Michelle Justice and Fr. Arnold for their assistance with the sacraments in 2019.

Summer Reading Camp: Shannon Library is running a Summer Stars Reading Programme to encourage pupils to continue reading over the holidays. It is a free programme and children are welcome to join. Contact Shannon Library for further details. We urge all pupils to use the fantastic resource that is Shannon Library.

Agreed Report of the Board of Management: At the meeting of the Board of Management the board discussed the following: the final arrangements for the Jubilee Year, the development of the pitch, policy review on leave, the windows replacement project.

Windows and Doors Replacement Project - Summer Works Scheme 2019

The Board of Management is pleased to confirm that additional funding has been secured to complete the windows and doors replacement project. An additional four emergency exits will be installed at the rear of the school. A contractor will be appointed in the coming weeks and it is hoped that work will begin in August. Work may continue into September 2019. If this is the case, the necessary site safety arrangements will be put in place. We thank you for your understanding and co-operation as this important development will improve the comfort and safety of the school community.

Class arrangements for the 2019/2020 school year

Mainstream Classes

Class level	Teacher for 2019/2020	Previous Teacher
6 th	1. Mr. McNamara	Mr. O'Connell
6 th	2. Ms Bulfin	Ms. White
5 th	3. Mr. O'Connell	Ms. Faherty
5 th	4. Ms. McInerney/Ms. Glynn**	Ms. Greene
5 th	5. Ms. Greene	Mr. Glynn
4 th	6. Mr. Glynn	Ms. Bulfin
4 th	7. Ms. Faherty	Mrs. Eisenberg
3 rd	8. Mrs. Eisenberg	Ms. Butler
3 rd	9. Mr. Pilkington	Ms. Quinn
2 nd	10. Ms. Ní Mhuiris	Ms. Moore
2 nd	11. Ms. Quinn	Ms. Kelleher
1 st	12. Ms. Moore	Ms. Morris
1 st	13. Ms. McDonagh/Mrs. Barry**	Ms. I. McMahon
Seniors	14. Ms. Morris	Ms. Maria O'Driscoll
Seniors	15. Ms. I. McMahon	Ms. R. McMahon
Juniors	16. Ms. O'Driscoll	New intake
Juniors	17. Ms. R. McMahon	New Intake

^{**} Job share arrangement in place - a letter to parents will be issued and a meeting will be arranged in September for parents in classes where a job share arrangement is in place.

Special Education Teachers for 2019/2020

- 1. Ms. Cleary
- 2. Ms. Hogan
- 3. Ms. Garry
- 4. Ms. Malone
- 5. Ms. White (in Ms. McInerney/Ms Glynn)
- 6. Ms. Gough
- 7. Ms. Kelleher
- 8. Ms. Moloney