St. Conaire's Newsletter

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Christmas Holidays: St. Conaire's will close at 12 noon on Friday, December 20th, 2019 The school re-opens on Monday, January 6th, 2020

Mass in preparation for Christmas: Pupils from 2nd to 6th classes will be going to Ss. John & Paul Church on Thursday, December 19th, 2019 as part of our preparation for Christmas. All pupils are asked to have their coats in school that day.

Christmas Food Appeal: St. Conaire's is supporting the St. Vincent de Paul Advent Food Appeal again this year. We are bringing in-date, non-perishable items to the church with us on Thursday. If you wish to make a gift, please send it in with your child and we will ensure it is delivered to the church.

No Uniform Day: Friday, December 20th, will be a no-uniform day and we will be closing at 12 noon for all pupils. Pupils may wear Christmas jumpers/colours on the day. There will be a prize for the best effort. We are fundraising for Literacy Materials – many thanks for all your support.

Christmas: Well done and congratulations to the pupils and teachers from Juniors to 2^{nd} classes for the lovely plays that took place this year. Thank you to all the teachers, SNAs and other staff who helped prepare the children so well.

Windows Replacement Project: A sincere thanks to pupils, parents and staff for your co-operation during this major project. The work is now done and we really appreciate your assistance and patience while we were completing the job.

September 2020 Junior Infant Enrolments: Applications are now being taken for new Junior Infants <u>only</u> who are due to start school in September 2020. Forms may be obtained from the school office.

Parent/Teacher Meetings: Parent/Teacher meetings will take place for all pupils in the week starting Monday, January 20th, 2020. Appointments will be made via Aladdin Connect.

Swimming in Term 2: Ms. Greene's and Ms. Bulfin's classes will be going to the Shannon Leisure Centre for swimming lessons in January.

Reminder: If you change your mobile number or change address please inform the school so that we have accurate contact details. This is important for sending out information and/or contact in the event of a medical emergency. Thank you for your co-operation.

IMPORTANT: Please note that HOMEWORK CLUB will resume on Monday, January 6th, 2020.

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 2020. We wish to thank you all for your help and co-operation throughout the past year.

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Yours sincerely, Peter Walsh Principal