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**SETNS Newsletter
3rd June 2022**

Bank Holiday: The school will be closed on **Monday 6th** and **Tuesday 7th of June**. We look forward to welcoming the children back on Wednesday 8th June 2022.

School Reports will be sent home with the children on Friday 17th June. 6th Class reports, as always, will be posted on this day.



Well done to all our pupils who took part in our annual Sports Day today. It was lovely to have all the classes back together again. Thanks to the PTA and parent/guardian volunteers who helped out. Thanks to Claire Tansey our Assistant Principal and staff for organising the day. Here is just a snapshot of the day. More to follow.



GAA News

In a previous newsletter we communicated our excitement about our new GAA Team kit. Last week team coach Emily welcomed Dublin Player James McCarthy to the school for the official unveiling. Huge thanks to Katie Cashin, Gillian McEnerney and the team at EBS who are our official sponsors of the new kit. We hope to have many more successes with it.



Traffic Issues



A number of concerns have been communicated to us in relation to traffic at drop off and collection times. Please be vigilant, respect the campus rules and indeed other drivers when dropping off and collecting.

Please;

- **Do not let the children out of the car without pulling into the drop off area. This stops the traffic moving and is dangerous.**
- **Do not remain in the drop off waiting, this can prevent another car from dropping off children.**
- **Stop when turning in to ensure that children or bikes are not going to step out at both gates.**
- **Do not let children out on the road side of the car which is extremely dangerous.**
- **Do not block the bay areas at collection time restricting afterschool buses from parking.**
- **Do not block car park spaces in the staff car park.**



Our wonderful PTA are organising the annual Spring Clean of the school grounds. If you are available to volunteer your time, we are looking for helpers to do some weeding, painting and general clean up on Saturday 11th June from 12pm-3p.m. Please contact Ciara at pta.setns@gmail.com if you can help.



Best of luck to all our Mums, Aunts, Grandmothers and friends who are taking part in the VHI Women's Mini Marathon this weekend. This long-standing tradition has always been an exciting event in our school calendar. Many thanks to the Mums who visited us on Thursday for our Assembly. To get behind our female participants, please donate:

<https://gofund.me/c6d5e7e6>

Handwriting Month

For the month of May, the children and staff have been focusing on our handwriting culminating in lots of gorgeous displays of penmanship throughout the school building. Some of the children received lovely prizes for their effort during the month. Well done to all. Here is just a sample of the amazing work throughout the school.

