



22ú Deireadh Fómhair 2021 -

22nd October 2021

Nóta na hAoine - Friday Note

## Mórshiúil Oíche Shamhna - Halloween Parade



On Wednesday, 27th October, the children will be dressing up for our annual Mórshiúil Oíche Shamhna. We are asking each child to bring a £1 donation to school on this day which will go to Mourne Community First Responders. See below how that money will be spent.

Mourne Community First Responders aim to work in Partnership with Northern Ireland Ambulance Service to complement and provide patient focused care and therefore strengthen the chain of survival by reaching a life-threatening emergency within the Mourne area.

Local Volunteer's will be trained in life saving skills by Northern Ireland Ambulance Service and will be alerted to Emergency calls whereby an Ambulance is enroute. This Service will comprise of Volunteers who reside in the area and will serve the Community of Mourne as a member of the Mourne Community First Responders Service.

This is clearly a very worthy cause and will go a long way to funding a service which we hope our school community will not have to use, but is nonetheless, a vital service for the Mourne community. Thank you in advance for supporting this initiative.

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## Healthy Lunch/Snack



We would just like to remind you that at Gaelscoil na mBeann we implement our Healthy Eating Policy.

Recommendations -Morning snacks should only consist of a piece of fruit/vegetable sticks and drink of milk or water.

Lunch should be sandwiches, yoghurt and fruit.

We do not recommend sugary drinks/sweets/crisps/cakes/buns or any foods high in salt or sugar. Please do not send these to school in child's lunch box.

## Reading Books

Just a reminder, with mid term break approaching, can you please check your homes for reading books and return to the Gaelscoil as soon as possible.



## Oíche Churaclaim - Curriculum Evening



We will once again be running our Oíche Churaclaim/ Curriculum evening online this year. Please keep an eye on Seesaw and on your child's class page on the school website for the pre-recorded presentation for each class on Tuesday, 26th October. Any questions can be directed to teachers via Seesaw.

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## Club Obair Bhaile - Homework Club



Our Club Obair Bhaile continues to run every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon. Please ensure that if your child is attending, that they have their homework folder with them and have homework to do while in the club. There is generally only enough time for children to complete one written task at the club alongside their reading and spellings for that day. It is **essential** that you read with your child daily and practice their spellings in preparation for their Friday test.



Just to remind you that it is almost the end of October so can everyone check their Parentpay/Breakfast Club/Afterschool Club bills and pay as soon as possible. If you are not sure about your bill, please contact the Gaelscoil Office.

## GAEILGE 24 - 2021

This year we will be taking part in the GAEILGE 24 Challenge when we will join 30000 children speaking Irish for 24 hours on Tuesday 9th November. Your child has been given a sponsor form which when completed, will entitle them to receive a GAEILGE 24 T-shirt and wristband which they will wear on the day. We would ask that completed sponsor forms with money are returned to Gaelscoil na mBeann as soon as possible to enable us to get the t-shirts ordered.

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## WEBSITE & SEESAW



Please check our website [www.gaelscoilnambeann.com](http://www.gaelscoilnambeann.com) and Seesaw regularly for any up-to-date information regarding our school. Some of you still have not signed into your SEESAW account and we would recommend that you do so as soon as possible. **If you do not know your seesaw login details, please contact us via email and we will get them for you.**



CONRADH NA GAEILGE BOIRCHE ÍOCHTAR  
**HOMEWORK  
HOTLINE**

A free service for parent's of Gaelscoil na mBeann  
Kilkeel to ask questions relating to their children's  
homework and receive an instant response

WHATSAPP US ON:  
0 7 8 5 6 1 6 2 0 0 2

PRIVATE MESSAGE US ON:  
FACEBOOK &  
INSTAGRAM

EVERY MONDAY 5-6PM

CnaG  
Boirche Íochtar  
PRESENTS

**Spraoi  
Na Samhna  
HALLOWEEN FUN**

Fáilte Roimh Chach - Everyone Welcome  
Páistí Rang 1+ - Children P1 and older

**29** OCT 2021 | **10 - 1PM**

Páirc na Mara / Marine Park Annalong

Cluichí - Games      Déanamh Milseáin -  
Ealáin - Art      Treat Making

Damhsa - Dancing      Comórtas Feisteas -  
Costume Competition

Limited spaces - All places must be booked in  
advance on our website - [www.boircheiochtar.com](http://www.boircheiochtar.com)

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## EA Literacy Service Newsletter



### READ ALL ABOUT IT: ALPHABET AND DICTIONARY WORK

It's time for the next exciting issue of the Literacy Service Newsletter, 'Read All About It'. This issue celebrates Dyslexia Awareness Month and focuses on supporting alphabet and dictionary skills development. It is packed full of good ideas help inspire, support and challenge all our children and young

people to be the best they can be.

Please click on the link below to access the latest edition:

[READ ALL ABOUT IT \(office.com\)](https://office.com)



## Seachtain na Mata- Maths Week

Well done to our Rang 1 pupils on taking part in their first Math Week at Gaelscoil na mBeann. Maith Sibh!

## Saoire Oíche Shamhna

Beidh Gaelscoil agus Naíscóil na mBeann druidte ar an Déardaoin, 28ú agus an Aoine, 29ú Deireadh Fómhair d'Oíche Shamhna.

*Gaelscoil and Naíscóil na mBeann will be closed on Thursday, 28th and Friday, 29th October for Hallowe'en.*

**All children return to school on Monday 1st November 2021.**



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