

We are going to start this term's newsletter in a very different way. Due to the fact that we had celebrations right up to the end of December there wasn't enough time to send out a newsletter. So December and January have been joined together for a special edition. There is also going to be a very different outlook for the months to come. From now on the newsletter will focus on specific classes, with three classes being looked at every month. For January we are going to look at Classes Violet, Bluebell and Daffodil. News from the three classes will fill most of the newsletter and many more pictures and much more news will be included. Hope you like the new format.

December 2023

December was filled with tours out, trips on the bus to enjoy playtime, walks and lovely treats, visits to Sanat in his grotto, singing and carols, talent shows and the arrival of Fred the Party Professor. The school was filled with Christmas art and the Parent's Association held a wonderful Christmas fair in order to raise money for the school buses. Here is a selection of photographs from the month.







Class Violet

Class Violet were very busy in January. They cooked spaghetti, coloured it and then played with it and had great fun playing with the mess. Bear the dog came to visit and he was loved by everyone. Paidi's grandad came in for Grandparent's Day as part of Catholic Schools' Week. The class learned all about dinosaurs and had lots of fun in the pool. Eric made it onto the soccer team, and there was even time to chill out and relax. They have also been trying very hard to be good friends.







Class Bluebell

Class Bluebell went out on tour this month. They started with breakfast at Wheelocks, and then went for a play in the Playbarn. The bouncy castle was a great hit with everyone.







Class Daffodil

Class Daffodil have been very busy this month. They enjoyed Grandparent's Day with visits to school.



Lots of fun was also had in P.E. with the parachute. The fibre optic light were also a hit.





And finally......

Two soccer matches were held in December. The first was against Youth Reach. A stout defence from St. Patrick's, and an especially brave performance from Ethan meant that the school team came out on top 8-6. Santa even made an appearance at that match. The referee was certainly kept busy during this match!

The second match was against our neighbours the Gaelscoil. Several students stood out in this game, including Tishe, Annie, Conor and Bobby, and again St. Patrick's triumphed 6-3.



