



Board Of Management Of Ballagh N.S

Agreed Report

Date of Meeting: 17/06/2025

1. .Tour took place on the 16th June we had a very enjoyable day at Wildlands in Moycullen Galway. The children did a variety of activities archery, fun walls and zip lines
2. Sports day was held on the 17th June children all enjoyed their day. All pupils were presented with medals, certs and treats.
3. School reports were issued to parents by post and through our Aladdin app
4. Standardised testing was carried out at all class levels and the results of 2nd, 4th and 6th were sent to the Department of Education
5. We will be applying for the Hot Meals scheme again and the Melting Pot are happy to carry out the service

6. Class Allocation

Next year we will have a total of 15 on roll

Room 1 - Mrs O'Connor 1st and 3rd

Room 2 - Ms Nolan 5th and 6th

7. The Bí Cineálta policy which is the new anti-bullying policy was ratified at the meeting. Julia a 5th class pupil was the winner of the poster competition for Bí Cinealta showing messages to promote anti bullying.
8. Congratulations was extended to the Senior Room who reached the semi- final of two teacher Cuman na mBunscoil competition
9. The board ratified the school calendar for the 2025-2026 school year.
10. We are currently ordering books for the next academic school year under the Free Book Grant
11. On Wednesday the 4th June our Inspector Máire Ní Mhairtin carried out a curriculum evaluation in Science. She visited both classrooms where she watched the teachers teach a Science lesson. She questioned the children on their learning and looked at the school plan. She also spoke with a focus group in the Senior Room and questioned them about their learning experiences at school. We are absolutely delighted how well we did. She highly commended the teaching, learning and planning in our school. She said the children were great ambassadors for our school and they spoke with great confidence and respect for each other. We will be sharing the written report on our website once we receive it.
12. We wished our 6th class pupils Alex, AJ, Aoibhinn and Ben well as they move on to secondary school. It has been a pleasure to have these pupils as part of our school in Ballagh they will be truly missed but they are well ready to move on and the future is bright for them all.
- 13 A special word of thanks was extended to all the staff in our school, teachers, SNA, Secretary, cleaner, our parents association and the board of management for your continued support you show our school and pupils.
- 14 Accounts were presented at the board meeting
- 15 Child Protection Report was presented
- 16 Anti –Bullying report was presented

Signed

Ruth O'Connor

Secretary to the Board of Management