



Dates for Your Diary

Monday 20th - 24th March - 5th year LCVP Work Experience 5 Aristotle and 5 Bourdieu.

Wednesday 23rd March 7pm – Seminar for parents of incoming 1st Years

Monday 27th - 31st March - 5th year LCVP Work Experience 5 Chomsky and 5 Descartes.

Monday 3rd - Friday 14th April - Easter Holidays.

Monday 17th April - No school for students- Inservice for teachers.

Parents Visit to Dáil Éireann



Mr Cumiskey, our Home School Liaison teacher, is organising a parent's visit to Dáil Éireann, the national parliament. He outlined details at the Parent's Association meeting last Tuesday. The visit is taking place on Monday, 17th April.

Contact Mr Cumiskey by email socumascaigh.ccl@lmetb.ie or mobile phone 086 1287719

Parents Association

Our Parents association met last Tuesday evening. The meeting was well attended. Parents expressed their congratulations to students and staff for their achievements and continued hard work. Next year's draft calendar and Book Rental Scheme was reviewed. The Parents Association wish to organise a Social Quiz in the final term and will advertise details in the coming weeks. Parents are encouraged to donate old / small uniform items to school so new families can use them.

Examining and Unpacking Bullying Behaviour Webinar for Primary and Post Primary Parents

There will be a Webinar on Examining and Unpacking Bullying Behaviour. Details of the Bully4U Parents webinar are below:

Webinar: Examining and Unpacking Bullying Behaviour Webinar for Primary and Post Primary Parents

Date: March 29th, 2023

Time: 7:00pm -8.00pm

Zoom Link: https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_FLIBo3wQQiGYH1311tD91A

Website Link: <https://www.ecnavan.ie/cpd-courses-ecnavan/parent-courses/1611-sp23-213-examing-and-unpacking-bullying-behaviour-webinar-for-primary-post-primary-parents.html>

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Examining and Unpacking Bullying Behaviour Webinar for Primary & Post Primary Parents

Examining the Effects of Bullying on the Mental Health and the importance of Early Interventions.

Generating understanding – What is bullying? Types of bullying?
The victim, the antagonist and the bystander

Communicating – Warning signs & Effects

Promoting Empowerment - The role of the parents, what you should do if your child is being bullied, parents support

2nd Year Boys Basketball

The 2nd Year Boys Basketball team won their Northeast League Semi Final defeating De La Salle College. It was a great game with a victory for our team by a single point. 31-30. There were brilliant performances by Joseph Osagie, Mylka Kalosa, Maciej Dobros, Kasparas Rimkus and team captain, Christoss Kostopoulos. The Northeast Final is on Wednesday the 22nd of March



Seachtain na Gaeilge 2023



Students of Coláiste Chúlainn celebrated Seachtain na Gaeilge last week with great spirit and enthusiasm. We immersed ourselves in activities such as tráth na gceist (quiz), a pictiúrlann na Gaeilge on Tuesday Lunch with the showing of an Irish Film, ceol agus amhránaíocht (music and singing) and tóraíocht taisce (treasure hunt). The sports ambassadors ran a comórtas peile (football competition) at lunch. There was a Bris an Cód (break the code) each day. For senior students there was a ciorcal cómhra at lunch on Monday to practice for their Irish Oral exam which takes place over Easter. Students took part in an Art poster competition, where they created posters illustrating a *seanfhocal* (proverb) of their choice. The highlight of the week was the Céilí Mór which took place on



Thursday at lunch in the Halla Spóirt. All staff of Coláiste Chúlainn made an extra effort to promote 'An Ghaeilge' in their classes and during the school day. As the seanfhocal says 'Beatha teanga í a labhairt' (A living language is a spoken language). Comhghairdeas to the prizewinners agus maith sibh uilig. Bígí bródúil agus labhraigí an Ghaeilge, mar is libhse í.

Applied Maths All Ireland Competition



We are preparing for our 2nd All Ireland final of the term. This time we have two teams in the Applied Maths competition taking place in Athlone Community College on Saturday, March 25th.

Applied Maths is a new subject to our school. It is a high standard of mathematics, physics, and engineering all combined in one. The competition is an exciting one for us. Our school took first and second place in the regional competition. The second-place team scored so well they were invited to this national final.

We wish Mr Gallagher and Mr O'Donoghue, along with all Lorcán Garvin, King Farinas, Jack Kilbride, Anastasija Markov, Cedric Saavedra, Finnian Oakes, Jonathan Gibson and Eimantas Lingi.



Dundalk Credit Union Wildflower Seeds

Students of 5 Engels worked on behalf of Dundalk Credit Union in creating some wildflower seed packs.



The theme for the parade was Urban Green, celebrating the urban regeneration of Church Street/Clanbrassil Street, and the innovative urban street art created as part of the Seek Festival.



The organisers aimed to make this parade the greenest ever parade by reducing plastic, waste etc.

Rather than handing out sweets that would result in plastic and littering, they handed out a selection of fruit and sachets of wildflower seeds.

Irish Maths Teachers' Association (IMTA) Maths Competition

Two teams from Coláiste Chúlainn took part in the Irish Maths Teachers' Association (IMTA) Pi Day quiz at the Dundalk Grammar School on Tuesday the 14th of March. The school was represented by two teams consisting of Jack Kilbride, Anastasija Markova, Cillian Naylor and Eimantas Lingis on one team and Oluwatomi Olagbemiro, Alice Adeyemo, Bryan Oliobi and Naaif Ali on the 2nd, Coláiste Chúlainn placed 4th with 29 points.

4th Year Engineering students - Robotics and Cyber Security Workshop

On Wednesday, 15th March, TY Engineering students participated in a Robotics and Cyber Security workshop. Fastrack into Information Technology (FIT) are a representative organisation of the technology sector committed to growing Ireland's tech talent, facilitated the workshop. Each student gained a Bronze Award in Cyber Security, and they will be given the opportunity to progress further and earn a Silver and Gold Award. Congratulations to All! 🏆

