



Scoil Mhuire N.S., Gortanumera



Newsletter



Christmas 2016

Students of the Month for October:

The Students of the Month for October were Jake Burke, Eve Madden, Hayden McKenna and Kate Madden in the Junior Room and Nathan Canning, Saoirse Hynes, Maeve Harris and Adam Canning of the Senior Room. Congratulations and well done to you all. They all received a homework free pass, a prize out from the prize box and a certificate as their reward.

Clothes Collection:

The clothes collection on the Wednesday 23rd of November raised €200.00 for the school funds. Thanks again to all who brought in all the items. Please continue to bring any unwanted clothes as this will be on-going.

Road Update:

We are working hard to fight to get a car park and underpass for the school. It is a long progress and one which unfortunately will not happen overnight. Engineers are working on reports, letters and a plan to make our case to the Dept. of Education as fool proof as possible. Any suggestions or help is always welcome.

Portumna Library Art Competition:

Well done to Saoirse Hynes and Lily Fahy who were winners in the Portumna Library Art Competition. Well done to all who took part.



Team Hope:

The school took part in the Team Hope Christmas Shoe Box Appeal again this year. Children brought in gift wrapped shoe boxes filled with toys, clothing, sweets, etc. to help children across the world that are not as fortunate as us.

Folens Christmas Annuals:

The children received the popular Folens Christmas Annuals. Sugradh, Spraoi, Siamsa and Sonas are the different Annuals for each age groups. They are full of quizzes and puzzles and great for passing the time.

Students of the Month for November:

The Students of the Month for November were Allie Callanan, Robyn Callanan and Patrick Madden in the Junior Room and Melissa Finnerty, Simon Madden and Samuel Madden for the Senior Room. Congratulations and well done to you all. They all received a homework free pass, a prize out from the prize box and a certificate as their reward.

Design a Christmas card:

The children designed and coloured beautiful Christmas cards for their families and friends. This helped raise €82.50 for the school funds.

Christmas Show:

The children put on another fantastic show this year. The show Cinderella and Rockerfella was performed on Monday 12th and Tuesday 13th December by all the children in the school for their parents and relatives. Well done to all involved, they were super!!



Secret Santa:

The children took part in the Secret Santa; they received gifts from their "Secret Friend"

Credit Union Competition:

Well done to all who took part in the Credit Union Art Competition.

County Photos:

County Photos will be coming to the school on Thursday 12th January to take the children's photos.

Website:

Our website is now up and running, don't forget to check out www.gortanumerans.ie for regular updates.

Christmas Hamper Draw:

Again this year the Christmas Hamper Draw was a big success; it took part today 22nd December. Thanks to all who brought in items to fill them and who bought lines to raise money for the school.

Christmas Holidays:

The school re-opens on Monday 9th January after Christmas holidays.

***We hope you & your families have a Happy & Peaceful Christmas
&
Best Wishes for 2017 from all in Scoil Mhuire N.S. Gortanumera***

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