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Newsletter - December 2022



Internet Safety Tip For Parents: Make sure your child knows not to share personal information like their phone number or email address online.



Funding for the school is needed now more than ever: We are very grateful to those of you who have sent in the Voluntary Contribution and urge everyone to do so in the near future. Payments may now be paid online. Please contact Ms Doyle at info@haroldboysdalkey.ie.



Christmas Art Competition: The entries will be on display in the school corridors. Winners will be announced in our January newsletter. Prizes will be presented on 21st December.



PA NEWS:



Christmas Carol Service: Our Christmas Carol Service will take on Wednesday 7th December at 1pm in our Church of the Assumption. Our new parish priest Fr. Liam Lacey attended. Keep an eye out on our school website for photographs of the lovely occasion.



Christmas Jumper Day - On Friday 16th December the boys are invited to participate in the "CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY". The boys can wear their best, funniest (or not so funny!) Christmas Jumper, Top or Hat, and there will be a prize for the most creative. We look forward to seeing all the boys in their festive gear on the day to spread the Christmas cheer.



Green Schools' News:

The boys are taking part in this year's Dun Laoghaire Recycled Christmas Decoration competition. The deadline for entries is **Friday 9th December**. There will be one champion from each class selected for the main competition between the champions of schools in the Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown area. We look forward to seeing what wonderful decorations you can create this year! Winners will be announced in our January newsletter.



Sports News: Well done to the Fifth and Sixth class teams who took part in the Thomastown Senior GAA league. Coaching has begun again after school on Wednesdays with Daire Callaghan from Cuala. Many thanks to him and Ms. Molloy.

Unfortunately, the swimming pool at Castlepark will be unavailable until after Christmas, so the remaining Fifth class lessons have been postponed until January.

Many thanks to Luke from Leinster Rugby for our four weeks of training. The boys really enjoyed it!



Gaeilgeoir Na Seachtaine:

Rang 2	Maitiú Ó Codhain, Benji Ó Giolla, Aodhán Ó Ciaráin
Rang 3	Lúcás Cinnseallaigh Aodha, Finnian Ó Murchú, Seaspar Tan
Rang 4	Anraí Montag, Lúca Gasparro, Tadhg Fathaigh
Rang 5	Renz Tadique, Ciarán de Róiste, Éibhear Ó Faoláin
Rang 6	Alsandar Chuilleanáin, Daniél Ceallaigh, Liam Ó Broin

Dates for your Diary:

21 st December	Christmas Holidays - 12 noon
5 th January	School reopens - 8.50 a.m.



Le gach dea ghúí i gcomhair na Nollag agus na hAth bhliana,

Pauline Lennon

Principal