

Scéalta 32

News & Information for
St. Mochta's National School Community
13th May 2020

2nd Classes

This week we are thinking of our boys and girls in 2nd Classes who were due to celebrate their First Holy Communion on Saturday 16th May. As with the Confirmation, the First Holy Communion has been postponed. We know it will be a very special day for everyone when it is safe to be rescheduled. A very special hello to all of our boys and girls in 2nd class.

Homeschool Extra RTÉ

Did you recognise any St. Mochta's National School students on this show recently? Cian (3rd Class) and Finn (Junior Infants) starred on the show on Tuesday morning with their spaghetti creations. Well done boys – it was great to see you on the television!

Contact Details

Please ensure the school is always updated with changes to addresses, mobile numbers and email addresses for parents/guardians as well as emergency contacts. You can update these changes yourself using the Aladdin Connect App.

Resources during Covid 19

- Department of Education and Skills- general updates - [Link to the DES updates on COVID-19](#),
- Department of Education and Skills – where English may not be your first language [COVID 19 Translated Resources](#)
- [Roadmap for Reopening Society and Business](#)
- [Overview of Reopening Phases commencing May 18th](#)

Great Lighthouses of Ireland and Fighting Words are inviting 7-12 year-olds to create a story inspired by lighthouses!

If your child loves to write, he/she may be interested in entering this writing competition. All entrants will have their story published in a digital magazine. They will also feature on the Great Lighthouses of Ireland's and Fighting Words' websites. Every young storykeeper will receive a family ticket to any Great Lighthouses of Ireland visitor attraction, to be used when the sites reopen in accordance with Government guidelines. The prizes for the winners is publishing the book and more! <https://www.greatlighthouses.com/stories/>

GAA Drills

Thanks to Declan, from Westmanstown Gaels, who has sent in some more videos of exercises for children. Enjoy!

- Junior Infants to 2nd Classes click on this link for suitable exercises.
- https://drive.google.com/file/d/1H26mLvLySFwp2gk2IjgRf83SGq_k5Hw2/view?usp=drivesdk
- 3rd to 6th Classes click on this link
- <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1H1X1ZWVbTjlbFCNgLF0vYLwOnAFF0Nz/view?usp=drivesdk>