



Lawrencetown National School



Christmas Newsletter

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Simon O' Dwyer

On the 5th of November Simon O' Dwyer came to our school. He taught us about musical instruments from the Bronze and Stone age through storytelling. He showed us some of the instruments and played some of them too. Everyone really enjoyed his visit.



School Fitness Ireland

On the 8th of November we enjoyed an afternoon of festive cheer and fitness in the hall with School Fitness Ireland. We had great fun. Thank you for the yummy treats! And another fun session on the 11th of December.



The Junior Entrepreneur

Thanks to Martin from School Fitness Ireland who visited fifth and sixth class as part of the Junior Entrepreneur Programme. He spoke about his journey in becoming an entrepreneur and gave us lots of advice as we begin to develop our product.



Six groups presented their ideas to the 'Dragons'. The dragons had a tough time deciding which product to market, but eventually choose the multipack of greeting cards.

Christmas Shoe Box Appeal

A massive thank you to everyone who brought in boxes for Team Hope. The children who are receiving them will be delighted.



Science Week



This science week the children had lots of fun learning opportunities carrying out experiments, making and designing objects and joining webinars.

Anti-Bullying Week
Winning designs for the anti-bullying poster competition. Well done to all.



Fitness – 4th class pupils from Ms. McCarthy's room

We have been working on our fitness this term and we have completed some active sessions in the community hall on a Wednesday afternoon. We are definitely feeling stronger and fitter.



Playful Maths

The Junior Infants have worked well using their maths eyes to complete some playful maths sessions to practise our counting and names of 2D shapes.



Jump for Joy

Mrs. McCarthy's class recently enjoyed a class trip to Jump for Joy.



Lawrencetown N.S. Twins

This year we have a total of fourteen brilliant individuals from eight sets of twins in our school (two pupils are attending different schools).



Elf Competition - Clever Fox Box

Congratulations to Ruth on receiving third prize in the Clever Fox Books – Draw an elf competition..



Credit Union Competition Winners

Well done to Aoife McEvoy, Ella O Dowd, Ciarrai Ann Delaney, Joey Nutley and Sasha Prozhoha who all received a certificates and a money prize.



Preparation for Christmas

The children of Junior and Senior Infants made lovely Christmas decorations in preparation for Christmas.



Garbally View Nursing Home

The children from 4th to 6th class visited Garbally View Nursing Home on the 17th of December. They sang Christmas carols and played musical instruments. The residents of Garbally View Nursing Home were delighted.



Carol Service

On the 19th of December, the pupils of Lawrencetown N.S participated in the carol service in St. Marys Church Lawrencetown. Mrs. Creamer's class also took part in a nativity. Well done to the singers and musicians. It was a beautiful night.

Christmas Jumper Day

On the last day of school, we held a Christmas Jumper Day and a raffle. We had loads of fun and a lot of winners.



Christmas Holidays

We begin our Christmas holidays today at 12:15 and the school will reopen on Monday January 6th.

Nollaig Shona daoibh go léir!

