



### School Uniform

Class Teachers, Year Heads, Deputy Principal and Principal spent a great deal of time in the past year dealing with uniform issues with a small number of pupils. Top of the list were:

- Uniform**
  - School shoes** – pupils must wear school shoes, not runners, struts, canvas etc.
  - Earrings** – pupils are allowed to wear a single stud earring in the lobe of the ear. No other piercing allowed.
  - Hairstyles** - Please ensure that your hair style is acceptable.
- Parents are asked to ensure that pupils attend school in accordance with the college rules.

### Administration Fee

Each student is required to pay a yearly administration fee which has been set at €80 by the Board of Management. A maximum of €120 per family has been set. The administration fee is included in the cost of the Transition Year for TY pupils.

**The Administration Fee covers costs of:** Lockers, Insurance, Internal Examinations, and Photocopying.

**Attention First & Fifth Years Bookshop:** The Bookshop will be open on Thursday 26th August in the College Hall from 9.00 a.m – 11.00 a.m. All school books can be purchased.

**Swipe Cards** First Years and New Pupils only. Photographs of all First Years and other new pupils will be taken in the Canteen at 9 a.m on Thursday 26th August 2010. Uniform to be worn.

### Scifest Drama Group



Three second year students entered a project in this years Scifest Science competition in C.I.T. for the first time ever. Claire Mullins 2.1, Alison Mullins 2.1 and Ellen Murphy 2.1 entered a project entitled "Super Slug Slime". The project involves investigating some potential beneficial uses of slug slime and they are hoping to develop their project even more for next years BT Young Scientist competition. Well done girls!



Pictured are Aoife McAtamney, Roisín McAtamney, Colleen Foley, Bronagh Maloney, Laura Healy and Michael Dinan

### Summer Works Scheme

We have received a grant from the Department of Education and Skills to refurbish the toilet and locker area at the end of the main corridor and the toilet, showers and changing rooms of the gym. This work will be undertaken during the summer holidays.



### Computer Builder

Aaron Wright 3rd year student who built his own computer

### Cork Colleges Victory



Our senior hurling team had a historic victory in winning the Cork Colleges B SHC title for the first time recently. We defeated Mitchelstown CBS by 0-18 to 2-6.



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### A Chairde,

As we come to the end of another school year I would like to thank students, staff and parents for their support and co-operation during the year.

I wish all pupils, but particularly the Junior and Leaving Certs, every success in their exams.

Enjoy the summer holidays.

*Donncha O' Donnabhain*  
Príomh Oide

### DONNCHA O' CALLAGHAN PAYS A VISIT!



Pictured above are: Principal Éamonn Ó Donnabháin and Deputy Principal Colm Ó Corcora with Donncha O' Callaghan and student organiser Meghan Maguire

### Re-Opening Dates

- First Year Only**  
Fri 27th August 2010: 11.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.  
(Buses will not run)
- Second Year & Fifth Year Only**  
Mon 30th August 2010: 8.50 a.m - 3.40 p.m.  
(Buses will run)
- Third Years and Sixth Years only**  
Tue 31st August 2010: 8.50 a.m - 1.05 p.m.  
(Buses will run)
- All Classes except TY**  
Wed 1st September 2010
- TY's**  
Will begin on Mon 6th September 2010

Meghan Maguire (TY student) set up the M€2U Campaign along with students from other secondary schools. Carrage na bhFear was the first school to come on board and have decided to do a CRAZY SOCK AND HAT DAY on the 12th of May. Donncha O Callaghan (Ambassador for UNICEF) launched the M€2U Campaign on the 12th of April at our school.

- M€2U Campaign is:**
- Run by school students.
  - Invites every school in Ireland to contribute to children's charities on the SAME DAY
  - School principal's are asked to support our campaign by allowing students to bring:
    - €2 to school
    - All monies raised go to UNICEF
    - Website: [www.me2ucampaign.weebly.com](http://www.me2ucampaign.weebly.com)





## WHAT THE STUDENT COUNCIL HAS DONE SO FAR .....

- Analysed the new Code of Behaviour and agreed on its contents on behalf of the student body.
- A Student Council policy was written.
- Requested hand sanitizer for the canteen.
- Presented themselves to all First Years and parents at the Mass.
- Represented the student body at the Open Night. They spoke to new students and parents.
- Requested that Tiernan sell cereal bars.
- Took suggestions from each class. More are always welcome.
- Sent reports to the Board of Management and Parents Association informing them of the actions that the Council has taken so far.
- Hot water was made available to students doing supervised study
- Downstairs toilets have been opened for 1st YEAR GIRLS ONLY
- Members have asked that bus drivers pull out from the grass on wet days
- Members are in the process of discussing fundraising ideas for new PE equipment.
- Members have discussed the idea of a drama group for students and a first aid course for teachers being available in the next school year
- Members have decorated the notice board to make students more aware of the Student Council.
- Clarified issues regarding the school uniform, shoes and PE gear for the student body.
- Every suggestion given to the Council by the student body was discussed.



Cian Mulcahy TY, Niamh McCarthy 3rd yr, Simon McKeon 5th yr, Donncha Curtain 6th yr, Conor Cronin 3rd yr, Danielle Williamson 5th yr, Colleen Foley 6th yr,  
Claire Mullins 2nd yr, Lauren Twomey 1st yr. Missing from group is Denis Harris 1st yr and Martin Gleeson 2nd yr.

## MESSAGE FROM THE CHAPLIN

May the blessings of God's earth be on you and as you walk the roads may you always have a kind word for those you meet.

May you understand the strength and power of God in a thunderstorm in Winter and the quiet beauty of creation in the calm of a Summer sunset.

And may you come to realise that, insignificant as you may seem in this great Universe....you are an important part of God's plan.

May God watch over you and keep you safe from harm.

Remember:  
Life is like a coin, you can spend it any way you wish but remember you can only spend it once.



Adrian Kenneally  
Adrian taking part in Reading in England while he was doing a pattern.

## Tae Kwan Do

Adrian took part in the Tae Kwan Do competition called 'Rumble at the Rock' which was held in Cashel. Adrian, who is a member of the Red King Club, won 1st prize in patterns and sparring in the u17 junior.

Adrian was also picked as captain for the Irish Team at the British Open 2009 where the team won a silver medal.

On July 4th 2010 Adrian will be travelling to Korea to compete in the World Championships to hopefully bring home the gold medal for Ireland.

We wish him the best.

## FROM THE ART GALLERY



Aaron O Donoghue, Ciarán Quain, Susan O Connell all 1.4



Éadaoin Mearthy 6.1



Jane O Callaghan 5.2



Adrian Kenneally 2.2



Luke Cambridge, Sean Cooney, Aoife Mullane all 1.4

## TEAM MATH LEAVING CERT



Pictured are the winners of the North Cork Regional final – Catherine O' Connell, Colleen Foley, Michelle Healy and Laura Ryan with teachers Mr. J. Kennedy and Mrs. C. O' Shaughnessy. This team represented the College in the All Ireland final in U.C.C last March.

## GYMNASTICS



Gemma Hayes who got the highest score on the day at the Munster final in tumbling gymnastics.



## GIRLS FOOTBALL AND CAMOGIE



The First Years pictured with their teachers Miss Breege Keohane and Mr Prionnsias Ó Críodáin have had a successful few weeks recently where they won the Munster Colleges first year camogie and football blitzes. Well done girls!!

## On Air



Simon McKeon and Jack McLoughlin

The Radio business is something that we always wanted to get involved in. We had tried many times but to no avail. While we were surfing the web during the Easter holidays we stumbled across an advertisement for Radio Youghal which was looking for new on-air hosts to play music and talk. So, we applied and recorded two pilots and we got the job!

We are on air Wednesdays 9 p.m -10 p.m on 104 fm, If you can't pick up the channel, you can listen to it live online at [www.communityradioyoughal.ie](http://www.communityradioyoughal.ie) Listen in!!!

## Cian Mulcahy at WISE



Cian Mulcahy, one of six Cork Swimmers, was honoured to represent Ireland at the WISE (Wales, Ireland, Scotland, England) gala held recently in Edinburgh. Congratulations Cian.

## Irish Dancing Champion



Rebecca Lotty has been dancing for ten years. She has won numerous competitions in Ireland and only recently went to France with Cork County Council to represent Cork. She has danced on some of the top cruise liners in the world. Well done and continued success Rebecca.

## TRANSITION YEAR LOG ON LEARNING PROGRAMME



Margaret Cashman with Lorna O'Brien



Paul Ryan, Mary Walsh, Evan Roche



Patsy Murphy with Sarah Cremin



Veronica Spillane and Grady Noonan



Margaret Manley and Danny O'Sullivan



Matthew Keating, Nora Harte and Cian Mulcahy

Transition Year students lending a helping hand in computer studies to members of the community



## SCENES FROM LÁ NA GAEILGE



First Year Hurling Champions



Lá Na Gailge dictionary winners pictured are Cathal Cronin, Robert McElhinney, Shane Twomey and Scott Pierce

## CALCUTTA

This year the TY class sent six students and two teachers, Mr. J. Kennedy and Ms. M O' Hea, to Calcutta during the February mid-term break.

While there we visited orphanages, crèches and hospitals funded by Hope.

It was a brilliant experience to see first hand the benefit the street children got from our fundraising.

We have fundraised over €25,000 so far. We would like to thank everyone that helped us and especially our class without whom it would not have been possible.



## HOME ECONOMICS



Miss Ryan, Home Economics teacher, pictured with Craig Edmunds and Donna Dunne after their Junior Certificate practical exam and pictured here are some of the delights cooked and crafts made by the Junior Certificate students.



Ciara Farrelly



Leona Dineen



Hayley Coleman



Emma McElhinney



Hayley Coleman



Shauna Murphy



Leona Dineen



Ciara Farrelly

## GREEN SCHOOL PROJECT



Picture shows students taking part in a copper race recently to raise funds to purchase a compost pig.

## DEBATE TEAM



An fhoireann shóisearach díospoireachta gaeilge a bhi ag iomaíocht sa bhabhta cheathrú ceannais de chomórtas ghael linn. Ó chle: Sean Mac An tSaoi, (múinteoir) Niamh Ní Cholmain Jessica Ní Dhulain(captaen) Cait Ní Dhonnabháin