



Scoil Bhríde

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Dear Parents/Guardians



Please read both sides!!!!

Wednesday Note Attachments

Please find attached to this week's 'Wednesday Note'

- *Important reminders regarding health and safety in our school*

Easter eggs

A massive thank you to our wonderful and hardworking school Parents Association, in particular its chairperson Ami Fitzgerald, which recently funded and organized the delivery of Easter eggs for all the children in our school. Many thanks also to Ms. Owens, Ms. Ivers, Mary, SNAs Julie, Saoirse and Gillian for organizing their distribution.



School Assembly

Well done to all our pupils who received well done awards over the last month for great lining up, working hard, following teacher instructions, following the school rules, playing fair and nice in our school by showing kindness, compassion, respect, saying sorry and offering forgiveness. Congratulations to the following pupils who were pulled out of our "Well Done Award Prize Draw" *William – Senior Infants, Saoirse – 1st class, Georgia – 4th class, Shay – 5th class*

4th class Swimming payment due!



A six-week course of swimming classes in K-Leisure Athy for 4th class begins on Wednesday 15th April.

Payment of 80 Euro from each 4th class pupil is now due. Thank you to all who have paid in full to date.

Parenting Supports

For information on parenting supports and services in Co. Kildare & West Wicklow please check out www.parentingsupport.ie

Parents Association

As we head into the final busy stretch of what has been a hectic and busy school year for everybody, we would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the marvelous work done by the Parents Association in helping our teaching and learning work here in Scoil Bhríde Nurney. To all parents we really appreciate all your positive contributions be they big or small. Many thanks!

School Prefect Applications for the next school year

In May, pupils from 5th class will be offered the chance to nominate themselves to positions of school prefect. They will be given a copy of the "School Prefect Policy" to read with their parent(s)/guardian(s). Pupils must then submit their self-nomination form (**Appendix 1** of the Policy) to the school principal by the last Friday in May. Prefects will begin their new role in 6th class September 2026 and will be chosen for their ability to meet the requirements of the job description expectations and general requirements listed in the policy and for their ability to provide sound and even-handed leadership to the whole school. A copy of the School Prefect Policy can be viewed or downloaded from the school website www.nurneyns.com

Student Council

Congratulations to our newly appointed Student Council.



We wish them all the very best

in their new role over the coming school year as they learn to develop skills in leadership, organization and responsibility, all essential life skills. We are delighted to have such a committed and talented group of young people willing to volunteer in their school community. Well done!

Dates for your diary

- The Parish office wishes to inform you that Communion for families with children in 2nd class will be May 23rd 2026 @ 11am in Nurney Church
- The Parish office wishes to inform you that Confirmation for families with children in 6th class will be April 25th 2026 @ 11:30am in Nurney Church
- Junior and senior infants school tour – June 10th 2026 (Lullymore Heritage and Discovery Park). Please cancel your child's Hot School Meal as appropriate.
- 1st and 2nd class school tour – June 16th 2026 (The Chocolate Garden, Tullow, Co. Carlow). Please cancel your child's Hot School Meal as appropriate.
- 3rd and 4th class school tour – June 5th 2026 (Aqua zone Water Park, Dublin). Please cancel your child's Hot School Meal as appropriate.
- 5th and 6th class school tour – June 5th (Just 4 Fun School Tours). Please cancel your child's Hot School Meal as appropriate.



Wednesday Note and school information also available

on www.nurneyns.com

Thank you for your co-operation with the above.

Dr. Vinny Thorpe – Principal

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