

# GLINSK N.S. NEWSLETTER

June 2017

## MATHS EYES AWARD



*6<sup>th</sup> class pupils meet the Minister for Education at Merrion Square*

Glinsk N.S. was one of four schools chosen to meet the Minister for Education, Mr. Richard Bruton on the 24<sup>th</sup> May in advance of the ***Have you got Maths Eyes?*** awards at Tallaght I.T. in the afternoon. Congratulations to Ava Joyce and Gabrielle Kilcommons both winners in their respective categories. Gabrielle was also the overall national winner in her category.



## CUMANN NA MBUNSCOL CHAMPIONSHIP COUNTY FINAL

Congratulations to the girls' team who won the Cumann na mBunscol championship county final at Loughgeorge on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> which is a great addition to their Mini 7's county title at the start of the year. Thanks to all the supporters who went to the match and all the coaches who have been involved throughout the year. The girls also won the Mark Fitzmaurice tournament hosted annually by Creggs N.S. for the first time last week. It has been a great sporting year for the team.

## ROSCOMMON & DISTRICTS SOCCER LEAGUE

Both the girls & boys' teams took part in the Roscommon & Districts Soccer blitz at Lecarrow on the 16<sup>th</sup> May. The girls and boys' teams have qualified for the finals which will be held in June. The boys are really looking to their final. Hopefully some supporters may be able to attend on the day once we are notified of the date to cheer on the teams!



*Well done boys!*

### G.A.A. FOOTBALL PROVINCIAL & ALL-IRELAND GAMES

Congratulations and best wishes to Aoibhe Brennan who has been selected by Cumann na mBunscol to play at the half-time exhibition match between Galway & Mayo on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> June at Pearse Stadium, Galway.



Congratulations and best wishes to Tegan Neary who has been selected by Cumann na mBunscol to play at the half time exhibition match in Croke Park at the G.A.A. Football All-Ireland final on the 17<sup>th</sup> September.

### SIGN LANGUAGE

There will be a sign language workshop for pupils on **Wednesday the 7<sup>th</sup>** of June with Flor O'Mahony. During the session pupils will learn about: How we hear; What is deafness; Deaf and hard of hearing awareness & Irish Sign Language alphabet.

### BEES WORKSHOP

Thank you to Bert Curley for bringing his hive & bees into the school for an outdoor workshop on a lovely sunny afternoon yesterday. All classes learned so much about the work of bees, the fascinating set up of the hive and most of all giving us all a great appreciation of the great work of bees.



### DISCOVER PRIMARY SCIENCE & MATHS

Our STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Maths) log of evidence of work throughout the year was submitted to Discover Primary Science & Maths and the school has been awarded a STEM Plaque of Excellence for our work. Well done to all the pupils in the school involved and the school will receive the plaque in June. All our work submitted can be viewed on the **About** tab on the homepage of our school website.

### SCHOOL WEBSITE

Our school website is updated regularly and photos of all recent sports, Junior Spider Awards, our trip to the Bord Gáis Energy Student Theatre awards and the Maths Eyes awards are all posted on the school website.

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### GAELIC BLITZ

The Tom Lohan & Noel Connelly Memorial Gaelic Tournament for the senior room pupils takes place on **Friday 16<sup>th</sup>** June at Glinsk G.A.A pitch. The boys will play for the Tom Lohan Gaelic shield & the girls will play for the Noel Connelly Gaelic shield. Good luck to both teams.

### SCHOOL TOURS

School tours for all classes will take place on **Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June**. Junior & Senior Infants will go to Upsie Daisies and the Fire Station in Roscommon. Pupils from 1st – 6th class will go to Horizon Adventure Centre in Westport.

### SCHOOL UNIFORMS

The School Wear Centre will attend the school on **Thursday 8<sup>th</sup>** to measure pupils for school uniform jumpers.

### SPORTS DAY

We will hold a sports day on **Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup>** June (weather permitting) for all pupils in all classes. Pupils should wear school tracksuit for comfort.

### PIONEER COMPETITIONS

Congratulations to Alanna Scappaticci on winning a prize in the Pioneer Regional Essay competition and Sarah-Jane Trayers who won a prize in Pioneer Regional Art competition.

### END OF YEAR MASS

Mass will be celebrated in the school hall at the end of June (date & time to be confirmed).

### JUNIOR INFANTS & 6<sup>TH</sup> CLASS

We welcome all pupils starting school in September to the school on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June. Good luck to 6<sup>th</sup> class in Glenamaddy Community School and hope you have happy memories from you time in Glinsk N.S. We wish you all every good health & happiness in the future.

### BOOK RENTAL

All book rental books will be collected before the summer holidays. Please ensure pupils return any textbooks and library books with a school stamp on them. All classes will only receive a stationary list as the book rental scheme (plus workbooks) will continue next year.

### SUMMER HOLIDAYS

Glinsk N.S. will close on **Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June at 12:30p.m.** for the summer holidays. We thank you all sincerely for your support, co-operation and help throughout the school year. We wish you all a happy, enjoyable and safe summer holidays.

Go raibh míle maith agaibh. G. Nolan, S. Coyle, R. Quinn & S. Kenny



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