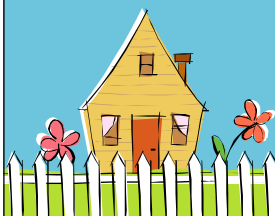


GLINSK N.S. NEWSLETTER

June 2021



Junior Infants

We welcome pupils starting junior infants in September 2021 to the school on Friday the 11th of June.

6th Class

As 6th class pupils are nearing the end of their final year, we wish Caoimhe, Erin, Ali, Liam, Conor & Gary every success & happiness in secondary school in the years ahead.

J.E.P.

Pupils in the senior room are working on the J.E.P. (Junior Entrepreneur Programme) and have completed market research on their products. Thank you to all who took part in the survey. The pupils have developed a product “*Multi-Mix*” over the past few months which they will be producing, marketing and selling. Boxes of “*Multi-Mix*” treats will be available for sale on **Friday 11th of June at 12:30 p.m.** at the school gate. All support for their project is greatly appreciated.

Blue Star Flag

Well done to all pupils in the senior room and Ms. Roughneen for all their work on the Blue Star programme over the past few months. The Blue Star Programme teaches primary school pupils about European cultures and the EU through creative activities and projects. The pupils have been awarded the Blue Star flag for their work.

Robot Art Challenge

Pupils from 2nd – 6th class took part in the Vex robot art challenge in conjunction with GMIT for this region. Pupils had to code the robot online to create a piece of artwork. Well done to all pupils who submitted entries. Congratulations to Ali O’Toole & Beth O’Mahony on their winning ukulele and Oscar Brennan, Daniel O’Toole & Maya Sudol on their winning flower. The school also won a Vex VR robot from Vex Robotics.

Sports Day

A school sports day for all classes will take place on **Monday 21st of June** (weather permitting). Department of Education guidelines for school sports day activities will be followed on the day.



World Food Safety Day

World Food Safety Day takes place on Monday 7th of June and promotes food safety awareness and good hygiene practices around food. We are delighted to welcome Elaine O’Neill to the school on **Wednesday 9th of June** to raise awareness around food safety with a presentation on *Myth Busters* and a practical experiment for all classes.

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Sacrament of Penance

Best wishes to second class pupils who will receive the Sacrament of Penance next **Wednesday 9th of June** in the school.

School Tours

School tours for all classes will take place on **Friday the 18th of June**. All tours will be at outdoor venues and public health guidelines for travel on buses to the venues will be adhered to. Pupils in junior infants, senior infants & 1st class are going to Gruane Pet Farm and pupils from 2nd – 6th class will travel to Shannon Adventure Centre, Rooskey, Co. Roscommon. Details on each tour will follow next week.

Junior Room

We welcome Ms. Derbhla Phillips to the school. She will be teaching the junior classes until the end of the current school year.

T.A.P. (Teacher in Artist Programme)

Pupils in the senior room have been working on animating their shoebox sets using green screen filming the past few weeks with artist in residence Louise Manifold. A showcase day will take place later in June.

Book Rental Books

All book rental books, library books and other school resources will be collected during the last week of June. Please check for library books at home for collection that week.



Summer Holidays

Glinsk N.S. will close on **Friday 25th of June** at 12 o'clock for the summer holidays. We thank you all sincerely for your support, co-operation and help throughout a challenging school year. Well done to all pupils for continuing to follow all the good hygiene practices throughout the year. We wish you all a happy, enjoyable and safe summer holidays. Go raibh míle maith agaibh.



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