



19th December 2024

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Celebration Assemblies

Thank you to Miss Kelly for organising this week's Celebration assemblies and congratulations to all those pupils who received a certificate/prize.



Christmas Jumper Day

Thank you to all the pupils and staff members who participated in our Christmas Jumper Day on Tuesday.

£210.00 was raised for St. Vincent de Paul.

Prince's Trust Hamper Draw for SVP – Prize Winners & Sponsors

Thank you to the Prince's Trust pupils and Mr Ball for organising a Hamper Draw for St. Vincent de Paul. A total of £134.50 was raised!

The draw was made at the end of the Yr 11 Assembly on Tuesday and here are the names of the winners:

Prize	Winner
£20 Confectionary Hamper	Aidan M 10B
£15 Confectionary Hamper	Rhys G 12C
£15 Confectionary Hamper	Ronan M 9P
£10 Confectionary Hamper	Sophia M 8C
£10 Confectionary Hamper	Ronan B 8P
£5 Confectionary Hamper	Eimear M 12B
£5 Confectionary Hamper	Ruby D 10B
£5 Confectionary Hamper	Eva Gr 9C
£5 Confectionary Hamper	Ethan M 8S



Society of St. Vincent de Paul

During Advent, we have been fundraising for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. £1135.00 was raised is total! Sincere thanks to all of those who helped co-ordinate fundraising events and to those who made generous donations. Representatives from St. Vincent de Paul, Mary Fleming and Seamus McKeever, collected the cheque this morning and expressed their thanks to our school community for their kindness.

Hamper Appeal

Thank you to everyone to supported our Hamper Appeal. 24 hampers were prepared in total. These hampers will make a significant difference to families locally.



Carol Service

Our annual Carol service took place in the local Church was a very special event yesterday. Thank you to the R.E and Music departments for organising this and to Fr. O'Kane for his ongoing support to the college. There is a 10 mins video available on our Facebook Account to watch some highlights from this beautiful service.



Advent Reflection

Our final Advent reflection took place before school this morning. Thank you to Mr Higgins and the R.E department for organising this each week during Advent.



Sport - GAA

Congratulations to our Yr. 9/Yr.10 boys' team who won Ulster's Nannery Shield competition. The defeated St. Patrick's, Dungiven 6-12 to 1-9 in last week's final in Owenbeg. The pupils were presented with their medals during the Yr 9 & Yr 10 Celebration Assembly yesterday. Our fantastic Captain helped lead the squad of 31 players brilliantly during the competition. Congratulations to Mr Ball and Mr White for coaching the team so superbly.

Key Dates

Monday 6th January

Term 2 begins for pupils

Final prayer

Lord, in times of trouble let us be reminded of your peace,
the peace that is beyond understanding,
the peace that brings us back to the Sacred Heart of Christ.

As we await your glorious birth may our hearts and minds be reminded of your love for us as we surrender for your will to prevail in our lives.

Amen

Yours sincerely,

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