



Gaelscoil an Chaistil

Aibreán / April 2015



Toraíocht feithidí le Rang 3/4



Rang 3/4 were out exploring the school's grounds hoping to find a range of insects and mini-beasts. They've been learning about insects and mini-beasts as part of their World Around Us topic and were able to use their newly learned knowledge to discuss what they found. All the children worked brilliantly together in their groups and really enjoyed learning outside the classroom.



Gaeilgeoirí na Seachtaine



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30/03/15 - 02/04/15

Naíscoil: Eva
Rang 1: Gracie
Rang 2: Iva
Rang 3: Caédán
Rang 4: Cónan Shéamais
Rang 5: Rreannán
Rang 6: Ciarán Óg
Rang 7: Katie

Gaeilgeoirí na Seachtaine

13/04/15 - 17/04/15

Naíscoil: Jack
Rang 1: Eddie
Rang 2: Erin
Rang 3: Danny
Rang 4: Amy
Rang 5: Aaron
Rang 6: Liam + Fionn
Rang 7: Oonagh

Gaeilgeoirí na Seachtaine

20/04/15 - 24/04/15

Naíscoil: Cahir
Rang 1: Jack Rua
Rang 2: Cillian Fionn
Rang 3: Oisín
Rang 4: Cónan Mhíchil
Rang 5: Dearbhla
Rang 6: Clíodhna
Rang 7: Conrad

Gaeilgeoirí na Seachtaine

27/04/15 - 01/05/15

Naíscoil: Fearghus
Rang 1: Shay
Rang 2: Aaron
Rang 3: Bláthnáit
Rang 4: Aoife
Rang 5: Séamus
Rang 6: Ciarán
Rang 7: Séamas Seosamh



Cóineartú Rang 7



A massive congratulations to the Rang 7 children who celebrated their Confirmation at the end of this month. The children and Grace worked really hard preparing for this special service and we'd like to thank all the parents who helped prepare the children.

Solar energy at Gaelscoil an Chaistil



We're sure you have all noticed the new solar panels on the roof of our Naíscóil. We applied to the Department of Education a while back to have the solar panels installed as part of our on-going efforts to become more environmentally friendly. Everyone's enjoying keeping an eye on the reduction of carbon dioxide and on the amount of energy we are saving! Great work!!



Tionscadal na ngabhlán gaoithe



This year saw Rang 6/7 children take part in a project in partnership with the Heart of The Glens Landscape Partnership Scheme and Moyle District Council Biodiversity Department to conserve and add to the pairs of swifts in and around Ballycastle. We thank the Challenge Fund for their generous funding. In February we saw a new Swift Tower installed and now we have distributed swift nestboxes, like the ones below, around the town and surrounding areas. We invited local representatives into the school where our fantastic pupils from Rang 6/7 gave an insightful and interesting presentation on their recent work.



The new swiftboxes attached to the wall of the Co-op in the town.



Rang 6/7 children at the newly installed swift tower at school.



Check out more great photographs on our Facebook page. Remember to 'like' and 'share' these with your friends.

Gabh i dteagmháil linn!

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Dátaí don dialann

Dates for the diary



Saoire bainc / Bank holidays - 4th & 25th May

Grianghrafghlacadóir - School group photos - 13 May

Fleadh Aontroma - Antrim Fleadh - 23 May

Feis na nGlean - Glen's Feis - 7 June



Rang 4 from a Catholic background will be celebrating their First Holy Communion on Saturday 16th June at 12:00p.m. I warmly invite you all to come and celebrate this special day with the children and their families. I'd additionally ask you to encourage your child to attend and help support the choir with their hymns which we will be practising at school before the event.



Spraioi taobh amuigh



The children in the Naíscoil have been enjoying working on their outdoor and indoor garden during the period of nice weather!

