

OUR MONTHLY VALUE IS FRIENDSHIP

Náí-Scoil San Lughaidh

June / Meitheamh 2022

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Tá an Samhradh linn / Summer is here

Our monthly value is friendship. Above are all our friends in First Class.

Go Raibh Maith Agaibh!

On behalf of the staff and Board of Management, I wish the children, staff and parents a safe and enjoyable summer. Thanks to everyone who helped us in various ways throughout the year. Your support is much appreciated.

First Class Graduation

Rang a hAon buachaillí agus cailíní are getting ready to graduate from our Infant School. They are busy preparing songs, tin whistle tunes and a special dance to celebrate their time with us. Graduation will be videoed this year. We extend our gratitude to families who move into St. Louis GNS and St. Mary's BNS. Thank you for entrusting your child into our care and supporting your child's education in so many ways. We wish the children every happiness in their new school.

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GAA AND DANCE CONTINUE INTO JUNE

The children can wear
PE gear every Friday.

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TEDDY BEARS PICNIC

Friday, 17th June

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SUMMER HOLIDAYS

School will close on
Wednesday, 22nd June
at normal finishing
times.

2022-2023 School
Year Calendar is
located on the
school's website.
www.stlouisinfants.ie

Please ensure we
have your current
email address.

Class teachers
names, room
numbers and drop
off and collection
times for 31st
August will be
circulated by email
in late August.



Parents' Association

The Parents Association wish to thank the fantastic generosity of the whole school community for supporting the Sponsored Walk. We are delighted to have raised enough money to purchase a digital board. The children walked along the Greenway and received some refreshments when they returned. So far, an amazing €4896.50 has been raised.

Thanks to all parents who helped and supported the Parents' Association. We especially thank the committee and parents of children who now move into Second Class. We value your contribution both economically and developmentally. All funds will be spent on a new Digital Display Panel.

School Reports

Your child's *End of Year School Report* will be circulated in the Blue Folders on Thursday, 16th June. The children worked very hard all year. We are very proud of their academic achievements.

The results for their standardised tests far exceeded the national norms, thanks to the excellent teaching and learning!

Teddy Bears Picnic

On Friday, 17th June, we will host a Teddy Bears Picnic. The staff and children will enjoy time in the park and some treats. Mr Teddy Bear will make a surprise visit in the coming days. Tickets were distributed this week.

Sports Day

We had a wonderful day on Tuesday. The children began the day, full of energy in the morning, participating in lots of traditional sports day races. Then we visited the farm and got to hold a variety of animals. After that, we relaxed and enjoyed a magic show where the magician played tricks on the teachers. Then we all enjoyed some ice lollies, danced to music, all surrounded by lake views. It was fun-packed day in the park.

Book Bills

Next year's book bills are €70 per child. We supply children with all their books, workbooks, copies, writing materials, folders and supplies. Payment can be made in September. Instalments are accepted too.

Instagram

We launched the school's Instagram account a year ago. We always do our best to keep the identity of your child safe. If you would like to join the account, follow us on @stlouisinfants.

Primary Language Curriculum Training

The staff will complete Webinar 5 on Critical Literacy on Thursday, 23rd June. The staff training means that the children will get their holidays on Wednesday, 22nd June at the usual finishing times. Buses and creches run as normal.

Summer Works Scheme

Earlier this year the Board of Management secured a substantial grant to upgrade the internal mechanical heating system. We were also selected for a pilot energy efficiency 'air to water' heating system. Work begins in July.

Other events this term

Graduation
Teddy Bears Picnic
Meeting new teachers
Walks in the park and to the library
Summer Treats / Ice-Cream Van
Summer Assembly
Meeting Mr Teddy Bear

Summer Holidays

An email with your child's class teacher's name, room number and drop off times will be circulated during the week beginning 15th August. Thanks for all your support this year. Have a lovely summer break. We hope you all keep safe and well. See you on Wednesday, 31st August 2022.

Best of luck to everyone sitting exams at the moment!!

Other Information

- End of Year School Reports will be issued on 16th June. Please check the Blue Folders.
- Children can wear PE uniforms every day if you wish.
- Office email; office@stlouisinfants.ie / 047-82913
- Please get in touch with Pamela in the office if you have a new email address.

