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Food Appeal

Thank you for all of the food donations made towards the Gort Annual Food Appeal.

Chess Club

A Chess club has started 5th Class. The boys and girls will be taking part in chess activities and games weekly.

Arts & Craft Parent Child Workshops

We were delighted that so many parents could join us for some Arts and Crafts activities during the month of November. Keep an eye out for future events.

Road Safety

Please speak to your child about the importance of road safety on their way to and from school. It has been brought to the school's attention by drivers in the area that some children have poor road awareness and we would like everyone to be safe on the way to and from school especially on these darker days. If your child has a hi-vis jacket please encourage them to wear it.

Child Protection and Anti Bullying Annual Review

Please find attached a copy of the notification for the Annual Review for Child Protection and the Annual Review for Anti-Bullying. All Child Protection and Anti Bullying documents will be available on our school website also.

BOM Agreed Report

A Board of Management (BOM) meeting was held on the 14th of December 2023. This was the first meeting of the new BOM. This BOM will run from 1st of December 2023 to 30th of November 2027. The Board Members are as follows: Paddy Grealish (Chairperson), Fr Tommy Marrinan, Anne McInerney, Padraig Flanagan, Adam Stonemann, Xiaofang Alice Lin, Brenda Killilea and Marie Clune.

The annual Child Protection Review took place. The annual Anti-Bullying Review took place. The Board of Management would like to wish everyone a very Happy Christmas and best wishes for 2024.

Christmas Holidays

School will finish on Friday 22nd of December for the Christmas break. Children in the Tubber Rd. finish at 11:50 am and children in the Convent finish at 12 noon. Wishing you all a peaceful and enjoyable break. School reopens on Monday the 8th of January 2024.