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16th September 2019

Dear Parents,

### **Revised Uniform Policy**

Please note that all pupils must wear WHITE polo shirts and school shirts going forward. Our revised uniform policy is now being fully implemented. Grey polo shirts/shirts are no longer part of the school uniform.

### **PA AGM**

The AGM for the Parent's Association will be held in Robertstown National School on Tuesday September 24th at 7.30pm. I would like to thank the outgoing committee for their work over the past year. I look forward to working on further activities with the Parent's Association over the next year. This year we are hoping to get representation from all class levels on the committee. If you are interested in getting involved in the Parent's Association this school year, you can forward your name to your child's teacher or the office. In this way your name can be put forward for election onto the Committee at the AGM, even if you cannot attend the meeting.

### **Sacraments**

First Holy Communion will take place on Saturday 23rd of May 2020 in Allenwood Church at 11am.

As of yet, there is no date from the Bishop's office for Confirmation.

### **Physical Education**

This year we will continue to develop the PE programme which we implemented last year. The month of September is dedicated to the strand of games. In October we will be engaging with Athletics. All pupils in the school will be learning the skills of walking and running. We are using the programme "Move Well, Move Often": Developing the physical literate child through the lens of fundamental movement skills. This programme is designed by the Professional Development Service for Teachers (PDST). Our teachers have trained in this programme over the past and are very excited about implementing it across the school. We will bring you further updates throughout the year.

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There will be **NO boy's football training** after school today (Monday). There will be a game at home in Robertstown GAA pitch on Thursday at 1.30pm, children will return to school at 2.15pm. Bus provided, €3 appreciated.

**Girl's football training** after school today (weather permitting) from 2.45-3.30pm in Robertstown GAA pitch.

**Girl's senior soccer** trials this Wednesday 18th of September during lunch-time. Please wear suitable footwear.

Junior and Senior Infants **hearing test** in school this Thursday 19th of September.

**Homework Club** Monday-Thursday this week from 2.40-3.30pm.

**Administration of Medicines/Monitoring of Medical Condition forms** have been given to all pupils in the school today. It is very important that this form is filled out and returned to school if your child has a medical/allergy need. This form needs to be updated annually. Please ensure all medication is in date especially EpiPen's.

**Playball** starts back on Thursday 19th of September after school at a cost of €70.00.

**Croí Laighean Credit Union** are launching their School Savers Scheme in our school on 24<sup>th</sup> September 2019. Any child who has an account in the credit union and wishes to avail of the scheme will receive their pouch and card on the day. If your child does not have an account and wishes to take part in this savings scheme, you can visit our website [clcu.ie](http://clcu.ie) for details on how to join the credit union. Alternatively, if you would like more information on the scheme, please contact Deirdre Harris on 045 860554. Our first day of collection of savings will be Tues. 1st October 2019.

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