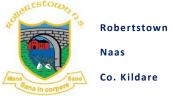
## **Robertstown National School**



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15<sup>th</sup> May 2023,

## Dear Parents,

We hope everyone had a nice weekend and are keeping well.

There will be a clothes collection tomorrow 16<sup>th</sup> May. Please drop any bags to the school in the morning.

Homework Club will run as normal after school this week.

Junior Infants pupils will be receiving their vaccinations tomorrow 16th May. Can you please send in your child's Blue Immunisation Passport from when they received their baby vaccinations in your child's school bag.

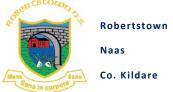
As you may be aware the Parents Association are organising a Cupcake Picnic for the 19th May. We are asking that the children bake cupcakes (max 12 per family) to bring in on the day, they will all be displayed in the hall and the children will get a chance to come down and buy cupcakes during the school day at a price of €1 per cupcake, weather permitting from 1-3pm we will be out the front of the school for the Cupcake Picnic where parents/family and friends are invited to come along for a tea/coffee and a cupcake, we will have balloon modelling and music and hopefully a fun filled day. All money raised from the day will be going towards new maths and science equipment.

The school will close on Monday the 5<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday the 6<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday the 7<sup>th</sup> of June for the June Bank Holiday. The school is also closing at 12.00pm on the 26<sup>th</sup> May due to a Staff Training Day.

The First Holy Communion took place last Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> May in Allen Church. All the children looked amazing and had a wonderful time celebrating their special day.

The Girls Senior Team will play Ballysax in the semi finals this Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May at 12.30pm in Milltown GAA Pitch. The Boys Under 10's will play Ballycane this Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May at 12.00 in Caragh Parish Field in their semi final. Buses have been booked to bring the Teams to and from the match. We are asking for a contribution of €4 for the bus. There will be Boys and Girls Football Training today after school at Robertstown GAA Pitch.

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Please see attached Poster on information the Free Schoolbooks Scheme. All books and copies will be provided to the children. The school are asking that Parents who currently buy all schoolbooks may donate the books to the school at the end of this year. Parents can opt out of the Scheme if they wish.

Please see attached the School Calendar for next year.

We are still accepting applications for Junior Infants for September 23. We are also accepting applications for places in Senior Infants – 6<sup>th</sup> Class. Forms are available through our website Robertstownns.ie or by contacting the office on (045) 860021.

## School Timetable May - June 2023

May 16th	Junior Infant Injections and Clothes Collection
May 25th	Pollinator Talk (Snr, 2nd/3rd, 5th)
May 16th -	
25th	School testing taking place
May 26th	Half Day School Closure @ 12pm
May 29th	Junior Infant Vision Screening
May 30th	5th/6th School Tour Hidden Valley
	Junior Inf. School Tour Clonfert
May 31st	Parish Sports (Senior Boys & Girls Football)
June 1st	2nd/3rd/4th School Tour Tayto Park
June 2nd	Senior Inf/ 1st School Tour Lullymore
June	
5th/6th/7th	School Closed
June 14th	Sports Day
June 15th	ISM Wellbeing Advisor Meeting
June 16th	Mobile Farm coming to school
June 20th	Junior Infant Induction @ 1pm
June 21st	5th and 6th Class show (evening) (5th 5.45pm, 6th 7pm)
June 28th	6th Class Graduation @ 12pm
June 30th	Term Finishes @12pm