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Dear Parents & Guardians,

We hope that you are keeping well. This week, we are celebrating Active Week in our school! We hope that the children enjoy the programme of events throughout the week. Please find below some details of events over the final two weeks of the school year.

Parents Association Cupcake Day

A huge thank you to our Parents Association for all of their efforts in hosting a Cupcake Day last week. Our young aspiring bakers brought in some absolutely stunning looking and delicious treats. Altogether the Parents Association raised €713.43. A sincere thank you to the whole school community for your support with this.

School Tours

There was great excitement in Fifth and Sixth Classes this morning as they headed off on their school tour to Clara Lara. We hope they have a great time!

Sixth Class Musical: The Jungle Book

Well done to our Sixth Class who put on a stunning performance of The Jungle Book for their parents and families last Thursday evening. We were blown away by the children's confidence, choreography and musical talents! Thank you to Ms. Conroy and everyone who helped out to make the musical such a success on the night!

Active Schools Week

This week is Active Week in our school! Throughout the week, the children will be encouraged to be more physically active with a range of different activities each day. The children will be taking part in yoga and step classes with external facilitators, going for a local walk and participating in a Skip-a-thon, along with our annual Sports Day which takes place on **Wednesday 18th June** in Robertstown GAA club. Children are asked to bring in a €2 contribution towards the week's activities. Well done to Ms. McCaffrey and Ms. Killeen for all their efforts in coordinating the week's activities.

Sports Day

We will be having our school Sports Day tomorrow **Wednesday 18th June**. Can all children be dropped straight to Robertstown GAA at the usual start time of 8.55am. Junior and Senior infants will be collected by bus and brought back to the school



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afterwards. Children will go home at the usual time tomorrow.

End of Year Reports

All End of Year reports were released on Aladdin Connect yesterday. If you are having trouble accessing the report, please contact the office.

Pathfinder Retrofit Programme

As announced last week, the school has been approved for a deep retrofit during the summer. This will hopefully have a transformative effect on the school, providing a warmer, more energy efficient building for our staff and children. Building works will take place during the summer months. During this time, the school building will not be accessible to staff or children. We will reopen as planned on **28th August**.

Gaelic Football Training in School

There will be GAA sessions for Ms. Barrett and Ms. Murphy's class on **Friday June 20th**. Children are asked to wear their tracksuit for this.

Graduation 2025

Our Sixth class graduation will take place next **Wednesday 25th June** at 11.00am in the hall. There will be tea and coffee served afterwards. **We are looking for parents of 5th class students to help with the tea and coffee on the day so if you are interested in helping out, please contact the school office.**

Curriculum Resources

The Curriculum Resources link has been set up on Aladdin for the school year 25/26. We are asking for €60 for child 1, €50 for second sibling, €40 for third etc. This money is a great support to the school in purchasing equipment such as art equipment, books, curriculum resources, guest speakers etc. during the year. **Those who pay by the 30th of September will be entered into a draw to win a €200 One 4 All voucher.**

Pupil Insurance

Our 24hr pupil insurance is available again through the school. The cost is €10 per child, and we highly recommend that all families avail of this. A link has been set up on Aladdin for payment.

Afterschool Care

Kids Inc. will be running an Afterschool Care service on the school premises from September. This service is registered with the National Childcare Scheme and is eligible for the NCS subsidy for childcare costs. It is hoped that application forms will be distributed this week.



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Robertstown GAA Summer Camp

Robertstown GAA are holding a summer camp from 14th July-18th July. Details can be found on the poster above. If anyone would like to purchase The club has new gear available also if anyone would like to purchase. Please be advised that they are small fitting. Samples are available through Aoife Kavanagh in the club.

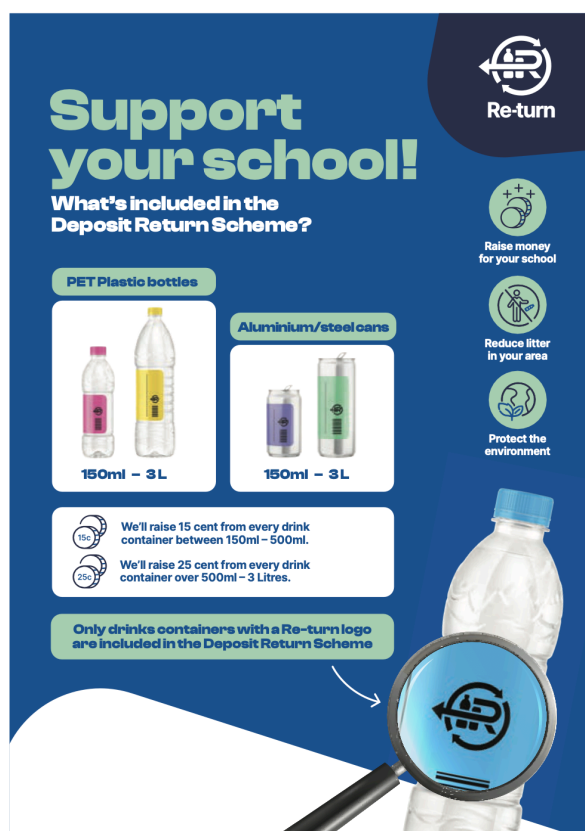


Return comes to Robertstown!

As a Green School, we are delighted to announce that we now have the Deposit Return Scheme on our school grounds. The bins are located at the left side of the school, near the bicycle shelter. Plastic bottles and aluminium cans with the Return logo on them can be placed in these bins. We hope that this will reduce litter, protect the environment and raise money for the school!

School Closure

The school will close for the summer holidays next **Friday 27th June** at 12.pm. Junior and Senior Infants along with their siblings will finish at 11.50am and the rest of the school will finish at 12.00pm.



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