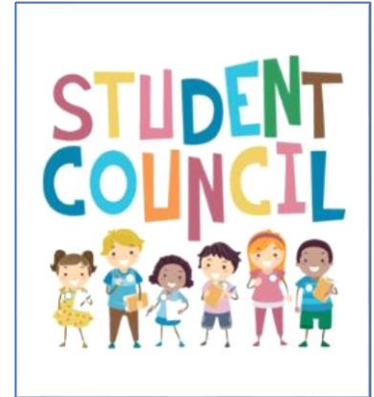


# The Student Council Bugle



Hi everyone,

This our student newsletter. It's stuff that happens in the class, behind the scenes and on the yard. We hope you like it.

The Student Council.

## The 3<sup>rd</sup> Class Roundup

Our class has started ukulele lessons on a Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. We're really enjoying the music lessons and are learning loads.

### Róise's Jokes

- What looks like half a lemon? The other half!
- What does a dentist call his x-rays? Tooth pics!
- What kind of a nut do you hang pictures on? A walnut!
- Which great Arab invented crisps? Sultan vinegar!

### The Ukulele

The boys and girls in 3<sup>rd</sup> class are learning to play the ukulele. The ukulele is a small instrument like a guitar with 4 strings from Hawaii. It was first made in 1879. The word ukulele means "jumping fleas" in Hawaiian. It is often called the "uke" for short. The first man on the moon, Neil Armstrong loved to play the ukulele. Did you know that long ago the strings were made from cat or sheep gut but thankfully, today they are made of nylon.



*Ukulele/Star Wars joke - What did the guitar say to the ukuele? Uke, I'm your father!*

### 2nd Class Nature Bracelets

This week 2<sup>nd</sup> class made some nature bracelets with flowers, leaves and plants that we collected from the yard. We got into pairs and put the items into a bowl. Then we put tape around our wrists wrists, sticky side out. We shared the items with our partner and stuck them on. We really enjoyed making them and took some afterwards here are few.



Ceann ar iarraidh

Which one of the words, listed below is not to be found in the grid?

Am	Úr	Gas	Cluas	Leifís
An	Ard	Tús	Cófra	Piobar
Ar	Aos	Tlú	Luach	Salann
As	Oas	Cuma	Práta	Cairéad
Bó	Dán	Hata	Rubar	Cúcumar
Le	Gal	Slán	Tráta	Tornapa

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## 2<sup>nd</sup> Class Library Trip

2<sup>nd</sup> class went to Enniscorthy library to do a workshop with Bricks 4 Kids. We made airplanes and the propeller actually spun because the motor helped it to move. We got the bus to and from the library. We had lots of fun and the airplanes looked really cool at the end. See for yourself in the photos.



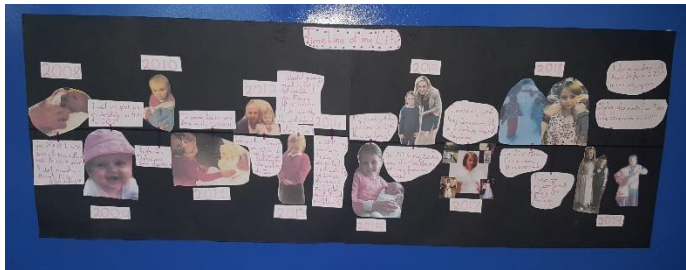
## Bees

Bees have 5 eyes and 6 legs. Girls bees do all the work. Boy bees do no work and have no stinger. 50,000 bees live in a hive. Bees make our plants grow. 85% of plants exist because of bees. One third of all food depends on bees. They pollinate our crops.



## 5<sup>th</sup> Class

In 5<sup>th</sup> class we made a timeline about our lives and put pictures on it. It was a lot of fun and very interesting. It was nice to take a bit of a trip down memory lane. Some people brought in some ... *strange* photographs!



## 4<sup>th</sup> Class - Some Maeve Jokes

- What do cats put in their lemonade? Mice cubes!
- Why do dogs not bite clowns? They taste funny.
- What is black, white and purple? A zebra holding its breath!

## 6<sup>th</sup> Class Debating Team

The 6<sup>th</sup> class debate team had two debates. One against Davidstown and one against Galbally. We lost the first one and won the second one. It's a great skill to be able to get up in front of a group of people and speak and it will give you confidence. Now we'll be able to persuade our parents to get us sweets in the shop whenever we like!

## Books We'd Like to Read

In 6<sup>th</sup> class, we asked the other children what books they'd like to see in the class library. They said that they like David Walliams, Diary of a Wimpy Kid, Horrible Histories and Wonder. We have given the list to Mr. Kelly and we hope that they will arrive soon.

Quick Saoirse joke: I just learned what seven is in Irish. I'm seacht! (geddit? - shocked! Hee hee)

### Maxym's Madness!

Where do Xmas plants go when they want to become movie stars? Hollywood!

What's a sheep's favourite Xmas song? Fleece Navidad!