



An Nasc

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Nóta ón bPríomhoide:

A Cháirde,

Welcome to the fourth edition of this year's 'An Nasc'. Congratulations to our U15 Soccer team and their coach, Mr. Doughan, on their victory over St. Benildus College last week.

Last Wednesday, Coláiste Éanna welcomed students from Ballyroan Boys' National School to our science laboratory, where they were tutored in a science module by our Transition Year students. Again this year, this collaboration between both schools was a very beneficial experience for all concerned. Thanks to the students, Mr. Furlong and Mr. Conway for their preparation and work.

We wish every success to our students participating in 'Maths Week' (details below).

Le gach dea-ghuí,
S. Ó Murchú
Principal

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An tSeachtain Seo (This Week ...)

Monday 14th October to Friday 18 th October 2019		
Day	Time	Information
Monday		School Closed for Students
Tuesday	1.30pm	U16 Hurling Match
Wednesday	10am/ 11.15am	U16/U19 Basketball Match (Away)
Thursday	2.30pm	U16 Basketball Cup Match
Friday		

Careers' Corner

A large number of Sixth Year student opted to attend a Study-Skills Seminar run by Study Focus last Wednesday. The information at the seminar was very practical in suggesting different methods of study to suit all types of learners. Students who attended were provided with both an information booklet and a workbook.

The key message given to students at the seminar was to ensure that they build up their study over the entire course of this academic year. Students were advised that those who do not study from October on-wards will find it increasingly difficult to catch-up as the year progresses.

I would like to remind parents/guardians of Sixth Year students that students must check the Guidance-office appointment list to see when they are due to have a scheduled Guidance appointment. Students are then welcome to make as many appointments as they need throughout the year.

ALL Sixth Year students who wish to attend an optional class regarding the CAO Demonstration facility are asked to do so on Wednesday 16th after school.

Normally students find that carrying out a demonstration on the CAO website helps to ease their concerns about the process. **This optional-class will run on Wednesday from 1.05 p.m. to 1.35 p.m. in ICT Room 43.**

All senior-students will have an opportunity on the afternoon of October 21st to attend an in-school Careers' Fair. Students will be notified of the time that their year-group is to attend on the day itself.

We are looking forward to starting work with the Pieta House Resilience Academy and our Second-Years on Friday October 18th. The academy runs for a number of weeks on Fridays. It is a wonderful opportunity for all those who opt to attend. Only students who have parental consent to attend will be able to avail of this opportunity. I would like to thank all the students who have returned the forms already. I would urge parents who have not returned the form to do so by Thursday 17th October at the latest. Parents can also email their consent once they include the name and class of their son and state that he has consent to attend the Pieta House Resilience Academy.

A reminder of some upcoming Open Days:

October 12th - University College Cork

October 17th - University of Limerick and Mary Immaculate College

November 7th - National Maritime College of Ireland (Cork)

November 9th - UCD

November 14th - [Dublin School of Creative Arts Open Day & Portfolio Clinic](#)

November 14th - Institute of Technology Carlow

November 15th & 16th - Dublin City University

November 16th - St. Patrick's Campus DCU

November 16th & December 7th - BIMM

November 20th - National College of Ireland

November 23rd - Trinity College Dublin

November 27th - NCAD

November 29th & 30th - Maynooth University & The Pontifical College

November 29th & 30th -TU Dublin City Campus (formerly known as DIT)

January 3rd - Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland

*Please note that this list is subject to change and students are responsible for checking online whether the dates are correct according to each institution's website. Details about the days which will include maps and timetables, will be available on the institution's own website. This list does not include every Open Day or event, it is a sample of some events only.

[Ms. Ruane]

Maths Week

Students will be competing in the MangaHigh Ninja Challenge this week as part of Maths Week 2019.

Students earn medal points by completing curriculum-aligned games and adaptive quizzes on Mangahigh. All points accumulate towards the school's running total which places the school on the Ireland Maths Competition Leaderboard.



[Ms. McDonnell]

U15 Soccer

The U15 soccer team won with a score of 4 - 2 in the opening game of the season against St Benildus College.

It was a dominating performance with Coláiste Éanna playing superior football and putting together some very nice moves. The first goal was scored by Pharrell Manuel from a brilliant finish outside box. Daniel Chukwu scored a nice flick from a well worked corner. Ali Ahmed then finished off a very good move and Chidera Chime killed the game finishing off a good counter attack. Well done to the team!

[Mr. Doughan]

TY Science with Ballyroan Boys BNS

Last Wednesday saw our first collaboration of the year with Ballyroan BNS, when the students of TY Yeats brought up a group of 4th class students and taught them science experiments. This is the first of 8 such collaborations during the year, in which all TY classes will teach 3rd/4th class both Science and Art. This week sees a group of 3rd class students coming up to learn Art from the TY students. Our thanks to Mr. Furlong for preparing the TY students for their teaching debuts.





[Mr. Conway]

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