

Cumann na dTuismitheoirí / Parents' Association

Coláiste an Phiarsaigh

Wednesday Jan 14th 2026 8PM

Miontuairisc/Minutes

Lucht Freastail: Micheál Ó Tuama
Julie Dennehy-O'Callaghan
Mary Haslam
Cliona Fergey

Lucht ar Líne Nicola Malone, Lisa Quane

Leithscéalta Roisin Hudner, Josephine Sugrue, Fiona McCarthy, Deirdre Mc
Carthy, Tricia, Paula

Minutes Issued by: Mary Haslam (Recording Secretary)

AGENDA:

Fáilte
Apologies
Minutes from previous meeting
Imeachtaí Scoile ón Príomhoide
Actions List
Roll Call
AOB
Date for next meeting: Wed Feb 4th

Fáilte agus beannachtaí don Athbhliain ó Julie

Micheal proposed minutes of previous meeting and Cliona and Nicola seconded

Imeachtaí Scoile:12-11-25 – 14-01-26./ School Activities

13-11-25 : Cruinniú Bord Bainistíochta na Scoile/Board of Management meeting

Second new BOM meeting and Financial subcommittee - overview to BOM

14-11-25: BL 6 go dtí lá oscailte MTU/Open Day MTU

17-11-25 : Seachtain na nua Theangacha ar Scoil

Think Languages - lots of language events

17-11-25: Céardlann scoile sínise don idirbhliain

TY Chinese Workshops

18-11-25: Cigire ar cuairt ar feadh 3 lá/Department Inspection

Aimed at new Special Class structures but also examined Child Protection
Met teachers and students

Tagged students for a day and observed Co-teaching and SNA interaction

Feedback from parents positive- awaiting report.

21-11-25 : COGG sa Rochestown Park

Irish medium education Conference – CAP teachers giving presentations

25-11-25 : Gaisce BL 4/ TY Gaisce activity

27-11-25 : Céardlann Bia BL 4

TY Food Seminar Day

01-12-25 : Lá oiliúna Foirne le Oide

Child Protection Training Day

03-12-25 : Cruinniú Fóirne/ Staff meeting

03-12-25 : Turas Staire BL 6/History Trip

04-12-25 : Turas BL 1

Marina Market ice-skating Instructors from Company spoke Irish

10-12-25 : Céardlann Sábhailteachta idirbhliana

Heath and Safety Workshops

10-12-25 : Caint Treoir Ghairm BL 5+6/ Careers Workshop 5

15-12-25 : Seachtain na Gaeilge- Irish Language week

17-12-25 : BL 4 ag an Panto/TY at Panto

18-12-25 : Ceolchoirm na Nollag/ Christmas concert – very successful

05-01-26 : Dips nua Tosnaithe linn/ new student teachers

Business, PE and MFL

07-01-26: Céardlann Dlí idirbhliana

TY Law Workshop

08-01-26 : Scala le BL 4/ TY Scala Workshop

13-01-26 : CTM BL 2nd Yr PT meeting

Fograí

Bake off very competitive between teachers and students
Cork Enterprise Board award for TY Business students

YSI – Young Social Innovators fund-raised €600 for Domestic Violence shelter Cuan Laoi

Comhairle na Mac Léinn : Student Council fund raised Penny Dinners : €1000

New Alumni App launched 28-11-25

Focus on collecting stories and creating dictionary

Past pupils can advertise business

Back as far as 1980

Past Pupils committee envisioned

Organization of Informal occasion proposed

Ficheall - Chess team doing well this year as have all sports teams :

Gaelic Girls and Boys/ Hurling/ Camoige/Basketball/ Soccer

Cumann attendance at First Year PT meeting in March discussed

School Uniforms donation for Penny Dinners – Michael arranged cleaning and sale of abandoned uniforms

Suggested Cumann purchase boxes for Uniform Donation like at GCC

Table quiz 12th Feb

Eventbrite suggested by Cliona to set up and organises funding option for those who can't attend. Send out message earlier

Important to highlight Secondary school v primary school difference in role of Cumann – not just financial but social capital.

Micheál will send 'Save the date' and message re unloved Christmas gifts

3 picture rounds already sorted by Cliona.

Ask Des for 7 question rounds - Cliona to contact Des

Suggestions Doors open at 7 for 7.30 start in Sars

10 euro per person - teams of 4 max

Can finalize at Wed Feb 4th - Next meeting

ACTION LIST

Purchase Boxes for used uniforms

Cumann Flyer attached to the map for PT meeting
Between 4-5 in Bialann in March

Next Cumann meeting Wed Feb 4th

NB Tráth na gCeist Feb 12th - scaip an focail