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On Thursday, the 10th of May, Sixth Class helped launch the **Gum Litter 'bin it your way' Campaign** in Dun Laoghaire.



Second Class made their **First Holy Communion** on Saturday, the 12th of May in St. Michael's Church, Dun Laoghaire. We would like to thank their class teacher, Ms. Egan for helping the children prepare for this special sacrament, Ms. Gallagher for guiding the choir and our school chaplain Monsignor Dan O' Connor for performing the ceremony.



Paddy Madden, a nature enthusiast, came to visit us on Tuesday, the 15th of May and did a workshop with all the classes. He shared lots of interesting facts with us.



First and Second Class went on their school tour to **Imaginosity** on Wednesday, the 16th of May.
A great day out was had by all.

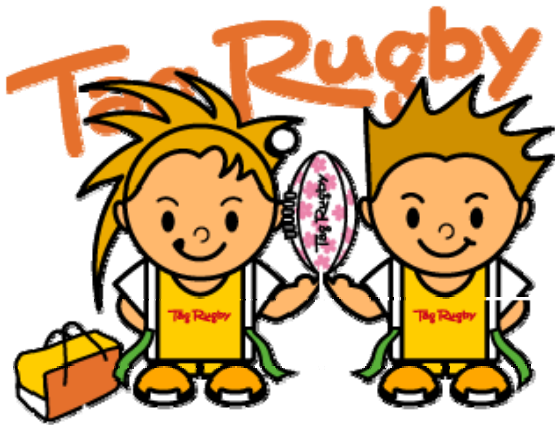
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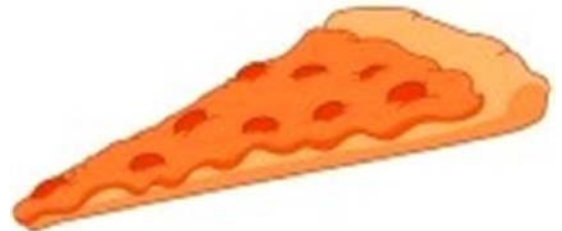
On Thursday, the 17th of May the Sixth Class pupils who took part in sailing were invited along to **Loughlinstown Leisure Centre** for a fun-filled day. They played many sports such as, trampolining, tag rugby, volleyball and archery.



Tag Rugby finished up on Monday, the 21st of May. It ran for six weeks for all classes. A big thank you to Shane our coach for coming in to teach us how to play.



Pizza Day took place on Thursday, the 24th of May. Thanks to the parents for coming in to help out.



Knitting Classes for Parents took place on Tuesday mornings in the kitchen from 9am to 10.30am during the month of May. Thanks to Ms. Heavin for organising it.



Third and Fourth Class participated in a **tag-rugby competition** between some of the local schools on Friday, the 25th of May. Well done on coming second in the competition. We are so proud of you.



Sixth Class and their parents made lovely pots with mosaic patterns on them. They also got to make large wall mosaics with lots of different tiles.



The 'New Infant Talk' for Parents
took place on
Tuesday evening, the
29th of May.

On Tuesday, the 29th of May, Third, Fourth and Fifth Class went on their school tour to **Dublinia**. Everyone had a great time.



Senior Infants have just completed the **Mighty Mouth Programme**. It teaches them how to care for their teeth. The Dental Nurse came to visit them on Wednesday, the 30th of May to award them with their certificates. Well done everyone!





The school was closed on Thursday, the 31st of May due to the **Election**.

Junior Infants and their parents had fun singing and playing instruments with a Music teacher as part of the **Music in the Classroom** Programme. Thanks to all the parents who came in on Friday mornings to participate.



Events to look forward to in June

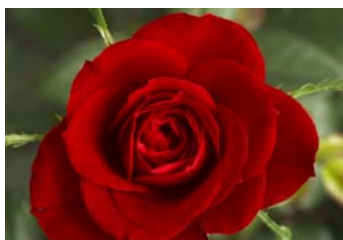
CONCERT

Our annual **School Concert** takes place on Wednesday, the 13th and Thursday, the 14th of June at 11.30am. Check with your child's class teacher to see which day each class are on.

Sports Day will take place on Monday, the 18th of June, weather permitting. All are welcome.



We are delighted to announce that the current **Rose of Tralee**, Tara Talbot will visit our school on Friday, the 22nd of June.



We are having a **coffee morning** on Wednesday, the 27th of June at 10.30am. All are welcome to attend.