



Kilbehenny NS



SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER

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This Month's Highlights

This month we have started back at school for the 2024/25 school year and we are all really enjoying it so far! We welcomed 12 new students to our school this year! 10 of them are Junior Infants alongside Reuben who joined Second Class and Francesca who joined 5th Class and they are all settling in really well!

Sport in school has returned and our 1st to 6th Class have started rugby with Tony on Thursdays and we are all really enjoying it!

The 6th Class have been running active stations for the whole school every Friday at lón, which has been so much fun! We also loved European Week of Sport, it was really enjoyable for all!

European Week of Sport

We celebrated European Week Sport on the last week of September and it went great!

Our 6th Class ran Active Stations during lón throughout the week for all the other classes in the school and we all really enjoyed it.

There were many stations including dodge-ball, sticks, parachute games, dancing and basketball.

We did rugby with Tony and different activities in our classes too! Everyone had a lot of fun during the week!



Juniors and Seniors

We welcomed 10 new Infants into the Infant classroom for the school year 2024/25. We now have 25 pupils in our classroom and we have had an excellent September here in KBNS. Our play theme for the month was Houses & Homes and we loved learning all about the different types of Houses & Homes. We love learning our new letters in Jolly Phonics, songs through Irish and we love doing Art in our classroom. We have so much fun at break times and lunch times on our new astroturf area where we play with each other. We crawl through the crawl tunnels, use balance beams, bounce on spacehoppers and do so much more. We hope all the other classes in our school enjoyed their September.
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1st and 2nd Class

We have had a great month together starting back at school. The Second Class students have been very welcoming to our First Class students and we are all getting on great.

We learned about our five senses and took a walk outside in the sunshine to see what we could hear, see, touch and smell.

1st Class have begun learning how to use joined handwriting and are doing an amazing job with it.

We started rugby with Tony and have had great fun.

We hope all the other classes have had such a positive start like us!

Our Class News

3rd and 4th Class

This month we welcomed our new 3rd Class students to the classroom, they are really enjoying their new teacher and classmates!

We have learned all about Autumn and about how the leaves on the trees change colour! We made hedgehogs in Art and we have also made drawings of leaves falling off the trees.

We have spent lots of time learning all about 'Mo Theach' as Gaeilge too!

We all have been playing different sports such as soccer, hurling and Irish dancing outside of school!

5th and 6th Class

This month was a great month in 5th and 6th Class and we are all settled back into school after our summer holidays. The 5th Class are enjoying their new teacher this year, Ms Cunningham.

Our 6th class have started doing active stations on Fridays for the whole school. They also went for their South Limerick football trials!

We all started rugby with Tony and we are preparing for our rugby blitz.

We are really enjoying our activities on the new astro and we take turns at break helping the Juniors to 2nd Class on the astro now too!

We spent a lot of time learning about the Olympics! We created projects, dramatised events and created javelins. We are writing reports about famous buildings and learning about the 7 Wonders of the World at the minute!

5 Fun Facts

1. The world's longest concert lasted 453 hours.
2. It is impossible to hum while you are holding your nose.
3. McDonalds once made bubblegum flavoured broccoli.
4. It's illegal to own only one guinea pig in Switzerland.
5. Snakes smell with their tongues.

Sports News

1st-6th Class have really been enjoying rugby training with Tony every Thursday!

3rd-6th Class are looking forward to both of their upcoming rugby blitzes in Galbally. Our 6th Class also went to a football blitz in Scoil Pól on the 26th of September and got to the plate final!

Upcoming Events

- From the 7th to the 11th of October we will participate in the 'Walk to School Week'.
- There is a Credit Union art competition that is due on the 18th of October.
- 3rd and 4th class are going to the library on the 22nd of October.
- 5th and 6th class have a rugby blitz on the 23rd of October.
- We will have our Halloween dress up day on the 25th of October.

Birthdays

- Rian O' Regan - Age 5
- Evie Casey - Age 5
- Dylan Kelly - Age 8
- Luke Kelly - Age 8
- Conor Maher - Age 8
- Sean O' Gorman - Age 11
- Jack Geary - Age 12



WE ASKED OUR JUNIOR INFANTS ...

What is your favourite thing about school so far?

Annie - Songs

Jessica - Magic board

Molly Cr - Playing with friends

Molly Cu - Playing with friends

Faye - Playing with friends

Oran- Playing with friends

Rian- Playing with toys

Ollie - Homework

Evie - Aistear

Charlotte - Playing with friends

School Updates

We are so grateful for all the community support in fundraising and donating to our school.
We love our new colourful painting and our new astroturf!



KBNS Classes for 2024/25

Junior and Senior Infants



1st and 2nd Class



3rd and 4th Class



5th and 6th Class



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