

Redeemer Boys' National School Ard Easmuinn Dundalk, Co. Louth

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June 2022 Newsletter

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

June is a busy month for us and we have lots of activities planned alongside regular school work. Even though we are coming to the end of the school year there is still lots of very important work and revision to be done in each class. Teachers like to take the opportunity at this time of year to bring their classes outside to explore and learn skills that aren't possible when the weather is wetter and colder. Every day is important in school and while some of the work is fun it is still part of your son's learning.

The following events are taking place in this final term:

Redeemer Schools Tea & Coffee Morning

Wednesday 1st June, in the School Hall from 9.00 – 11.00am. Tea, coffee, pastries, scones and craic! All parents are very welcome in pop in whenever suits!

Hell & Back Fundraiser

As you know a team will complete a challenging 13km course on Saturday 11th June to raise funds to resurface our much used and much loved playground! The team is made up of staff/board members, parents and friends of the school. A Sponsorship Card has been given to each head of family and we ask for donations either to pupils or team members in person. Alternatively you can donate via this link: https://gofund.me/f3eebfa0



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All support is very much appreciated and the pupils in our school will benefit greatly from this project! All sponsor cards should be returned to the school on or before Friday 10th June.

School Tours

Senior classes (Third-Sixth Class) will be going to Crystal Maze in County Meath on Friday 3rd June. The bus will be leaving at 9am sharp and returning to the school at approximately 3pm.

Junior classes (Junior Infants – Second Class) are going to Dublin Zoo on Wednesday 22nd June. The bus will be leaving at 9am sharp and returning to the school at approximately 3pm.

Orchard Class 1 & 2 are going to Go Kids Go! in Dublin on Wednesday 22nd June. The bus will be leaving at 9am sharp and returning to the school at approximately 3pm. <u>As the boys are travelling a long distance on a bus we are suggesting that parents make arrangements for their son/s to be collected from the school at 3pm. Please make contact with the school office</u>

<u>before Friday 3rd June if you are unable to do this and require bus transport from the school</u> <u>at the later time of 3pm on this date.</u>

**Thank you to everyone who has already paid in full for their son's School Tour. With particular regard to the Senior Tour, if you have only paid a deposit at this point your son may attend on Friday, however, we ask that you pay the balance off before Friday 17th June (in instalments if necessary).

Active Week & Sports Day

Active Week will run from Tuesday 7th June – Tuesday 14th June. Ms Fee, Ms Quigley and Ms Lynch have an action-packed schedule organised for pupils and staff. **All pupils may wear a tracksuit to school for Active Week in place of the school uniform.**

- Tuesday 7th Sessions up in Clans GFC/Penalty Shoot against the principal
- ➤ Wednesday 8th Visit and Sessions with Dundalk Football Club (Liam Burns)
- ➤ Thursday 9th Walkway Launch/Maths Trail/Scavenger Hunt
- Friday 10th Louth GAA Team Visit with cup and SPORTS DAY 2022
- ➤ Monday 13th June 6th Class Hike
- > Tuesday 14th June Visit from Redeemer Athletics Club

Please note that Sports Day will be held on Friday 10th June on the School Field. We will be following the same format as last year, <u>running separately from RGS Sports Day and with pupils and staff only in attendance</u>. Last year's Sports Day went really well and the boys enjoyed the day immensely, with a wide variety of races being held for each class across the day.

6th Class Graduation

Our 6th Class pupils will have their last day with us on **Monday 20th June**. There will be a Graduation Ceremony held at the school for them at **1.15pm**. Parents are invited to attend this event.

The rest of the classes will finish on Friday 24th June at 12 noon.

Thank you for your continued support,

M.Murray