

BOM Agreed Report
28th April 2025

- Class allocations for the 2025-26 school year were approved by the BOM Junior & Senior Infants together, 1st Class Separately 2nd Class Separately, 3rd & 4th together and 5th & 6th together
- The Dept approved our SET and principal release hours combination and informed the school they may be in contact regarding matching the school with another school to make up the 2 remaining hours.
- All dates for staff EPV Days were approved
- Approval was given for the KDYS secondary school transition program to take place with 6th class on 13th & 20th of May.
- Approval was given for 5th & 6th class to visit Aughacasla Beach with Sea Synergia on 29th of May.
- Approval was given for Junior and Senior Infants to visit Fitzgerald's Dairy Farm as part of the Agri Aware host farms initiative.
- Approval was given for Tony Baloney puppeteer to visit the school on 16th of June.
- Approval was given for Mr. Doyle to attend OIDE ICT Summer Course training on 19th and 20th of May.
- The BOM was informed that the school had been accepted onto the Dept. of Social Welfare Hot School Meals programme. The BOM approved the establishment of a new current account to facilitate funds to pay for the hot school meals programme.
- The BOM was updated about the SET review.
- Approval was given for the school to take part in Girls Cumann na mBunscoil on 9th of May, Skills competition on 13th of May, Fr. Curtain Cup, a beach walk on the 11th of June and the school sports day on the 13th of June.
- The BOM congratulated Eoghan O'Driscoll on representing the school on the Kerry Cumann na mBunscoil football team at half time in the Kerry Cork Munster senior championship game.
- The BOM was updated on the parental survey on school uniforms. 82.5% of respondents were in favour of getting the new quarter zip top for the school uniform.
- The BOM approved the Bodibro quarter zip to replace the crested jumper
- The BOM was updated on the school car park with David explaining the design was progressing to applying for planning approval from Kerry County Council.
- The BOM was updated on the tender process for the building of the new classroom. 5 prospective consultants were contacted, Malachy Walsh, Jeremy Walsh Project Management, Sugrue Design, MRG Engineers and Crocon Engineers. David provided the BOM with a tender report and Jermy Walsh Project Management was appointed as the consultant after being the highest scoring tender.
- Permission was given for the school apply for Summer Works Scheme provided funds are available to pay for a report.
- An Energy Audit will take place on the 8th of May by Gleeds on behalf of the Dept of Education.
- The School Calendar was approved for the 2025-26 school year. Students will return on the 27th of August and the school year will end on the 19th of June 2026.
- The BOM was updated on the school accounts. David informed the BOM that there will be no Minor Works Grant paid this school year and no ICT grant has been paid yet.
- The BOM expressed its thanks to Paul McCannon who runs the Inver Petrol Station next door for putting the school forward for a €1000 community grant from Inver.
- The BOM congratulated Rachel Sheehy and Sharon Greaney on the births of their respective daughters.