BOM Meeting Agreed Report
24th September 2026

- A meeting of the BOM took place in the school on Thursday 26th September 2026.
- The BOM was informed that Denise Hennessy will cover the AP2 post while Sharon Greaney is on maternity leave.
- All leave requests and applications to attend in-service training days were approved by the BOM
- The school's Admission Policy and Annual Admission Notice was approved by the BOM
- The BOM was informed that the school had been accepted STEM project which is being run by Tralee Education Centre and was being funded by the Irish American Partnership.
- Permission was given for Crann Ireland to visit the school on Thursday 12th & Monday 16th to speak to the classes about Eco Literacy and Biodiversity and care of the natural world.
- The BOM was informed that the school was chosen to receive support in STEM this year for the implementation of new curriculum. School closures for this will take place on 8th of January, 31st of May and on the 23rd of February for Language Awareness.
- Christmas Performance will take place for infants to 2nd class on 16th December and on the 17th of December for 3rd to 6th class.
- Graduation for 6th class will take place on the 17th of June
- The PA will also run the Christmas Card fundraiser along with a School Calendar fundraiser prior to Christmas.
- Parent Teacher meetings will take place in January this school year
- The tender process to appoint builders for the construction of the school car park has begun with the closing date being 2nd of October.
- The stage 1/3 report for the additional classroom and SET room are still under review by the Dept of Education
- The BOM was informed that the Dept had informed the principal that the Dept had no objection to covering the cost through the Summer Works Scheme of the installation of new fencing and drainage of the school pitch, but the cost of the installation of an astro surface on the pitch would have to be covered from the BOM's own funds or through its own fundraising activities.
- Permission was given for the purchase of a Messy Play Area/Station for the infant room
- Permission was given for Flu Vaccines to be administered by Dr. Caitlin O'Connor to students on 30th of September.
- Permission was given for Gaelic Football coaching, triathlon coaching, gymnastics, tin whistle classes and the Cycle Right Programme to take place in the school.
- The BOM was informed that First Communion will take place on Saturday 1st of May, First Confession on 4th of March, Confirmation on Thursday 13th of May and a Grandparents Day Mass will take place on Thursday 11th of February.
- The BOM decided that a school Instagram Account should be setup due to the results of the survey where 75% of respondents felt a school Instagram account would be a positive thing to boost the schools profile.
- The BOM also discussed the establishment of a Before School and After School Service in the school building. The BOM decided to issue a survey to parents to gauge their interest in the service. If there was sufficient interest the BOM would then advertise to see if third party operators would be interested in providing the service in the school.