## **Summer Newsletter**

## Alison's Senior Infants 2024-25



We have had the most wonderful year in Senior Infants and I am so proud of each and every one of the children. They worked hard, made new friends, and had lots of fun along the way. We hope you enjoy looking back at some of our highlights.



The children wowed the crowds at their Winter Concert, and again during their class assembly, with their amazing singing and dancing. They really are such a talented bunch!







Fridays were special days in our classroom, when we got the chance to welcome in a Myster Reader. Each week we got to hear new stories, meet new people and learn about new things. We loved to see mums, dads and grandparents bring in some of their favourite stories and tell us why.



The visitors didn't just come on Fridays, we were lucky enough to have visits from some of our local Gardaí, our lollipop lady Trish, Harry Wood (Shelbourne FC) and Max to tell us all about his work as a pilot. These visits allowed us to make links with our local community and even meet our idols (you can decide for yourselves which ones they were!)

As we entered into Spring, we started to learn all about plants and how things grow. We started our 'green finger' journey by growing some cress and we loved to see the follow up cress sandwiches on Seesaw. Next, the children grew some runner beans and I believe the fruits of their labour are soon to appear with bean pods in the garden, so congrats!



## We loved dressing up and having fun!



Spooky times in Senior Infants!!!



St Patrick's Day celebrations

The highlight of each day was getting to engage in play (aistear). The children had great fun taking part in role play, messy play and construction.













We had a great time on our school tour to Newgrange Farm. The children loved getting to feed the baby lambs, meeting the animals around the farm, and especially their trip on the tractor when they kept leaving the farmer behind (how very cheeky of them)!



Art Day was another amazing day in our summer term. The children loved the wide variety of creative activities they could engage with. Once again, this was an opportunity for all of their talents to shine.





We ended the year on a high at our Sports Day; from obstacle courses, to egg and spoon races, the children showed amazing sportsmanship and cheered on each of their peers as the crossed the finish line.

This has been the most wonderful year. I hope all the children know how proud I am of them!

Happy Summer boys and girls!