



## SUMMER SOUVENIR SPECIAL Issue 4

Welcome to our Presentation Primary souvenir special newsletter - all the content was created by the hardworking girls in 6th class. They've stopped to look back at their 8 years -

lots of good memories and amazing achievements!

**2018-19**

Junior Infants

Teddy Bear's Picnic  
Copper Coast Farm

Senior Infants  
Seesaw for learning  
during Covid 19.

**2019-20**

1<sup>st</sup> Class

Picker Pals  
Making pizza with Ms Fetton.  
Mrs Cody's wedding on  
Zoom!

**2020-21**

2<sup>nd</sup> Class

First Holy  
Communion  
Reptile Village

**2021-22**

3<sup>rd</sup> Class

Peace Proms  
Chocolate Factory.

**2022-23**

4<sup>th</sup> Class

Knitting  
The Nativity Play  
FOTA Wildlife Park..

**2023-24**

5<sup>th</sup> Class

Fresh Today Fun Day  
Summer Quiz  
Walsh Park  
Watershed

**2024-25**

6<sup>th</sup> Class

Glass Factory  
Our Buddies  
Oliver Jr  
Tayto Park

**2025-26**

Sports

Over the past 3 years of camogie, we have gotten into 1 semi-final, 1 final and hopefully we win this year.

In March 2026, our basketball team represented our school at a basketball tournament in the Mercy.

Our 5th and 6th class Gaelic team went to Portlaw for a blitz and they got into the final against the Mercy. They went down to the Kill pitch and won the shield.

In 2024, we started football and in 2025 team A and B went to SETU for a match and team A got into the final and won second place. This was so much fun, we are going to miss it.

We started athletics in 2<sup>nd</sup> class, we have done it all the way to 6<sup>th</sup>. It was so much fun and challenging and we won so many medals at the RSC.

Arts

We have been doing ukulele over the past 3 years, it was fun and wonderful, we learnt many songs over the years with Conor. The teachers and girls have been preparing for Oliver Jr. Everyone has been doing amazing in the dances and songs which have been fun to do. All the girls who did the art made amazing backdrops for the show.

And not forgetting...

Learning For Life - from 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> class we have been attending SETU. We have participated in many fun activities and we really enjoyed the time, especially the food! On graduation week, Caromel won Student of the Year.

1-2 girls in 4th class get picked each year for the Green Schools Committee. They go to many meetings during the year to talk about how to make our school a greener and cleaner place. Our Green School Committee has earned us 8 Green School flags so far and hopefully we get our 9th flag soon.

The School of Sanctuary won the champion school of sanctuary award

2 girls from 6<sup>th</sup> Class, Rasa and Kerry, are on the Student Council. They went down to the Mercy to represent our school at the student council forum.

# We interviewed our 6<sup>th</sup> class teachers and we asked them a question each to find out a bit more about them. Read on.



## What would you be if you weren't a teacher and why?

Before I became a teacher, I studied English, history and archaeology as my undergraduate degree. I think if I didn't go into teaching after this, I'd maybe be a writer/author or doing an exciting dig on an ancient site somewhere in the world -or who knows, maybe I'd have become both; writing a book about some exciting part of history. If I had to pick something slightly more exciting-I went on my work experience in the MET office, it might be fun to think that I might have been a weather girl. lol.

-Ms Power

## What made you want to become a teacher?

From a young age all I wanted to be was a teacher. I used to have a blackboard and my friends and I would play school and practice all our maths and spellings. I think it is because of all the amazing teachers I had in the Presentation Primary School. I love working with children as I think it brings fun and enjoyment into my life. Teaching children keeps me feeling young and every day is full of laughs and loads of fun.

- Ms Fortune

## What's the best thing about teaching?

The best thing about teaching is that I get to have fun every day at work. Christmas time will always be magical no matter how old I am, or how old my children at home are. I will always get to experience the magic of Christmas because of my job. As a teacher you can choose whatever way you want to teach a new topic. You can make your lessons as fun and creative as you want. I am naturally a big child and I get to act like that at my job. I could not do that if I worked in an office. I love to make children feel happy and good about themselves. Having a positive impact on someone's life is amazing and I try to do that every day. I hope I succeed to do that! Overall, having fun and making a difference to childrens' lives are the best things about my job.

-Mrs McAra

## Saying Goodbye

The school year is coming to an end.  
We've had so much love and care  
With our friends we played pretend  
And grown to be kind and share.

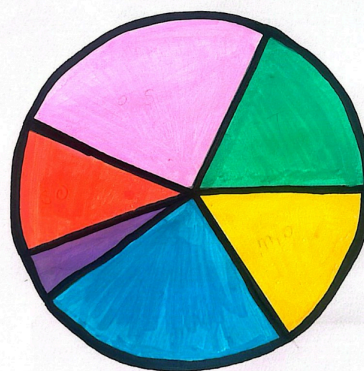
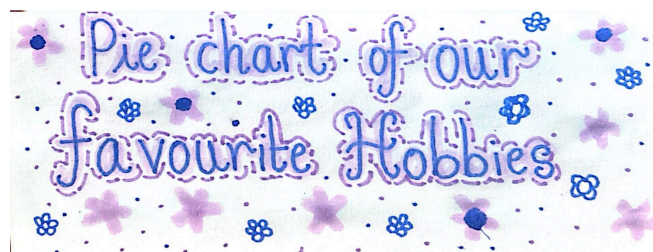
We've gone on loads of trips, can't wait for more!  
A ton of places, with lots of fun.

We've met so many people, friendships galore  
Jumping, running and playing in the sun

The memories we've made, make our hearts soar.  
Our memories are so true and pure.

Now that we are getting older we are starting to mature  
The Presentation is engraved into our memory's core

Thank you teachers for all these years.  
You helped us find our crew.  
Improved our social skills among our peers  
It was an honour to know you.



## Key

- Town
- Playing Sport
- Sleepovers
- Music + Drama
- Baking + Cooking
- Beach