



Béal Feirste

Chuaigh daltaí 4S ar a dturas go Béal Feirste Dé Luain agus Dé Máirt. Bhain siad an-sult as an turas seo.

Cispheil

Bhí cluichí cispheile ag an scoil don chéad uair riamh ar an Déardaoin. D'imir ár bhfoirne i gcoinne Scoil Mhuire (Claonadh). Bhí bua iontach ag foireann shinsireach na scoile. Ní raibh an t-ádh céanna ar fhoireann shóisearach na scoile agus cliseadh iad.

Bronnadh Céime Iardhaltaí

Gabhaimid comhghairdeas lenár n-iardhaltaí go léir agus iad i mbun bronnadh céime. Tháinig scéal chugainn an tseachtain seo gur bronnadh Baitsiléir san Eolaíocht agus sa Ghnó ar Keith Egan agus é ar scolaireacht gailf in Ollscoil Clayton State, Atlanta Meiriceá. Comhghairdeas leis.



Turas chuig an Iodáil
Cinntígí le bhur dtoil go bhfuil na foirmeacha ar fad fágtha ar ais sa scoil chomh luath agus is féidir. Caithfear costas iomlán an turais a íoc roimh dheireadh mí Eanáir.

Sacar na gCailíní

D'imir foireann faoi 15 na gcaoilíní i gcoinne Coláiste Woodbrook sa chorn an Aoine seo caite. Cluiche den chéad soth a bhí ann. Bhí na foirne cothrom 3-3 ag leath-ama. Chuaigh Woodbrook chun tosaigh 5-3 ach d'aimsigh ár gcaoilíní dhá chúl le comhscór a dhéanamh arís. Bronnadh cic éirice ar Woodbrook agus d'aimsigh siad cúl leis an gcic deireanach den chluiche. Bhí mí-ádh ceart ar na cailíní ach d'imir siad ar fheabhas.



Tithe Sinséir

Chruthaigh daltaí na hIdirbhliana tithe sinséir le déanaí sa rang Eacnamaíocht Bhaile.

Geansaithe na Nollag

D'eagraigh daltaí ón gcúigiú bliain 'Lá Geansaithe Nollag' sa scoil inniu (Dé hAoine) mar chuid de thionscnamh dá rang Reiligiúin. Tabharfaidh siad an t-airgead a bailíodh chuig Focas Ireland.



Carúil na Nollag

Beidh 30 dalta ón scoil ag canadh charúil na Nollag lasmuigh de Tesco Monread ar an Máirt agus ar an gCéadaoin an tseachtain seo chugainn. Beidh deis ag an bpobal taitneamh a bhaint as ár gcearúil Nollag agus aghaidh a chur ar GCCD.



Ceardlann Raidió RÍRÁ

Ghlac daltaí na hIdirbhliana páirt i gceardlann faoi chlár raidió a chur le chéile an tseachtain seo caite.

Druil Tine

D'éirigh go maith linn sa chéad druil tine don scoilbhliain seo le deanaí. Is cleachtadh tábhachtach atá i gceist ionas go mbeidh a fhios ag gach duine cad le déanamh i gcás éigeandála.



Basár

Tá daltaí ón dara bliain i mbun Basár Nollag a eagrú sa scoil ar an Máirt le hairgead a bhailiú ar son an 'Laura Lynn Foundation'. Iarraimid ar phobal na scoile tacú leis an imeacht seo. Beidh táirgí ar díol ar €2.

Lá gan éide scoile

Beidh lá gan éide scoile ar an 22 Nollaig ar mhaithe le hairgead a bhailiú do 'Blood Drive'.

Dátaí Tábhachtacha

19 Nollaig: Basár sa scoil.
19+20 Nollaig: Carúil na Nollaig.
22 Nollaig: Gaelfactor sa scoil.
23 Nollaig – 7 Eanáir 2018: Laethanta Saoire na Nollaig.

8 Eanáir 2018: Cúrsa Inseirbhíse don fhoireann faoin tSraith Shóisearach, scoil dúnta do na daltaí.

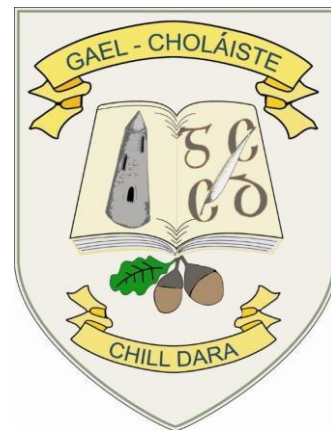
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Tá gach eolas reatha ar fáil ar www.gccd.ie.



Seanfocal na Seachtaine:

“Gheibheann pingin pingin eile”



Belfast

Students from 4S went on their trip to Belfast on Monday and Tuesday. They really enjoyed their trip.

Basketball

The school had our first ever basketball games on Thursday. Our teams played against Saint Mary's (Clane). Our senior team enjoyed a fantastic win. Our junior team weren't as fortunate as they eventually lost out to their hosts.

Awarding of Degrees on Past Students

We congratulate all our past students who are receiving their degrees at this time. We received a story this week that Keith Egan was awarded a Bachelor of Science and Business. Keith went on a golf scholarship to Clayton State University, Atlanta, America. Congratulations to him.



Trip to Italy

Please ensure all forms are returned to the school as soon as possible. The full cost of the trip must be paid before the end of January.

Soccer

The girls under 15 soccer team played against Woodbrook College in the cup competition last Friday. This was a top class entertaining game. The teams were level 3-3 at half time. Woodbrook College then established a 5-3 lead before our girls fought back with two goals to draw the game again. Woodbrook were awarded a penalty and, with the final kick of the game, they scored. Our girls were really unlucky but gave a fantastic performance.



Gingerbread Houses

The Transition Year students made gingerbread houses in Home Economics recently.

Christmas Jumpers

Students from fifth year organised a 'Christmas Jumpers Day' in the school today (Friday) as part of a project for their Religion class. All monies raised will go to Focus Ireland.



Christmas Carolling

30 students from the school will be singing Christmas carols outside Tesco Monread on Tuesday and Wednesday next week. The public will be able to enjoy our carols and get to know GCCD.



Raidió RíRá Workshop

Students from Transition Year participated in a workshop which centred around the process of putting a radio show together last week.

Fire Drill

We had a successful fire drill recently, the first one for this school year. The drills are very important so that everyone knows what to do in case of emergency.



Bazaar

Students from second year have organised a Christmas bazaar to take place in the school on Tuesday to collect money on behalf of the 'Laura Lynn Foundation'. We ask the school community to support this event. Goods will be on sale for €2.

Non-uniform day

There will be a non-uniform day on the 22nd December to collect money for 'Blood Drive'.

Important Dates

19 December: School Christmas bazaar.

19+20 December: Christmas carolling.

22 December: Gaelfactor.

23 December – 7 January 2018: Christmas Holidays.

8 January: Staff In-service Training Day, school closed to students.

19 February: Staff in-service day about the new Junior Cycle, school closed to students.

All up-to-date information available on www.gccd.ie.



Seanfhocal na Seachtaine: "A penny gets another penny"