# 3. Nuachtlitir

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# Reminder: Early school closure Monday October 3rd at 12 noon

The school will close at 12 noon on Monday October 3rd to facilitate in-service training for teachers. *Collection time* Junior and Senior Infants plus siblings: 11.50 a.m. Bus children: 11.55 a.m.

All others: 12 noon

# Parents Association Fun Walk October 2nd at 2 p.m.

The Parents Association have organised a Fun Walk up Corrin Hill on Sunday, October 2nd at 2 p.m. Sponsorship cards can be returned on the day or to the school office. Thank you for your support! All funds raised will be used for student activities.

## School Photographer

A school photographer (County Photos) will come to the school Tuesday October 11th. We will take photographs of children in <u>Junior Infants and 6th Class</u>, individually, with their siblings and class groups. Parents will get sample photographs to view but there is no obligation to purchase photographs. Please ensure that your child/children is/are wearing full uniform (including tie) on Tuesday October 11th. If parents of children from other classes wish to have photographs taken please contact Anke.

Please complete permission on Aladdin Connect.

## **Punctuality**

Teaching starts at 9.20 a.m. Please ensure that your child is in school by 9.17 a.m. at the latest to allow children to get organised for class.

## **Tracksuits**

We still have tracksuits in the office that were ordered by parents. If, for any reason, you do not need them anymore please let us know so that we can offer these to other parents who wish to purchase additional tracksuits.

# Acceptable Use Policy (AUP) Consent

Thank you to all families who have completed the 8 sections of AUP consent on Aladdin. There are some outstanding and we are asking everyone to check that you have all parts of this consent submitted.

## Healthy Eating

We are currently working on healthy eating with the children in their SPHE lessons and we are implementing our revised Healthy Eating Policy. Well done to all the pupils who have started bringing water to school for drinking throughout the day. From Monday October 3rd, we respectfully ask that children do not bring any treats (biscuits, sweets, cakes, buns, cereal bars, pastries, dessert type yogurts etc.) in lunch boxes. We encourage them to bring more fruit and vegetables instead. On Fridays only, parents, should they wish, may include ONE small item from the top shelf of the Food Pyramid in their child's lunch box. Please see the school website for more details on healthy eating and the new food pyramid. We thank you for your support and cooperation with our efforts to promote healthy eating in school.

## Upcoming events

- Rescheduled Junior Infants Parent Information evening Monday, October 3rd at 8 p.m. in Scoil Bhríde
- Rescheduled East Cork Schools Cross Country Friday, October 7th at 11 a.m.
- Open Evening for St. Colman's College Fermoy Thursday, October 20th

Mise le meas, Mairéad Uí Íomhair.