# Gaelscoil Uí Earcáin, Bóthar Uí Mhaoilíosa, Fionnghlas.

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# Nuachtlitir Feabhra 2 2007

A thuismitheoir/ chaomhnóir, a chara,

### > Cruinniú Tuismitheoirí/ Múinteoirí

Beidh na cruinnithe tuismitheoirí/ múinteoirí ar an Déardaoin 1ú Márta. Parent Teacher Meeting will be held on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> of March. Times to follow.

#### > Obair Bhaile

Beidh agus tá leabhair ag dul abhaile le na páistí. Is leabhair taithí léitheoireachta iad seo, go háirithe na cinn Gaeilge. Ciallaíonn sé seo gur leabhair iad a léann an tuismitheoir ós ard lena gcuid páistí. Níl ar an bpáiste gach focal atá iontu a léamh. Nuair atá an tuismitheoir ag léamh an leabhar ós ard don pháiste is féidir leo labhairt faoi cad atá ag tarlú sa scéal, faoi na litreacha atá ag déanamh suas na focail sna leabhair agus an leabhar a cheangailt isteach le saol a bpáiste féin. Ba cheart do pháistí Naíonáin Mhóra a bheith ag léamh cuid de na focail as a gcuid leabhair agus a bheith ag aithint focail. Níl na Naíonáin Bheaga ach ag léamh cúpla focal go dtí seo. Má tá aon chabhair ag teastáil leis seo ná bíodh aon drogall ar aon tuismitheoir ceist a chur ar an múinteoir ranga.

The children in Senior Infants have been getting books sent home for the past while and the children in Junior Infants are going to be getting books sent home in the near future. These books are language experience books especially the Irish ones. This means that the books are ones that the parent reads aloud with their child. When the parent is reading the book to their child they should try and talk about what is happening in the story, talk about the letters which are making up the words on each page, recognize and point out the way letters make up the words and to try and relate the book back to the child's own experiences. The children in Senior Infants should be able to recognize words from their books and should be able to read some of the sentences in their books. The children in Junior Infants need the letters of the words to be pointed out to them as they are only beginning the reading process. They will be learning to read new words every week. If any help is needed in connection with any of these reading strategies do not hesitate to ask either of the class teachers.

## > Fillteáin Gorm/ Blue folders

Fuair gach páiste fillteán gorm ón scoil ag tús na bliana. Tugadh an fillteán le haghaidh nuachtlitireacha ón scoil, cóipleabhar obairbhaile agus na leabhair léitheoireachta. Bhí muid ag súil go stopfaidh sé seo aon dochar ag tarlú do na leabhair srl. Bíodh an fillteán i mála do pháiste gach lá. Ós rud é go bhfuil tuistí ag íoc cíos do na leabhair seo, beidh gá le n-íoc as aon leabhar atá scrioste.

Each child received a blue folder at the start of the school year. This folder was given for school letters, homework copies and school readers. It was hoped that these folders would prevent the school readers etc. being damaged by drinks, yogurts etc. Please make sure your child has their folder every day. As parents are only renting these books, badly damaged books will have to be replaced.

## > Text-a-Parent.

Ba mhaith linn córas text-a-parent a thriail chun teachtaireachtaí a chur abhaile. An féidir le gach clann uimhir mobile amháin a phiocadh?

The school would like to introduce text-a-parent as a means of passing on messages between school and home. Could each family pick one mobile phone no. that would be used?

## > Oíche Cheoil sa Jolly Toper ar an 16/3/2007

Beidh oíche cheoil sa Jolly Toper ar an Aoine 16 Márta ag 8.30pm. The Parents' Committee are organising a fundraiser on Friday  $16^{th}$  March in The Jolly Toper pub.

## > Tuismitheoirí ag tacú leis an scoil/ Parents supporting the school:

Tá go leor tuistí ag cuidiú leis an scoil ar bealaí éagsúla. Míle Buíochas do na daoine sin. A big thank you to all those who are helping the school in various ways.

## > Airgead le h-ioc/ Monies owed;

Tá roinnt tuistí nach bhfuil airgead do leabhar scoile agus rince íoctha acu. An miste libh an t-airgead a chur isteach gan a thuilleadh moille le bhur dtoil?

There are still some parents who have not sent in the money for schoolbooks and Irish dancing. Could you please send in the money without further delay?

# > Cnoc Copair/ Copper Mountain:

Méid/ Total: €678.00

# > <u>Ticéid Bhus Átha Cliath/ Dublin Bus Tickets:</u>

Méid/ Total: €37.30

Ar scáth a chéile, a mhairimid! Leah agus An Fhoireann