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The Pupil's Post

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Happy New Year from all of 6th Class!

HAPPY NEW YEAR EVERYBODY!!!!!!!!!!!!

We have moved in to the new school for five weeks now and I say everybody LOVES it. ❤️ I think it is sad that the new school is knocked down but the new one is even better. Even though the old school is knocked down it will never take away our memories. All the cake sales and stuff in the yard and good memories we've had with our friends in our classrooms. But hopefully there will be better memories to come in the new school. We have to say thanks to all the teachers, builders, SNAs and our lovely principal for the lovely new school. But we will not forget all the pupils who had the patience and support to help make our wonderful school.



Editors' Comments

Hi everyone! Happy New Year, and welcome to Ms Carthy's 6th class edition of Pupil's Post.

First of all we would like to thank everyone who contributed to this edition of The Pupil's Post. It was very hard to decide which articles to use as they were all great, so we hope nobody is upset if theirs wasn't used. We would also like to thank Peter from Spar Old Court who sponsored a page in this edition.

Ms Carthy's class are doing this month's Pupil's Post. This Pupil's Post is filled with stories, riddles, facts on celebrities and much more. We worked very hard on this issue and we spent lots of time putting it together, so we hope you enjoy it. Good luck with our competitions!

This month's editors – Shane and Marianne

An Interview with Mr. Cannon by Danielle, Natalie & Rachel

Q: How many past pupils children came to the school?

A: "20 came back to the school."

Q: When you started working here how many pupils were in the school?

A: "2 classes and 50 pupils between them both."

Q: When did you decide to become a principal?

A: "Just happened."

Q: What was the smallest and largest class size ever?

A: "The largest was 52 and the smallest was 16."

Q: If you picked a teacher of the month who would it be?

A: "Obviously Ms. Carthy! But if I was in a different class it would be their teacher!"

Q: How do you feel being the principal of Holy Rosary?

A: "It's an honour."

Q: How long have you been waiting for the new school?

A: "25 years."

Q: How do you feel about the new school being knocked down?

A: "Delighted!"

Q: What is your favourite thing about the new school?

A: "My favourite thing is that Ms. Durcan is upstairs and away from me!"

Q: How did you feel when the boys went to Croke Park?

A: "Delighted that we went but disappointed that we lost."

Q: What would you like to be if you were not a principal?

A: "Maybe a lawyer."

Q: Who is your main idol?

A: "John F. Kennedy."



Interesting Facts about Fennec Foxes by Julia

Did you know ... ?

- Fennec foxes can be found purring like a cat when they are happy.
- They are very social animals and live in colonies in the wild of up to 10 other foxes.
- Fennec foxes are the smallest wild canid (a canid is an animal related to foxes, dogs, etc.).
- Fennecs must remain warm and will shiver if the air temperature goes below 68 degrees Fahrenheit.
- Fennec foxes can climb out of outdoor enclosures, and dig up to twenty feet underground at night.



The Deb Brothers by Titas

One day in America there were two brothers. Their names were Johnny and James Deb and they were twins. They were found in a basket on an orphanage's doorstep when they were 2 years old. The orphanage took them in and raised them. The orphanage was full of nuns and orphans and the Deb brothers found it hard to settle in. Nobody was allowed outside, and most of the nuns were so mean but not all of them. The Deb brothers always wanted to go outside. One day an orphan named Billy went up to them and told them there was a secret hatch behind the fridge that lead outside so they thought of going through it. About a week later they were told they were going on a trip up the mountains and that they were going to camp there. They had to get ready. They put in all of their stuff in their backpack and set off. The head nun wore black all the time and she had a walking stick and if anyone did anything bad she would hit their hands with it. They were collected by their local taxi driver — his name was Alan Burgundy and he was very nice. He gave Johnny and James sweets every time he came to the orphanage. The twins looked up to him like a father. He told them stories about when he was in the US Army. He told a story once about his wound. He was shot 9 times and he survived—3 in the chest, 3 in the leg and 3 in the other leg. It took a year and a half for his wounds to heal so after that he had to quit the US Army and become something easier so he became a taxi driver.

When they arrived up the mountain everyone got their bags and started making tents. Johnny and James never learned how to make tents so they volunteered to collect wood instead. After a few minutes of collecting wood they found a swing attached to a tree. Both of them went to have a go. After a while they realized they had to go back to the camp, but every time they got closer they smelled smoke. When they found the camp everything was on fire. Everyone started screaming and Johnny and James fainted on the floor. Alan was wondering where Johnny and James were when he saw them lying on the floor. He picked them up, put them in his taxi and rushed off to the hospital. When they were in the hospital two random people came in who wanted to talk to Johnny and James. Johnny and James had never seen those men before but the men had told them their parents had died in a car crash in Las Vegas. Johnny and James became very sad, but in the end Alan Burgundy decided to adopt them and they started a new family.

The End.

Crazy One Direction Facts! By Natalie

1. Harry came up with the name One Direction.
2. Louis has 4 younger sisters.
3. Niall cried while watching Finding Nemo.
4. Liam cried while watching Toy Story 3.
5. If Zayn wasn't in One Direction he would be an English teacher.
6. Louis's middle name is William.
7. Harry's middle name is Edward.
8. Liam and Niall's middle name is James.



Complete the Wordsearch by Ann

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O X D J Q Q E G B Z O W J T B J U R S L R D U
S D V L T S W Q Z U C K K Z Y H T R A C S R M
J N B N A T Z F T Q O N W P G U S R E N F T O
L O O H C S Y R A M I R P Y R A S O R Y L O H
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P E O K R O W E M O H T L T G R P K X D Q B S
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Building

Classroom

Holy Rosary Primary School

Homework

Junior Infants

Mr Cannon

Mrs Carthy

Ms Durcan

New School

School books

Sixth Class

Tallaght

Messi facts by Titas

- ◆ Lionel Messi was born on the 24th of June 1987 in Rosarrgio, Argentina
- ◆ Messi's father Jorge was a steelworker, and he also coached the local football team.
- ◆ Messi played for Gandoli (his father's club) at the age of five
- ◆ Messi scored more than 300 goals for Barcelona, more than 200 of them were La Liga matches.
- ◆ Messi has scored more than 20 hat-tricks in his young career.
- ◆ Messi was the top scorer in the Champions League in 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012.



Man United vs. Tottenham by Darragh

On the 1st of January 2014 Man United had to face Tottenham Hotspur at home, and it was to be a thrilling match that could go any way.

The referee blew the whistle and the game got under way. There were some nerve wrecking shots that put the fans on the edge of their seats for the first 30 minutes. Suddenly Spurs broke and counter attacked, Eriksen got the ball and crossed it into the box, the one man in the box for Spurs was Adebayor, and he headed the ball into that lonely net in the 34th minute. Spurs 1, Man United 0.

As they finished up the first half, Man United really needed David Moyes to give them a good team talk. Man United came out as good as ever, but Spurs came out every bit as eager to win and you couldn't stop Eriksen's goal from going in. Lennon was running down the wing and crossed it in, then Eriksen got on the end of it and headed it in. He scored in the 66th minute which made Man United fans mad because David Moyes's team talk didn't work. But things were about to change for Man United, as they pressed and pressed for a goal. Spurs 2, Man United 0.

Just a minute later Welbeck got a through ball and chipped the keeper in the 67th minute. Welbeck grabbed the football in his hands and sprinted to the centre spot, waiting for the referee to kick off again. For the next 20 minutes, Man United kept on trying but they weren't successful in any of their chances. The referee blew the whistle for the last time in the match, Spurs were once again victorious. The game had finished, Spurs 2, Man United 1.

JOKES

by Christopher White

Why did the boy
bring a ladder to
school?

He wanted to go to
high school.

Why did the girl
spread peanut butter
on the road?

To go with the traffic
jam!

Where do pencils go
for vacation?

Pencil-vania.

COMPETITION PAGES

Hi, I'm Olaf and I like warm hugs.

Colour me in!

By Danielle



Riddles by Ahmed

1. There is a wolf, a sheep and grass, and there is only one boat that can bring you and an animal across and come back. The wolf can eat the sheep if you leave them alone and the sheep will eat the grass. How do you get all the animals to the other side without eating each other?

2. What five-letter word becomes shorter when you add two letters?

3. Why did the boy bury his flashlight?

4. Which letter of the alphabet has the most water?

5. What has to be broken before you can use it?



Match the teacher with their sayings!!

Mr. Carthy

living end

Mr. McGowan

give it socks

Mr. Cloherty

suffering ducks

Mrs. Carthy

fairy clap

Mr. O' Brien

are you feeling poorly

Ms. Egan

drop your weapons

Prizes to be won!!

For all your answers put your name and class on the back of them, cut them out and keep them safe to be collected later.

Competition Winners!!

Colouring Competition:

1st Place—Melisa, Mr. Cadigan's 5th Class

2nd Place—Lily O' Connor, Mr. Cadigan's 5th Class

Teacher of the Month!!

Ms McGrath



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