

RATHFARNHAM



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Weekly Update 22nd September 2022

Admissions to RETNS 2023 – 2024

The school's **Admission Policy and Annual Admission Notice** are available on the school website.

Parents and guardians who wish to enrol their children into Junior Infants for the school year 2023/2024 are asked to complete the online **Junior Infants Admissions Form**. This form will be available from 1st October 2022 until 23.59 on 31 October 2022.

Applications received after 31 October 2022 will be processed as late applications.

The **Admissions Form Senior Infants to Sixth Class** will be available from 1 January 2023 up to 31st March 2023. Applications received after 31st March 2023 will be treated as late applications.

Wet Weather

This was the first day of this school year when children arrived at school in the rain. A surprising number of children were not wearing coats. Please ensure your child brings a coat to school every day.

Parking outside the School

A reminder that parking on the pavement is illegal. It is also dangerous. Yesterday I spoke to a number of people who were illegally parked. Some were child-minders or grandparents. Please pass on the message that no one should park on the pavement.

The carpark within the school grounds can also be a dangerous place. Please ensure small children stay with you when collecting older siblings.

The Walking Bus

Thank you to all parents/ guardians who have volunteered to 'drive' the walking bus. Volunteers are always needed. If you would be willing to take your turn, please contact Carol at info@retns.ie.

The first Walking Bus of the year is tomorrow Friday 23 September. We hope to see as many families as possible at one of the 5 meeting points. All of the Groups will then meet

together at the playground gate (Loreto park) 8.45am approx. and walk to the School together to be greeted by Staff & Volunteers

Here are this week's drivers:

| <i>Bus stop</i> | <i>Location</i> | <i>Meeting time</i> | <i>Departure time</i> | <i>Bus driver</i> |
|-----------------|---|---------------------|-----------------------|---|
| 1 | <i>Pedestrian gate between Aranleigh + Grange Downs</i> | 8:30 | 8:35 | <i>Clíodhna</i> |
| 2 | <i>Pedestrian gate at the top of Loreto Park</i> | 8:35 | 8:40 | <i>As above</i> |
| 3 | <i>Daybreak, Barton Road</i> | 8.20 | 8.25 | <i>No driver</i> |
| 4 | <i>Nutgrove, Argos</i> | 8:35 | 8:40 | <i>Shonagh/Helen/Carole</i> Shonagh.byrne@gmail.com |
| 5 | <i>Junction Nugent/Whitehall Rd</i> | 8.30 | 8.35 | <i>Niamh Kelly</i> |

Extra-curricular Activities – Supervisor Needed

The Parents' Association is in the process of organising Extra-Curricular Activities for the children of RETNS. In order for the ECA to take place on Tuesdays, it requires a supervisor. The role is paid and would be 2:30-3:30 on Tuesday afternoons. Ideally, and for the ECA to start in the next couple of weeks, the person taking on the role would already have Garda vetting for the school.

If however you don't have Garda vetting but are available and interested, then please get in touch with Carole Bray at carolescullion@gmail.com

Please see below a basic outline of supervisor duties.

Basic duties include:

- Escorting 1st/2nd class children to their EC activities.
- Taking the roll call for all classes (and locating missing children!)
- Being available to provide assistance to each EC teacher and participating children.
- Being the point of contact for parents during Supervision times.
- Maintaining the Supervisor log book/Incident reports.
- Ensuring all children are collected after classes finish.

Frásaí na Seachtaine –

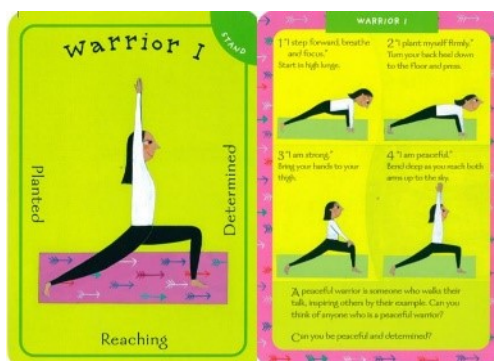
Fáilte ar ais.

Maidin mhaith.

Go deas thú a fheiceáil.

Áon scéal agat?

Yoga Pose – Warrior 1



Sancta Maria Open Night rescheduled – please see flyer below

Newpark Comprehensive School Annual Admission Notice

Newpark Comprehensive School Annual Admission Notice in respect of admissions to the 2023/2024 school year is now published on the school website.

The school will commence accepting applications for admission to first year 2023/2024 on 3rd October 2022. The School shall cease accepting applications for admission to first year 2023/2024 on 28th October 2022.

All application information can be found on newparkschool.ie/admissions.

Rosemount Mulvey FC – see flyers Below

Le dea-ghuí

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SANCTA MARIA COLLEGE OPEN NIGHT



*Sancta Maria College would like to
welcome all students from 4th, 5th & 6th
Class along with their parents to their
open night Thursday 29th September
2022 7pm -9pm*

SANCTA MARIA COLLEGE, BALLYROAN, RATHFARNHAM
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GIRLS ONLY ACADEMY

EVERY SUNDAY

10AM - 11AM

GIRLS AGED 4 - 10 YEARS

ROSEMOUNT PARK

€5 PER CHILD

KEEP AN EYE ON OUR SOCIAL MEDIA IN CAUSE RAIN STOPS PLAY



RMFC ACADEMY

Every Saturday

Boys and girls ages 4 to 10

10:00am to 11:00 am

Rosemount Park

Keep an eye on our social media in case rain stops play