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Dear Parents,

A reminder that our annual Monster March will be held next Wednesday morning (24th) and the Parents Association is looking for your support. Cards and money to be returned to the hall in the school on the morning. Thank you.

A big welcome to Ms. Ellen Hanley from Cashel, Co. Tipperary who was appointed by the Board of Management recently. We hope she has a fruitful and happy time here with us.

Well done to the boys and girls football teams who made it through to the Cumann na mBunscol semi-finals this week. Unfortunately the boys were defeated by a stronger team on the day and while the girls competed well and showed great improvement throughout the competition, they also lost in a close and hard-fought game. Well done to our captains this year – Patrick Nolan and Caroline Roche – and thanks to Ms. Purcell for her work with the footballers.

If you are paying for anything by cheque (it is a good idea) and you have children in different classrooms, please pay for your children separately. It can be very difficult for teachers to split the amount between classrooms and provide change etc. As a general rule, it is best to send in the exact amount in a separate, marked envelope. Your cooperation facilitates the smooth running of the school and frees the teachers to concentrate on teaching and learning. Thank you.

Thanks to the parents of the Junior and Senior Infants for making the time to come to a meeting in the school recently on the promotion of reading and the importance of the link between home and school. There was a great attendance and we hope that the children will benefit from our work together. Well done to Mrs. Roche, Ms. Purcell and Ms. O'Brien for their work on the night.

The Parents Association A.G.M. was held recently and I look forward to working with the committee this year to carry on the good work from previous years and to continue the development of our school community.

Our 2nd Class had their first mass recently in preparation for their First Communion. Many thanks to those from the parish and Ms. Denieffe for their valuable work with the children.

All pupils will finish at 2 p.m. on Friday of next week (26th) because the teachers will be having a meeting. School will be closed for midterm the following week.

Please find attached an important letter from the Board of Management.

Yours faithfully,

Principal