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*Mission Statement*

*As a Catholic school, our mission is  
to develop the intellectual, emotional, physical and spiritual aspects of each child  
and encourage everyone to respect themselves and one another.*

*We value each person while working to provide a supportive environment  
for all pupils to learn and play in harmony together.*

5<sup>th</sup> February 2010

Dear Parents,

Please give the following matters your close attention.

We have been advised by the HSE that the planned swine flu vaccination clinic for this school will not take place for at least another few weeks. In the meantime and because there has recently been a suspected case of swine flu in the school community you are invited to attend the vaccination clinic in St. Dympna's, Carlow at the following times:

Junior & Senior Infants	Monday, 8 <sup>th</sup> February	10 a.m. – 12 p.m.
1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Classes	Monday, 8 <sup>th</sup> February	1 p.m. – 3 p.m.
3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Classes	Friday, 12 <sup>th</sup> February	10 a.m. – 12 p.m.
5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> Classes	Friday, 12 <sup>th</sup> February	1 p.m. – 3 p.m.

While this may be disruptive for you and the school, it is recommended that you attend for vaccination. Those with more than one child in the school may bring their children to the one clinic.

There have also been suspected cases of chickenpox in the school. If you think your child has chickenpox, you should contact your doctor and arrange for the diagnosis to be confirmed. Many children with chickenpox are too sick to attend school and are more comfortable at home. Children with spots that are crusted and dried can safely attend school. Those in the early stages of pregnancy who are concerned about chickenpox are advised to seek medical advice.

If you are looking for any further advice on medical matters, please contact your family doctor or local health clinic.

Yours faithfully,

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Principal