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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.*

24th June 2013

Dear Parents,

We will say a formal goodbye to our 6th Class this evening with a Mass for them in the school at 7:30 p.m. I would like to take this opportunity on behalf of all the school staff to wish each and every one of them well for the rest of their schooldays and the rest of their lives. Our end of year Mass for all other classes will take place in the school on Wednesday morning (26th) at 10:15 a.m., preceded by a presentation to 6th Class from the Parents Association. Parents of all children are welcome to join us.

If you have recently changed address please ring the school immediately to avoid post being sent to the wrong place. Thank you.

Your child's school report was posted home on Friday last and booklists for next year's classes were issued a couple of weeks ago. These booklists will also be posted on the school website if you need them during the holidays. To facilitate parents Jones Business Systems in Carlow also has our booklists online. Visit www.carlowschoolbooks.ie, click on the Book Lists tab, choose Leighlinbridge NS and then the class. The books can be ordered and collected in one go when they are ready. This is purely a facility and you are still free to buy the books from any other outlet that you choose.

We are still concerned about staffing levels for the school year 2014/15 as we are just a few pupils short of the level needed to retain the existing number of teachers for that year. These pupils need to be enrolled by September this year. If you (or someone you know) has a child who was born before 30/9/09 but are unsure whether to start them in September this year or wait until next year, please let me know and we can explore if it might be possible for them to enrol for the coming September. Thank you.

More news can be found as always at www.leighlin.net under Latest School News.

As we approach the end of another year I would like to thank all those who help to keep the school running so well, including those who volunteer their time and efforts in many ways, members of the Board of Management and the Parents Association. I especially want to thank the teachers for their hard work and for all the dedication, care and attention that they give to your children.

If your child is involved here please take note - for the first couple of weeks in September (until Friday 13th), Junior Infants will finish each day at 12.30 p.m.

Pupils will finish for the summer at 12 noon this Friday, 28th June and school will reopen for all on Thursday, 29th August.

Finally, I would like to thank so many of you for your words of support particularly during the past couple of weeks and I hope that during the summer you all find some time for yourselves to relax and recharge your batteries.

Yours faithfully,

Principal