



10<sup>th</sup> March 2025



# NUAHT NA CROISE NAOFA

## Bookfair and School Closures

Many thanks to all families who purchased books at the school book fair last week and today. Carina also said how impressed she was with all of the Holy Cross children throughout and how respectful and mannerly they were! The final day for purchasing books is tomorrow, Tuesday. Some books that were out of stock have been ordered and will hopefully arrive before then.

Reminder: The school will close at 12:30pm this Friday for all classes to facilitate Bí Cineálta (anti-bullying) training for staff. The school will re-open next Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> March after the St. Patrick's Day Bank Holiday.



## PHOTOS OF THE WEEK



We had lots of lovely events to mark World Book Day last week. The two photos above are Ms. O'Shea's Senior Infants and Ms. Kennedy's Rang 1 visiting Dundrum Library, kindly escorted by Ms. Faulkner's Rang 6. Ms. Faulkner's Rang 6 also buddied up with Junior Infants for some shared reading - more photos of that later in the Nuachtlitir!



## Hurling / Camogie Training

We have had great success on the GAA fields over the last few years in Holy Cross. Trips to Croke Park to support our wonderful teams will live long in the memory for us all but what is more important is seeing so many children out having fun and trying their best with their friends while representing their school. The numbers of children representing Naomh Olaf and other local GAA clubs has risen in recent years which is also fantastic to see.

The 2025 Hurling and Camogie seasons will begin in the coming weeks and in preparation, Mr. Fitz and the teachers have arranged for Camogie and Hurling training to take place for all children from Rang 3 to Rang 6 on Tuesday mornings in the school yard. Any girl or boy from these classes who would like to play on the school teams or who would just like to come along and try hurling or camogie is welcome. Training will take place at 8:15am in the senior yard every Tuesday morning until the Easter holidays. Many thanks to all of the teachers involved for giving of their time so freely and with such enthusiasm to facilitate GAA in our school.

## **Easter Camp**

Unfortunately there will be no Holy Cross Easter Camp this year. The HC Camp will return however in the first week in July. More info on booking a place in this camp will be released closer the time.



Well done to all of the girls who represented Holy Cross so well in last week's Senior and Junior Hockey matches. The girls played their heart out and really enjoyed the competition. Maith sibh!

## Seachtain na Gaeilge 2025

Beidh SNAG ar siúl i Scoil na Croise Naofa an tseachtain seo chugainn (18ú - 21ú Márta). Beidh tuilleadh eolais ón gCoiste Gaelbhratach i Nuachtlitir na seachtaine seo chugainn faoi na himeachtaí éagsúla ar fad!

Seachtain  
na Gaeilge

Seachtain na Gaeilge will take place in Holy Cross next week (18<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> March). The Coiste Gaelbhratach will have more info in next week's Nuachtlitir about all of the various activities!



## Rang 6 - Junior Infant Buddy Reading

