



**NEWSLETTER**  
**04/09/2026**



First full week of the school year down and the children appear to be happy to have a semblance of routine once again. Many of the initiatives, programmes and extra curricular activities that we do here kick off again in earnest next week so we'll be full throttle once again.

### **ALLENWOOD CAMPUS COMMUNITY DAY**

Reminder of the Community Day taking place in the Allenwood Campus tomorrow from 1:00am to 4:00pm

### **SACRAMENTS**

The Parish have released the dates for Confirmation and First Holy Communion for this school year.

#### **Confirmation**

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> April at 11am in Allenwood Church

#### **First Communion**

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> May at 11am in Allenwood Church

### **AFTER SCHOOL**

Monday - U11s hurling training  
Tuesday - U11s Girls football training  
Thursday - Computer club with Mrs. Bell  
Friday - U11s Boys football training

### **POLICIES**

The Staff have recently reviewed the schools Dignity at work policy and created a Respectful Engagement Policy. These are both uploaded to the schools website for parents input for the next 7 days.

We are also conducting our annual review of our Child Safeguarding Statement. Please complete the following Google Form for parental participation in the process:

[Click Here](#)

### **COILL DUBH HURLING CLUB**

Coill Dubh Hurling Club are starting a Hurling Nursery for boys and girls aged 3 - 6 starting tomorrow morning. See attached flyer

## SUPERVISION

Our insurance company, Allianz, have advised the following circular:

*The school will open to receive pupils at the hour of 8:50 am and cannot accept responsibility for pupils arriving before that time. Classes will commence each day at 9.00 am and end at 2:40 pm. Parents who wish to have their children escorted home should make their own arrangements to have them met at the school gate and the person to escort them should be at the school not later than 2:40p.m. as the school cannot accept responsibility for looking after the children after that time. Please contact the office if you have any concerns or objections around this arrangement.*

## VETTING

If anyone wishes to get vetted for the school for the purposes of volunteering, lifts to matches etc then 'Vetting Invitation Forms' can be acquired from and must be returned to the school office.

## EARLY COLLECTION

If you wish to collect your child early please ensure that you go directly to the school office in the back building. Carol or Fionuala will then bring your son/daughter to meet you. Parents should not collect their child directly from the classrooms, for Child Protection reasons. Ensure also that 'early collection' is noted on Aladdin.

*Bain sult as an deireadh seachtaine 's as lá an phobail*



September