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SCHOOL NEWSLETTER JUNE 2021

GRADUATION

We hope to hold a small **Graduation Ceremony on Friday next June 18th**. This is a celebration of the time that the Sixth Class pupils have spent here in Mayo Abbey N.S. We wish them every success as they move on to the next stage of their education.

The 6th Class children will plant a class tree on the school grounds. Because of Public Health Guidelines, only the parents of the 6th class children will be allowed to attend. We hope to have the tree planting at 2.45pm. We wish our 6th class children:- **Áine, Amy, Isobella, Kate, Maddison, Charlie, Cillian, Dáire, Dara, James, Lee, Niall, Oran and Ryan** all the best as they start on the next chapter of their lives.

SPORTS DAY

We plan to hold our Annual Sports Day tomorrow, Wednesday June 15th. This is a fun day with a little competition and activities such as sprints, egg-and-spoon races, wheelbarrow races, sack races, mixed class relays, potato picking, long jump, basketball shots, penalty kicking, fill the basin, target throwing etc. The emphasis on this day is on fun and enjoyment and physical activity. Hopefully the sun will shine and the rain will stay away (at least until 3 o'clock!). Please come prepared for wet and dry weather and apply sunscreen as we will be outside for most of the day.

FIRST CONFESSION

Congratulations to the children in 2nd class who received the sacrament of reconciliation on June 1st. We wish the children every blessing as they prepare for their 1st Holy Communion which will happen in September.

BOOK LISTS

Book Lists for the new school year (2021-2022) will be distributed before the school closes for the summer holidays. The book lists will also be available on the school website.

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTION

Thanks to everyone who has paid the voluntary family contribution this year. This money is needed for the day to day running of the school as Department grants do not cover the full cost of basics such as electricity, oil, insurance etc.

Receipts have been issued for this payment. If you have not received a receipt please call the school and a receipt will be issued to you.

SCHOOL CLOSURES

Thursday 17th June : School closes 12.30 (Staff meeting)

Friday 25th June: School closes 12.30 (Summer Holidays)

Wednesday 1st September: School re-opens for new school year!