



Lena the leprechaun was so impressed with the kindness of our boys and girls.



Our parade to celebrate St. Patricks Day

## *Inside the Issue*

### THANK YOU CONOR

For all your hard work & dedication to our school!

### RECENT RECAP

Core Value: Kindness  
Aistear: The Vet

### COMING UP

Core Value: Responsibility  
Aistear: Fairytale

## A Word from Niall

It has been so great to be back. We were only back in school for one month but we packed so much in. From mini-parades, to science experiments to loads of outdoor learning. In the final term we can look forward to more outdoor learning, Active Schools weeks, and maybe even a school tour! (restrictions permitting). We also look forward to meeting our new Support Teacher in the final term. Have a lovely Easter break and see you all on April 12th!.

*Niall*



Science Project this week



POWER HOUR - The pupils work in small groups on reading, writing and wordwork skills.

#### BOARD MEETING ITEMS - 23rd March 2021

- Interviews will be held in the coming days for Support teacher role for the final term
- The architect has drawn up a report outlining the most suitable accommodation prospects for our new temporary accommodation. We are awaiting further instruction from the department based on the findings of the report
- Power Hour Literacy programme ongoing in the school
- A big thank you to Conor O'Grady for his hard work and dedication to the pupils and school during his placement. We wish Conor well in this future career as a teacher

#### END OF YEAR CALENDAR

March 2021						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	S
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April 2021						
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May 2021						
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June 2021						
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#### COVID 19 SYMPTOMS REMINDER

Do not send your child to school if any of the following is true.

Your child has:

- a temperature of 38 degrees Celsius or more
- a new cough
- loss or changed sense of taste or smell
- shortness of breath

If your child has symptoms such as headaches or a sore throat, please keep them at home for at least 48 hours.

Please see our new Draft Policies section of our website. Here parents can have an input in our policies. Send suggestions with policy draft in the subject to [info@westportetns.ie](mailto:info@westportetns.ie)

#### Easter break

School Closes at **11.30am** on Friday 26th March. We return on **Monday 12th April** at 8.30am. See you then