



# NUACHTLITIR MÍ NA NOLLAIG 2022

MOST IMPORTANT FOR US AS A TEAM WAS TO OFFER LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL OF OUR STUDENTS THIS YEAR. A LOUD AND PROUD STUDENT VOICE IS A TOP PRIORITY AT SCOIL CHOLMÁIN TUAIRÍNÍ. TO THAT END, PERMIT ME TO LEAVE IT TO OUR WONDERFUL PUPILS TO TELL YOU ALL ABOUT THE 'FABULOUS LEARNING EXPERIENCES' THAT HAVE TAKEN PLACE IN WHAT WAS A JAM-PACKED FIRST TERM.

ON A PERSONAL NOTE, I WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE MOST SINCERELY FOR ALL OF YOUR SUPPORT THIS YEAR. IT IS AN ABSOLUTE PRIVILEGE TO LEAD SUCH A FANTASTIC TEAM OF PROFESSIONALS; TO NURTURE THE WONDERFUL MINDS OF THE STUDENTS OF OUR SCHOOL AND TO BE PART OF THE COMMUNITY OF TUAIRÍNÍ. NÍ NEART GO CUR LE CHÉILE.

NOLLAIG SHONA AGUS ATHBHLIAIN FAOI MHAISE  
DAOIBH GO LÉIR.

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# School plays

Every class this year performed a play for all of the parents, if they wanted to come. We haven't had any school plays in two years, because of covid. There were four plays, and they took place over the 14th, and 15th of December.

The shows are called

Straw and order:

Range 5 and 6

December 14th 11:30

Ralph the reindeer:

Range 1 and 2

December 15th 11:30

Light, camel, action!:

Range 3 and 4

December 14th 10:30

A midwife crisis:

Naionāins

December 15th 10:30

The children put in a lot of work learning the lines, Making props and getting costumes. We hope you enjoyed all of the plays this year.



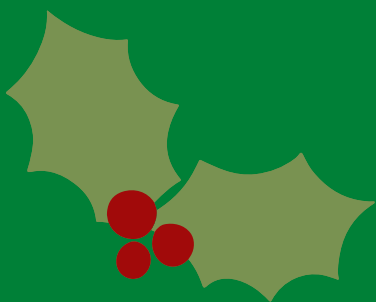




Our elf has kept a close eye on us  
throughout Advent in Seomra na  
Naíonáin. Daidí na Nollag and Múinteoir  
Mary say that we are all on the nice list  
this year!

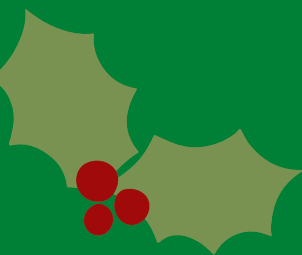


# The magic of Christmas i Seomra na Naíonáin..





# Christmas treats from Colleen!








# Tommy Markham Cup



On September 21<sup>st</sup> Charlie Cox and Brian Mitchell came to our school with the Tommy Markham cup. We took pictures and they talked to us about football and we asked loads of Questions. They told us all about their training and dedication to football. It was a great visit and inspired us all!



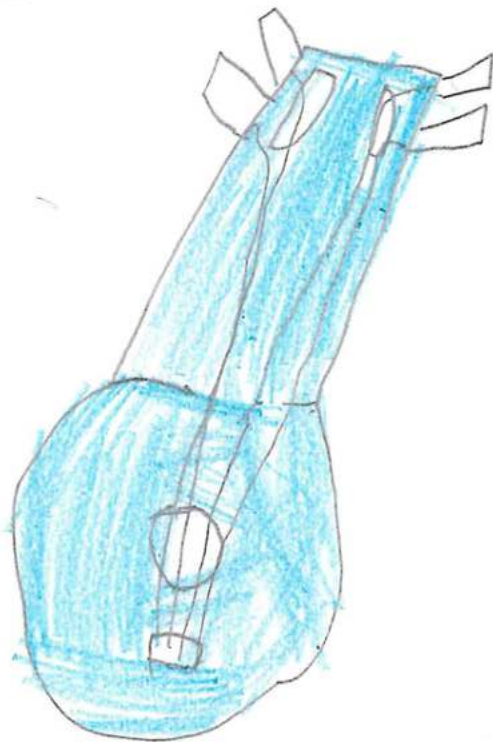


# Ag obair 's sùgradh le chéile





Every Thursday we all do ukulele with  
A man named Finbar. We learn how to learn how  
to do chords, songs and strumming.  
At the end of the year we are planning to hold a concert.  
All the chords we have learnt so far is C, F, Em7, Dm7, Am, D, D7,  
A, Dm.  
We are learning a lot of Christmas songs  
Like Last Christmas, Walking in a Winter Wonderland  
and Rudolph The Red Nosed Reindeer.  
We really enjoy learning ukulele!



C	Am	Em7
C	C	D
G7	A	A



# AR Stars





## ★ School tours! ★

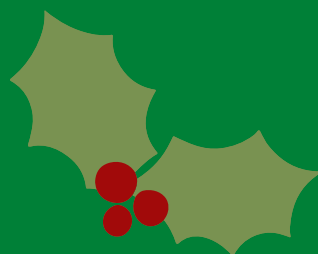
Junior and Senior Infants went on a trip to the Aquarium. They journeyed to the depths of the oceans then explored watery craters in outer space! They loved every minute of their special trip and their first trip as a class.

## Confirmation and Communions ceremony

On the 26<sup>th</sup> of May Rang a Sé will be having their confirmation Ceremony. On the 14<sup>th</sup> of May 2nd class will be making their communion.

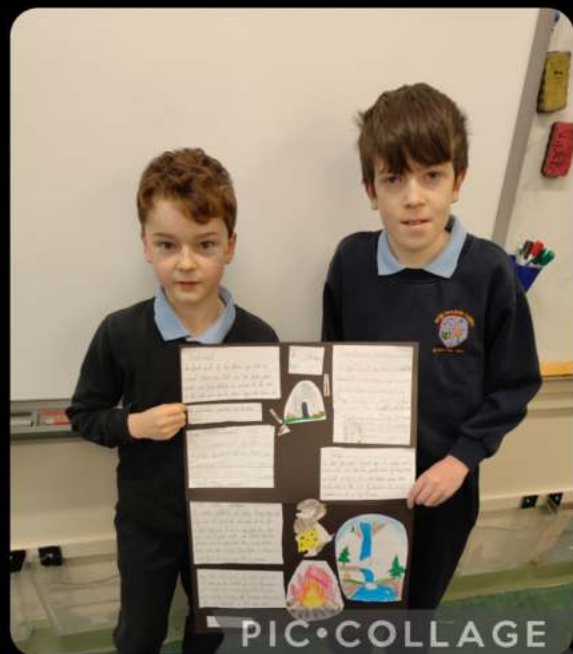


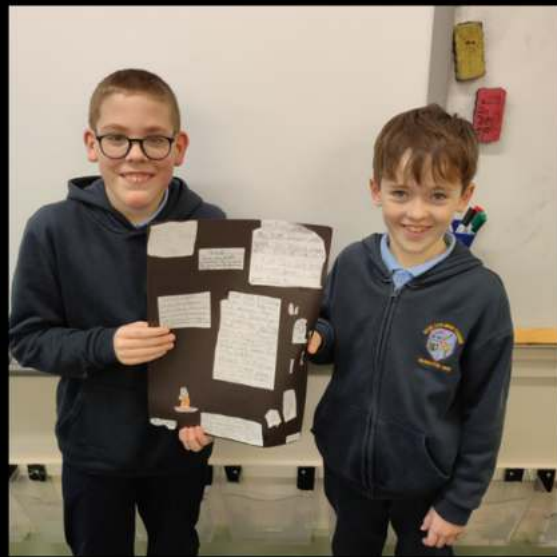
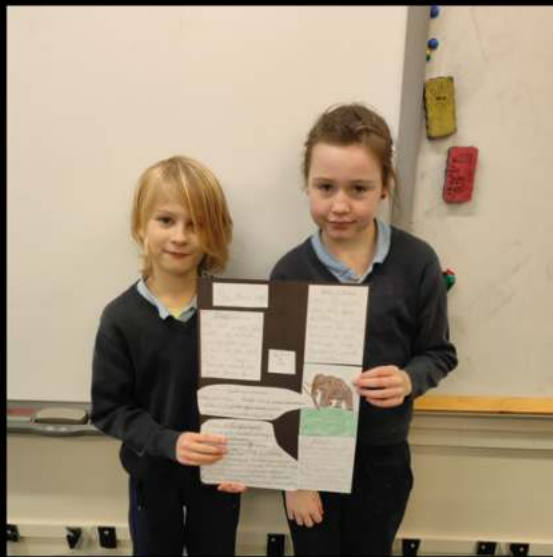
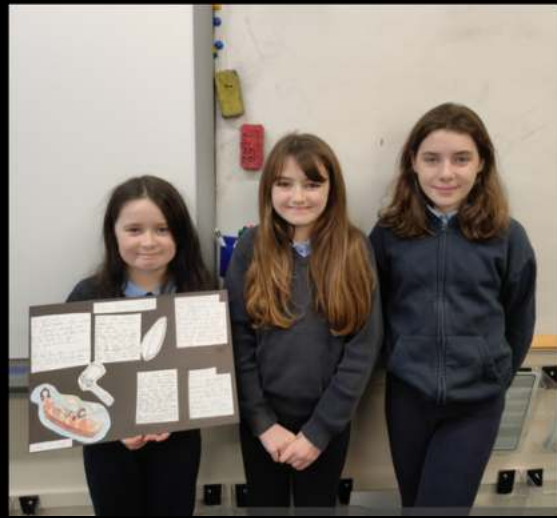
Rang a 1 agus 2 have been doing great work this year, learning all about space, Hallowe'en traditions, Arctic animals and Christmas around the world. We loved attending Baboró, having Múinteoir Emma teach us and performing in our Christmas show. We are looking forward to lots more in 2023.





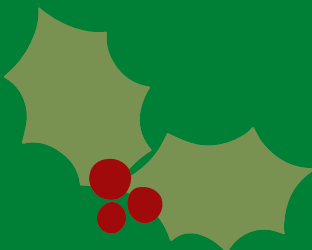
**In Rang a 3 agus 4, we love working on projects. We learned about different animals and wrote up animal reports. We also learned all about the Stone Age. Here are pictures of us with out Stone Age projects.**







# Is breá linn cluichí!

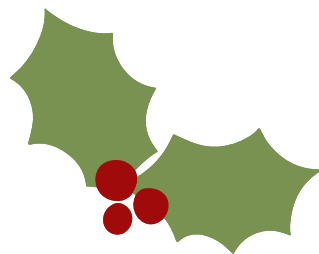




# Science Quiz



On Friday the 18<sup>th</sup> of November 6<sup>th</sup> Class went to Coláiste Muire Máthair for the annual Fr. Séan Manning Science Quiz. We arrived at 1:15 it started at 1:30. St Mary's college became co-educational secondary school in September 2021 following a merger with Our Lady's College bringing the school environment to over 1,000 students. Even though the quiz was hard <sup>we</sup> enjoyed being in the secondary school.



## Hospice Coffee Morning

We are celebrating our annual hospice morning on the 18<sup>th</sup> of December. There will be cake, biscuits and tea, the children will be playing the ~~that~~ ukulele for the parents. We are ~~re~~raising money for the hospice we are so happy to do it again after two years it will be so much



# Coiste Hospice Morning



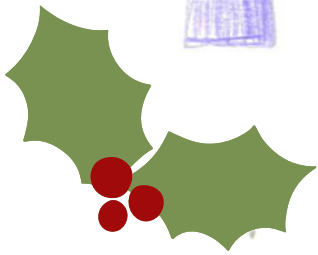




# ! Cash 4 Clobber !



Cash 4 Clobber - This year Scoil Cholmáin helped the environment and made some cash for the school along the way! We are now very aware of the impact of fast fashion on the environment. We need to reuse and recycle as much as possible. Recycling the clothes we no longer need stops them from going to a landfill.



## Hurling with Cian



On Monday in the first term we did hurling with Cian. Everybody in each class got to get a chance to do hurling. It was a lot of fun to do we all learnt a lot how to hit how to pick it up we all hope that cian will come back again.



★ that cian will come back again.



Halloween

# Costume Swap!



On the 3rd of October

we had a Halloween Costume

Swap! To reduce waste and rubbish!

Did you Know?

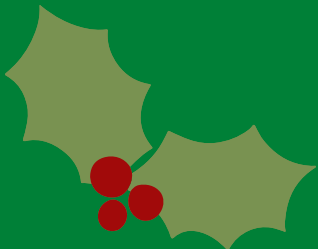
- 83% of Costumes are made of plastic fibers, emitting so much  $\text{CO}_2$  in their making we'd have to plant 31,000 trees to absorb it!

- Only 4% of textiles get recycled in Ireland.





# An scoil is cruthaitheach sa tír!







# Halloween Fun Day

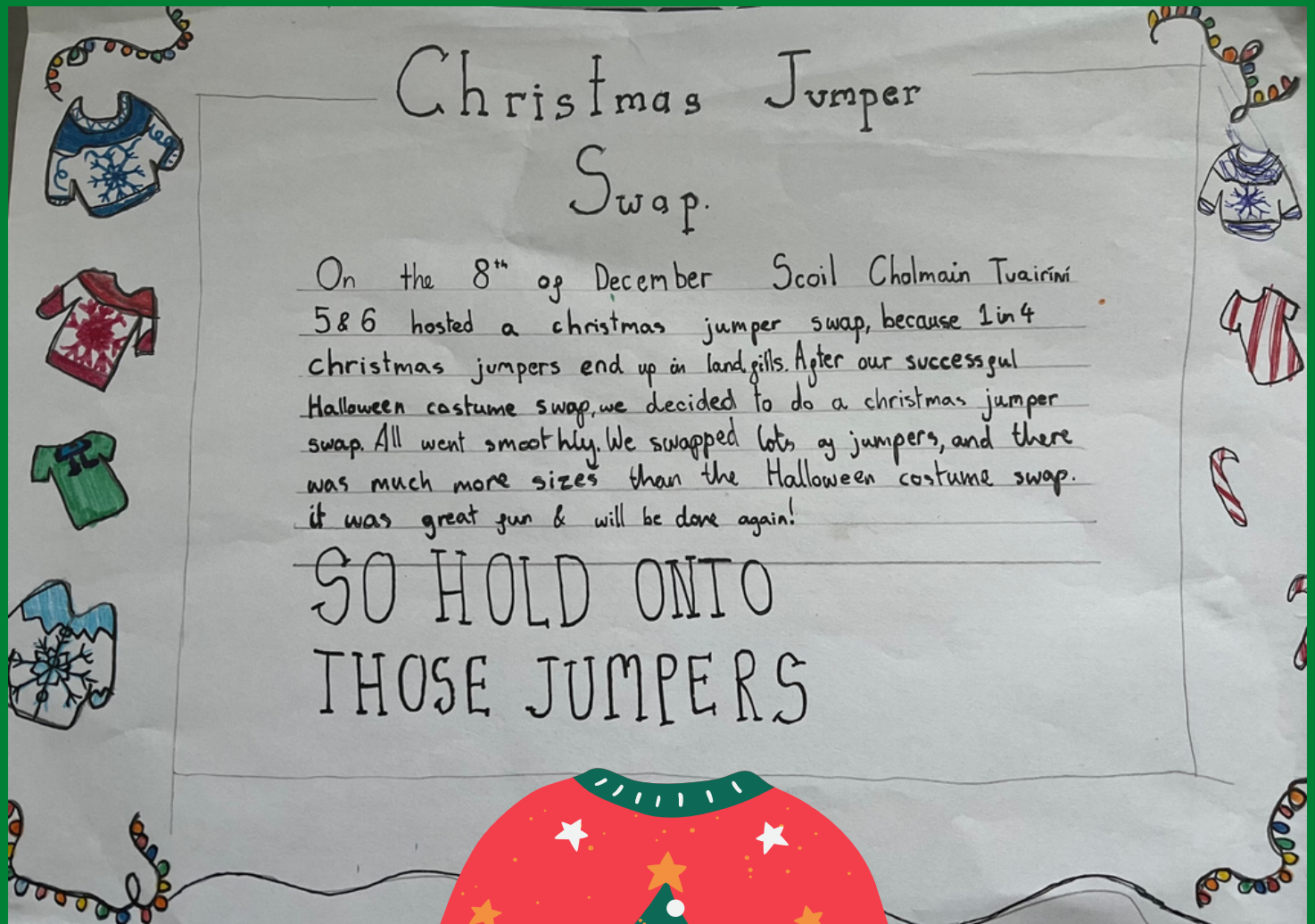


On the 28<sup>th</sup> of October. Scoil Cholmáin Tuairíní held a Halloween Fun day in aid of Down Syndrome Galway. We raised over two hundred and Fifty euros for the worthy Cause.



We had a fancy dress party, penalty Shoot Out, table quiz, disco and a Special visitor Called 'Mystic Aine'. We also played lots of games like ghost bowling, float or Sink, the taste test, Fortune telling and a brain box. Every body had a great Day.

# Scoil Cholmáin Tuairíní is committed to tackling climate change!





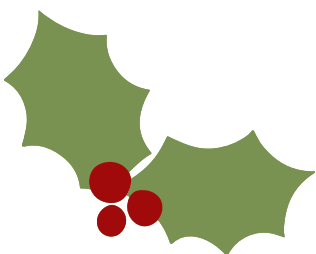
# OUR New jerseys

We are Very excited to announce that a new Sponsor has kindly agreed to supply new jerseys to our school. Matt's Sandwiches is our new sponsor. We worked with Muinteoir Deirdre and Padraig from masita to design our new jerseys. We created six different Versions and then took a Vote on our favorite. We used the <sup>blue</sup> Ferrari with a little bit of Mayculla green to create our new jersey. They have sent us a sample and the order is now being processed! We can't wait to get them and wear them at our next match. Watch this space...

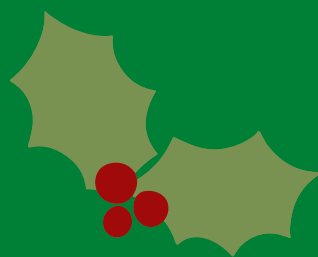


## Muinteoir Emma Moran

Muinteoir Emma came in to range u1 ages 2 to do her teaching practice this year. We loved having her in our school and she did lots of fun and creative lessons!









**Go raibh míle maith  
agaibh do Rang 5 & 6  
a chuir an nuachtlitir  
seo le chéile.**

