



Nuacht na Ríthe

Pleananna don toadhcháil – Future Plans

Cén fáth why are we fundraising?

I nGaelscoil na Ríthe déanaimid ár ndícheall timpeallacht foghlama sona sábháilte a chur ar fáil do gach dalta. Chun cabhrú linn an timpeallacht seo a threisiú, ba mhaith linn seomraí buan a thógáil in ionad na bhfoirgnimh réamhdhéanta atá againn. Bheadh súil againn na seomraí a úsáid mar áiseanna breise do thacaíocht foghlama le seomra & gairdín céadfaí ina measc. Cé go mbeidh airgead á fháil ón Roinn Oideachais beidh tiomsú de **€80,000** le bailiú ag an scoil féin chun é seo a chur i gcrích. Tá breis is **€20,000** bailithe againn cheana féin. *We have been given the go-ahead from The Department of Education and Skills to replace our existing cramped and very cold portacabins, which we use as learning support rooms. We aim to replace these with permanent rooms as well as constructing one additional class room and a **multisensory room & garden** to the rear of the school. While support will be received from the Department a sizable amount of funding will need to be raised by the school to complete our ambitious plans. We launched a fundraising campaign last year and to date we have raised over **€20,000**. A huge thank you to all for supporting our various fundraising activities and also to the following who have generously donated to our cause: **Lidl, Hora Homes, McCallion Construction, Cllr. Gerry O'Connor, Cllr. Maria Uí Ruairc, Cllr. Gillain O'Toole, Regina Doherty T.D.***



Golf Classic 2019 Blackbush Golf Club, 21^ú Meitheamh 2019



Beidh **Classaic Ghailf na Ríthe** againn ar an **21st Meitheamh** i gclub gailf Blackbush. Tá duaiseanna iontacha againn agus táimid ag tnúth go mór leis an lá.

*The next of a series of fundraising events is a **Golf Classic** on **Friday the 21st June 2019** at **Blackbush Golf Club**, one of Meath's premier golf clubs. This is our first golf classic in a number of years and we hope it will be a huge success. We have great prizes including a morning on the gallops with top Irish horse trainer Gordon Elliott, a round of golf in Ballybunion with two sporting legends Eoin "Bomber" Liston & Denis "Ogie" Moran, a round of golf for 4 at Luttrellstown Castle as well a signed Irish rugby Jersey as one of our raffle prizes.*

*We are hoping to sell 50 teams and to do this we need for your support! Whether you are a casual golfer or a low handicapper the Texas Scramble format is for you. Maybe you know others who may be interested in entering a team or a company who might like to do so. Teams consist of 4 players and the cost per team is **€220**, however an early bird fee of **€200** is being offered for teams confirmed and paid up before **30th April, 2019**. This cost includes green fees and a burger in the clubhouse following your round. Please get in contact with us using the contact details below or pop in to the school office where you can get more information.*

Contact us by email at gaelscoilnarithegolfclassic@gmail.com

or **Cora Duffy** on 087 351 4478 (evenings only)

Ceannaigh Bríce Buy a Brick Scheme



We are launching our **Buy-a-Brick** campaign. Our target is to sell **100 bricks** and we are asking you to **purchase a brick!** Your name will be etched onto a **Brushed Aluminium Display**, mounted in a public area within the school for all to see. Brick cost is **€250** (By donating €250, you are ensuring the school gets the additional benefit of a tax rebate from the Revenue Commissioners of €112.31. Cost is €250 but the benefit to the school will be **€362.31**). Please embrace it by donating and become part of our school's future and history in the years ahead.

Tá do chabhair ag teastáil uainn chun **100 bríce** a dhíol. Beidh do ainm teaghlaigh greanta ar bhríce alúmanaim scuabtha a beidh á thaispeáint i dtimpeallacht na scoile, le feiceáil ag an bpobal. Seo do sheans infhéistíocht a dhéanamh i dtodhchaí Dhomhnach Seachnaill agus a thimpeallacht agus bheith i do chuid de stair agus de thodhchaí Ghaelscoil na Ríthe sna blianta amach romhainn.. **Ní gá duit ach bríce a cheannach!**

Conas - How?

- Log on to our website **www.gaelscoilnarithe.ie/buy-a-brick-support-the-future** Téigh ar an ngréasán - www.gaelscoilnarithe.ie/buy-a-brick-support-the-future
- Set up a **standing order** by completing a standing order form, available from Oifig na Scoile (offering monthly or annual payment options) *Líon isteach an fhoirm Ordú Seasta atá ar fail ó Oifig na Scoile.*
- By **cheque** made out to Gaelscoil na Ríthe *Is féidir íoc le seic iníochta le Gaelscoil na Ríthe*
- Click on the link on our **social media channels**. *Cliceáil ar an nasc tríd na meáin shóisialta.*

Please consider this as an investment into the future of the young people of Dunshaughlin and surrounding areas.

Míle buíochas as ucht do chuid tacaíochta!



Ceannaigh Bríce do Ghaelscoil na Ríthe. Buy a Brick and engrave your name in history!

"We're not building a future for a few years, we are building for a lifetime". - Abe Reichenal

Deiseanna Urraíochta Sponsorship Opportunities.

Má tá do ghnó féin agat, más fiontraí thú, nó má tá baint agat le comhlacht agus suim agat urraíocht a dhéanamh ar an tógra seo; téigh i dteagmháil le aon duine ar an bhfoireann bailithe airgid nó go díreach le Príomhoide na scoile, Rónán. *If you are a business owner, budding entrepreneur or perhaps you work in a company that would be interested in sponsoring us, we'd be delighted to discuss in more detail. We have a range of other sponsorship opportunities and packages available. Please email us at gsnrfundraising2020@gmail.com and one of the fundraising team will get in contact. Alternatively please contact an Príomhoide, Rónán, directly.*

Céard atá i gceist? What is a sensory space?

A Sensory Space can open up a whole new world for all students while also providing great therapeutic benefits by offering them a multi-sensory experience. Sensory Spaces can be used to achieve multiple individual goals. Examples include:

- Increasing concentration and focus
- Providing mental and physical relaxation
- Decreasing aggressive behaviours
- Developing the senses of sight, touch and hearing
- Providing a sense of security and calmness
- Encouraging vocalization and communication
- Promoting social interactions
- Heightening awareness of the environment
- Improving coordination and gross motor skills
- Promoting cognitive development



How will it benefit my child?

While the benefits of a multisensory environment for children with learning difficulties, developmental disabilities or sensory impairments are clear such a room provides a safe and stimulating space for students of **ALL** abilities to explore sensory input and programming, enabling them develop and engage their senses. Students learn and experience appropriate tools to organise, rebalance and self-regulate, allowing them to thrive in their school environment and community. It is increasingly difficult for children, regardless of their abilities to learn to interact with the world around them in a safe environment. Our vision is that every child in the school will have the opportunity to use this safe space and last but not least, children will have fun and be happier!

