



Scoil Uí Mhuirí
Post Primary School



SCOIL UÍ MHUIRÍ – NUACHTLITIR

BARN ROAD, DUNLEER, CO. LOUTH

OCTOBER 2025

Open Night Success!

On September 17th, we welcomed over 1000 people through the doors of Scoil Uí Mhuirí for our annual open night. Ms Kirk addressed the visitors and detailed the successes achieved in Scoil Uí Mhuirí over the last few years - both academically and through our extra-curricular activities.

Our amazing students led the way and ensured Parents and prospective students visited our state of the art Technology, Home Economics, I.T. and Engineering rooms. A huge thank you to all the students who helped out on the night.



STATE EXAMINATIONS RESULTS

Congratulations to our Junior Cycle and Leaving Certificate classes of 2025. Both groups received amazing results this term. We are so proud of their brilliant achievements and wish them the very best in their futures!





A TERRIFIC START TO TRANSITION YEAR

Here is a snapshot of what our Transition Year students took part in during term 1.

- On the first day back, took part in a Teamworks workshop.
- They visited Kilkenny for their Gaisce Trip. They completed their Gaisce walk along with kayaking, high jumping and hydrobiking.
- They also enjoyed a forensics workshop. In this workshop, they were investigating the clues from JFK's murder.
- They created some DNA models out of sweets in Biology class. The DNA models survived just long enough to get a few photos!
- They welcomed in an Irish workshop. In this workshop, they developed their oral and aural skills while also performing short stories.
- They have also completed workshops based on their mini companies.

The annual TY trade fair is on December 3rd - cash only. The Transition Year students look forward to seeing you there!

Finally, a huge thank you to the local businesses and companies for allowing our Transition Year students to complete their first week of work experience.





EDUCATIONAL OUTINGS



Our German students paid a visit to a German Careers Roadshow recently. Here, they learned about career opportunities with German and about studying German at 3rd level. We also visited Emerald Park in September for our wellbeing day.

Our 5th and 6th Year Agricultural Science and LCA Horticulture students went to the National Ploughing Championships in September. 6th Year students also attended Higher Options in the RDS for information on 3rd level courses in Ireland.

A group of our 6th Year Higher Level English students paid a visit to the Gaiety to see a professional production of Macbeth. Some 6th Year students also attended an evening lecture on Shakespeare's Macbeth in Trinity College Dublin. Finally, 6th Year Biology students visited Salterstown for their Ecology study.

3rd Year History students enjoyed a day trip to Dublinia as part of their Junior Cycle History course. All 5th years visited Newbridge Silverware as part of their LCVP curriculum.





MATHS WEEK 2025

Our annual Maths week took place between October 13th and 17th.

Each morning, students completed a fun maths based activity during tutor time. Our 1st-Years took part in a maths trail. Students also took part in a maths poetry competition and a maths eyes competition.

Each day our social media was updated with a maths riddle for Parents/Guardians. At the end of the week, a lucky winner was chosen.

We hope you all enjoyed maths week!



FESTIVAL OF FOOTBALL



In early September, we hosted our first-ever “Festival of Football”. Students from our local primary schools came to the school to show off their skills.

A huge thank you to our TY students for helping out as part of the GAA Future Leaders Programme. A huge thank you also to Mr Magennis for organising the event!



IMPORTANT DATES 2025–2026

Parent Teacher Meetings:

Thursday November 20th - 3rd & 6th Year
Thursday December 4th - 2nd & 5th Year
Thursday January 29th - 1st & TY

School Closures:

Thursday November 6th - Teacher Training
Monday December 1st - School Closure
Monday January 19th - Teacher Training
Monday February 2nd - Bank Holiday
Wednesday February 11th - Teacher Training
Tuesday March 17th - Bank Holiday
Monday May 4th - Bank Holiday



SPORTING SUCCESS!

What a great sporting start we have had to the year in Scoil Uí Mhuirí!

Our Senior Ladies' Gaelic Team has had great wins so far over local schools, St Oliver's and Coláiste Rís. Scorers in these games included Megan, Ella, Fia, Katie, Erin-May and Ava. Well done, girls!

Our Ladies Junior Gaelic Team had a comprehensive win over Coláiste Rís recently. Well done to the team. Scorers on the day included Megan, Ella, Ava, Erin-May, Robyn, Kelly and Lily-Mae.

Our Senior Camogie Team have played 3 great games so far against St Vincents, Ardee and Greenhills. Our girls had a great win against Greenhill with scores from Ailbhe, Kelly, Síorcha, Fia, Erin-May, and Caitlín.

Our Junior Camogie Team took part in a Leinster Camogie Blitz recently. Scorers on the day included Fia, Kelly, Anna, Ellie and Fiánaith. Thank you to Caitlín and Abbie for refereeing on the day too!

Well done to our Senior Boys Gaelic Team, who have made a great start to their Lennon Cup campaign.

Well done to our 2nd Year boys' team on a great win against Drogheda Educate Together. Congratulations to Nathan, who received Player of the Match.

A huge well done to our 1st Year boys' team for their great work at a blitz recently. Both teams performed well on the day.





WELCOME TO OUR NEW 1ST YEARS

On August 22nd we welcomed our newest group of 1st Years into the Scoil Uí Mhuirí community. They are pictured here with their year head Ms. Reilly and their tutors.



STUDENT OF THE MONTH – SEPTEMBER

1 Atkins	Meadow Keane Sivrinska	4 Ferdia	Lily Cairns
1 Drury	Cáilín Bowhan	4 Meabh	Aoife Reddy
1 Hall	Isabelle Redmond	4 Setanta	Bree Clinton
1 Gale	Jack Devine	Overall TY	Aoife Reddy
Overall 1st Year	Meadow Keane Sivrinska	5 Carr	Katie Kearney
2 Bevan	Caoimhe Byrne	5 Eliot	Aaron McGrane
2 Calvi	Andrew Sheeran	5 Evans	Mark Byrne
2 Doyle	Mila Svedas	5 Lee	Nicolle Evangelista
2 Eaves	Molly Conaty	Overall 5th year	Katie Kearney
Overall 2nd year	Mila Svedas	6 Danú	Anthony Kelledy
3 Dalia	Rian Sullivan	6 Gleann	Niall McLaughlin
3 Flora	Soren Freegrove	6 Gort	Emile Gaizauskaite
3 Iris	Aidan Rafferty	6 Inis	Patrick Connolly
3 Juno	Saoirse O'Reilly	6 Macha	Ariyah Dunne
Overall 3rd year	Saoirse O'Reilly	Overall 6th Year	Patrick Connolly

