



**AHANE NATIONAL SCHOOL
BOARD OF MANAGEMENT AGREED REPORT**

22.02.2023

LOCATION	Ahane National School	MINUTES	Siobhán Kennedy
Date of Meeting	22.02.2023	Date of Next Meeting	23.03.2023

Item No. 1	<p>School Bingo Fundraiser</p> <p>The School Bingo Fundraiser is on Sunday next February 26th at 3pm in Ahane GAA Clubhouse. The Bingo is being organised by the Board in conjunction with the Parents Association. This will be a fun family event. There are cash prizes on each bingo game with a €300 Jackpot prize to be won on the day. There is a huge selection of quality raffle prizes also to be won on the day. The Board is looking forward to welcoming you to the Bingo and hopes that there will be many lucky winners in the School Community.</p>
Item No.2	<p>Board of Management Report and Financial Statements for the year ended 31st August 2022.</p> <p>The School accounts for the year ended 31st August 2022 have been signed off by the Chairperson and the Treasurer of the Board. The Financial Report to Parents will be issued by the Board.</p>
Item No.3	<p>English Curriculum Evaluation</p> <p>The Final Report of the English Curriculum Evaluation will be issued to the Parents Association in the coming weeks and will be available on the Department of Education website shortly.</p>
Item No. 4	<p>School Caretaker/Cleaner</p> <p>The Board acknowledges the work of Caretaker/Cleaner Gerard O'Connor in maintaining the school. Gerard worked as Caretaker/Cleaner over the past two and a half years and always ensured that the classrooms and the school were clean, tidy and maintained to a high standard.</p>
Item No. 5	<p>Creative Schools Project</p> <p>The Board welcomes Katy (the dancer) who is working with all pupils on dance as part of the Creative Schools project. The Board is delighted that the pupils in the school have the opportunity to explore and develop their creative talents.</p>



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Item No.6	Curriculum and Project Work The Board compliments the staff and pupils on the variety of work and projects being undertaken in the classrooms throughout the school. The projects include model making from recyclable material, the creation of marble mazes, projects and art work on the solar system, on volcanoes and on the Egyptians. Pupils are also participating in the Junior Entrepreneur Project, the Science Blast and Robotics.
Item No.7	Seachtain na Gaeilge and World Book Day The Board welcomes the involvement and participation of pupils in Seachtain na Gaeilge and World Book Day activities. Pupils are learning Irish Dancing including the Walls of Limerick and the Siege of Ennis in preparation for the Ceilí Mór. World Book Day is on March 2 nd with pupils invited to dress as their favourite book character and also to bring their favourite book to school.
Item No.8	Sports The Board congratulates Sixth Class pupils Patrick Lonergan and Rhys Guiney on their selection to the Mackey Cup Panel and Sarah Cusack on her continued involvement in the Neville Cup Camogie Trials.
Item No. 9	Sacraments The Sacrament of Reconciliation is on March 2 nd . The Sacrament of Confirmation is on May 5 th . The Sacrament of First Holy Communion is on May 20 th .