

	AHANE NATIONAL SCHOOL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT AGREED REPORT		
			21.04.2026

LOCATION	Ahane National School	MINUTES	Siobhán Kennedy
Date of Meeting	21.04.2026	Date of Next Meeting	26.05.2026

Item No 1	New Class Opening in September. The Board of Management ratified the revised Admissions Policy. Enrolments are now being taken for the New Class opening in September 2026. The Admissions Policy, the Application Form for Admission and the Annual Admissions Notice are available on the school website at www.ahanens.ie Please contact the Office at office@ahanenationalschool.ie or 061 335101 if you have any queries.
2.	Confirmation 2026 Best wishes to Sixth Class pupils who will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in St. Patrick's Church, Ahane on Friday 24 th April. Thank you to Fr. Teehan and to Fr. James for their help and support with the preparation for the Ceremony. A sincere thank you to Sixth Class teacher Mrs. Grace Ryan for the commitment and attention to detail in preparing the children for the Sacrament.
3.	Before and Afterschool Childcare Service The Homework Hub, Newport are opening a Before and Afterschool Childcare Service in Ahane National School for pupils of the school. The Service will begin at the start of the new School Year. Parents interested in availing of this service should contact the Homework Hub at (061) 373458 or info@homeworkhub.ie
4.	Robotics Congratulations to our Fifth-Class pupils (Akram Kamil, Conor Redfern, Gerard Collins and Michael Smyth) who represented the school in the County Final of the Analogue Robotics Competition on April 18 th . Thank you to Class Teacher Mr. O'Connor for guiding the children in the preparation for this event.
5.	Sports News Congratulations to Sixth Class pupil, Evan O'Connell who represented the school on the Limerick Primary Games football selection that played at half time in the Limerick v Cork Munster Championship match in Supervalu Páirc Uí Chaoimh on April 12 th .



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	Congratulations to Freya Guiney, Sixth Class who was selected to represent the School on the Neville Cup East Limerick Camogie team who won out the Competition. Best wishes to the Third- and Fourth-Class pupils who are participating in a blitz on April 28th in Ahane GAA club. Go raibh maith agat to Mr. Pa Ryan for the training and time given to the development of sport skills in the school.
6.	After School Band The After School Band is on Wednesdays after school and is led by staff member Tracy O'Donnell. After School Choir The After School Choir is continuing each Thursday after school under the direction of parent Aoife Martin. We are very fortunate to have both the choir and band opportunities available to the pupils. We acknowledge and appreciate the time and commitment of both Aoife Martin and Tracy O'Donnell in sharing their own musical talents with the pupils in our school.
7.	Road Safety Richard Silke SRTS visited the school in February to observe traffic at school drop off time. He provided feedback on parental survey which has been circulated to parents. He was available on the morning of his visit to meet and receive feedback from parents. He is due to submit a report on observations and make recommendations.