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### **Dates for Your Diary**

Now enrolling for 2016-17

### **Parent Teacher Meeting**

If you have not already booked a parent teacher meeting for January Tuesday 19th and Thursday 21st, please ring the office for an appointment.

### **Swimming Lessons**

These are taking place at the moment in U.L. for 3rd to 6th class starting on January 15th.

### **School Holidays**

- Mid Term Break:

   Our school will be closed February
   Thursday 18th Friday
   19th inclusive.
- St. Patrick's Day 17th March to April 1st for the Easter Holidays. School reopens on April 4th.
- May: May 2nd 6th inclusive school is closed.

### Ahane Leadership Club

The committee of the club is based in 5th and 6th class. The theme for this term is Our Suggestion Box.

## AHANE SCHOOL NEWS



### Young Scientists from Ahane N.S. RDS Primary Science Fair

Venue Mary Immaculate College Saturday 16th January 10—3 pm. This year our 4th class have entered the Young Scientists Fair at the Fair in Mary Immaculate College this Saturday.

We are taking 4th and 5th class pupils on Friday to see the Friday exhibitions. Our Parent Association are going to pay for the cost of the bus and tickets and we appreciate this support.

The Saturday exhibitions will be different so we would ask you to support the pupils on Saturday if you have free time. The exhibitions are on from 9.30 am to 3 both days.

### **School Walks**

Thank you for the support. The pupils raised

2,014 euro. We did six local walks in the neighbourhood in November. It was a lovely opportunity for all the children to get to know the locality. Chat to your child to see what their experience was.

# Catholic Schools Week will be celebrated from



January 25th to January to 29th. The Theme for Catholic Schools Week 2016 is "Challenged to Proclaim God's Mercy" for the Year of Mercy.

### **Christmas Activities**

We had lovely class concerts that took place in school on Christmas week at school . Junior and Senior Infants went to the Pantomime in U.L. Thanks to all teachers, staff and pupils for all the great Christmas activities. The school was full of visitors and Christmas cheer.

This year Dawn's School Choir performed their for parents on December 21st after school and it was wonderful. Thank you to Dawn Bennett and to all the children in the Monday after school choir.



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Our 31st Special Edition Green Flag Raised by President Liam O'Neill, G.A.A. and Ahane Leadership Club

Your business tag line here.



Primary Business Address Your Address Line 2 Your Address Line 3 Your Address Line 4

Phone: 555-555-5555 Fax: 555-555-5555 Email: xyz@microsoft.com

WE'RE ON THE WEB! EXAMPLE.MICROSOFT.C OM This would be a good place to insert a short paragraph about your organization. It might include the purpose of the organization, its mission, founding date, and a brief history. You could also include a brief list of the types of products, services, or programs your organization offers, the geographic area covered (for example, western U.S. or European markets), and a profile of the types of customers or members served.

It would also be useful to include a contact name for readers who want more information about the organization.

## Back Page Story Headline

This story can fit 175-225 words.

If your newsletter is folded and mailed, this story will appear on the back. So, it's a good idea to make it easy to read at a glance.

A question and answer session is a good way to quickly capture the attention of readers. You can either compile questions that you've received since the last edition or you can summarize some generic questions that are frequently asked about your organization.

A listing of names and titles of managers in your organization is a good way to give your newsletter a personal touch. If your organization is small, you may want to list the names of all employees.

If you have any prices of standard products or services, you can include a listing of those here. You may want to refer your readers to any other forms of communication that you've created for your organization.

You can also use this space to remind readers to mark their calendars for a regular event, such as a breakfast meeting for vendors every third Tuesday of the month, or a biannual charity auction.

If space is available, this is a good place to insert a clip art image or some other graphic.



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