



St. Joseph's NS/SN Seosamh Naofa

Board of Management Agreed Report

23rd April 2024

- Catherine welcomed everyone and opened the meeting.
- Fr Byrne read the Gospel prayer.
- Minutes adopted and signed.
- Mark and Anthony to arrange a meeting to discuss cyber security/smart phone/social media etc.
- Treasurer's Report presented and adopted.
- Sara met with Sarah Ann and handover of accounts is complete.
- Letter received from Dept regarding prefab – no availability at present. Follow-up phone call advised Mark to investigate a bricks and mortar build.
- The BoM approved an application for a bricks and mortar classroom.
- CPOR presented and adopted.
- Bullying report presented and adopted.
- It's confirmed that all cases referred to at above have been or are being, dealt with in accordance with the school's anti-bullying policy and the Anti-Bullying Procedures for Primary and Post-Primary schools.
- Principal's Report presented and adopted.
- Proposed school name sign – proposed price received and board approved proceeding with same.
- 1 new pupil for 1st class.
- Sinead Kehoe employed for hot meals by Glanmore.
- Launch of campaign to raise awareness on smartphone and social media usage on Monday next. Dept campaign – Smartphone Free Childhood – the aim is to delay smartphone ownership until end of 6th class.
- Talk by CybersafeKids for parents on the same night.
- Three positions available to fill – Snr Inf, 1st class, 5th class.
- Calendar for next school year was approved.
- Four dates were available in May. All board members chose a date to attend, and Mark is to book the required number of places.
- Code of Behaviour and Anti-Bullying policy reviewed and updated.
- Date of next meeting - 4th June 2024 @ 7.45pm