Dear Parent/Guardian,

30/04/19

We would like to welcome everyone back after the Easter Break.

SCHOOL CLOSURE

As previously advised, **Friday 24th May** has been confirmed as the date for the forthcoming European and Local Elections. The school will be <u>closed</u> on that day as the building will be used as a polling centre.

EASTER EGG HUNT - SPONSORED WALK

The Parents' Association Annual Easter Egg Hunt /Sponsored Walk took place on Saturday 13th April in Tracton Woods and we wish to thank everyone involved for making the day such a huge success. Please note that Sponsorship cards should be returned to the school office as soon as possible. All money raised goes towards subsidising activities for your children and we would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge, with gratitude, the on-going hard work and commitment of the Parents' Association.

HURLING/CAMOGIE TRAINING: JUNIOR INFANTS TO SECOND CLASS

Pupils from the above classes will have the opportunity to participate in Hurling/Camogie training sessions. The first session will commence tomorrow and will continue each Wednesday over next four weeks. Your child may bring in his/her own hurley/helmet.

TECHKIDZ: FIRST TO SIXTHCLASSES

Techkidz for $1^{st}-6^{th}$ classes will commences this **Thursday**, 2^{nd} May and payment is now due. The cost is €10 per pupil. If you haven't already done so, please submit payment via *e-Payment* or forward to your eldest child's class teacher no later than tomorrow, 1^{st} May.

ATHLETICS TRAINING - FIRST TO SIXTH CLASSES

Pupils from the above classes will commence athletics training this Friday at **Tracton GAA Pitch.** These training sessions are kindly being provided by Tracton Athletic Club and are particularly valuable leading up to the Cork Primary School Sports and the School Sports Day.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

First Holy Communion will take place on Saturday 18th May at 11am in The Sacred Heart Church, Minane Bridge. First Communion pupils have a note today outlining details re First Holy Communion Booklet.

CONFIRMATION DVD'S

A note is attached for Confirmation pupils regarding Confirmation DVD's.

CORK CITY SPORTS

As previously advised, this year's **Cork City Sports** are scheduled to take place on **Thursday 30th May** in **CIT.** Parents/guardians of participants will be required to attend. Further details will be furnished at a later stage.

SCHOOL TOUR - MONDAY 27TH MAY

As you are aware, this year's school tour will take place on **Monday 27th May** and payment is now due. If you haven't already done so, can you please forward the relevant amount (\notin 5 per child for Junior/Senior Infants and \notin 20 per child for all other classes) either via *e-Payment* or to your eldest child's class teacher *no later than this Friday* as we have to confirm final numbers with the venues, If your child is not going on the school tour, please advise class teacher.

SIXTH CLASS MASS

There will be an end of term Mass for sixth class pupils on **Friday 21**st **June**, at **10am**, in the **Sacred Heart Church, Minane Bridge**. All parents/guardians are very welcome to attend.

Yours faithfully,

Con O'Callaghan Principal