

# St. Louis Infant School Summer / June 2017

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## Fáilte / Welcome to our monthly Newsletter/ Nuachtlitir

## <u>Our Monthly Value is</u> 'Friendship'

## Our Friend Ms. Siobhán Rocks

Ms. Rocks will retire at the end of the summer. We are sad to see her go but know she has touched the lives of so many children and staff over her 40 dedicated years in our school. She is one of the kindest, fairest and most genuine people we have ever met and were privileged to work with this beautiful lady. To say we will miss her is an understatement. However, Ms. Rocks promises to be a regular visitor next year. Go raibh míle míle maith agat.

#### 1st Class Graduation

Rang a hAon buachaillí agus cailíní are getting ready to graduate from our Infant School. They are busy preparing songs to celebrate their time with us. Graduation will take place on Thursday, 22nd June at 9.45am

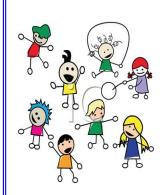
## Class Allocation and School Reports

All reports and allocations will be distributed on Tuesday 20th June in your child's Blue Folder.

New Junior Infant
Allocations will be posted in
August. Please ensure we
have your correct address.

#### Go Raibh Maith Agaibh

On behalf of the staff and Board of Management I wish the children, staff and families a safe and enjoyable summer. Thanks to everyone who helped us in various ways throughout the year. This support is much appreciated and helps grow and develop our school community.



## Principal Carmel McCarroll email

principal@stlouisinfants.ie



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#### Homework Club

Homework Club finishes on Thursday 22nd June.

#### St. Louis Fit Kids

Thanks to all the teachers who ran the Friday fit kids exercise the movement club. We hope the children enjoyed it.

#### **Book Bills**

Next year's book bills will remain at €65 per child. We supply children with all their books, workbooks, copies, writing materials, folders and all supplies. Payment can be made in the Offices from Friday 23rd to Tuesday 27th June from 9-10am and again in September.

#### 2017 / 2018 School Year

The school will open on Wednesday, 30th August at 9am.

No change in opening or closing times.

#### Student Section



Did you know...

Miss Rocks is a teacher in our school for 40 years.

She was a pupil in this school too.

She attended St. Louis Girls' N.S. and St. Louis Girls' Secondary School.. A real Louis Girl!

She is Deputy Principal for 8 years.

She loves coming to school.

## Parents Association and Board of Management

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Thanks to all parents who helped and supported the school during the year. We especially thank the committee who met regularly to organise events and parents of children who now move into 2<sup>nd</sup> class. We value their contribution both economically and developmentally. €8694.42 was raised this year and will be used to purchase new reading books and school resources both inside and outside.

#### Sponsored Walk

Sponsored Walk took place on Monday 12th June. To date €2800 was raised . We remind parents who took photos or videos that these must not be uploaded onto any social media websites

## oard of Management

Following a meeting of the Board of Management, an annual report on the working of the board will be distributed later this week. The Board are delighted with the continued high attainment of the children in their summer assessments.

Summer Works begin on Wednesday, 28th June.
The Board of Management wish to thank Ms Siobhán Rocks for her committed years of service to St. Louis Infant School.

A thought for today!

Have a wonderful summer break.



## Bróigín Montessori Contact Una on 087-3867396

After the excitement of sports day, planting seeds and watching our caterpillars grow into butterflies before releasing them into the open air, we look forward to another hectic month.

The month of June brings a sea life theme into the classrooms. We plan to spend more time outdoors taking advantage of the warm weather and of course preparations will be underway for our graduation ceremony which takes place on

Tues 27th June at 10:30am.

We are extremely proud of the children's progress and accomplishments in preschool. Their teachers have done an excellent job preparing them for the upcoming school year.

Parents are advised to encourage children to continue developing their self-help skills as they prepare for the transition to primary school.

Our annual outing to Planet Kidz takes place on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> June. This is a final opportunity for all our pre-schoolers to play together as a group before they go their separate ways.

Finally, We are proud and honoured to have been a part of your child's physical, social, and educational development in 2016/2017. Best Wishes

Una, Martina, Denise & Maryann

## Little Reminders and Dates for your Diary



#### **Enrolment**

<u>F</u>riends or family with children aged 4 / 5years may enrol for 2017/2018 before the end of June. Birth Certs and PPS Numbers must accompany all enrolment forms.



Maths Challenge

May's Winners

Aodhán Room 10

Yu Room 9

Alisha Room 14

We hope the children enjoyed completing the monthly maths challenges.

#### Summer Holidays

Tuesday 27th June—school closes at 12.00pm

Reopen Wednesday 30th August 2017.

#### 2017/2018

Halloween 30th Oct to 3rd Nov Christmas 22nd Dec to 5th Jan Mid-Term 15th and 16th Feb Easter 26th March to 6th April Summer Holidays 22nd June 2018

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