ETNS Newsletter

Pelletstown Welcome to this week's newsletter ~ 24th January 2020



School Accommodation

All families received an email last week regarding school accommodation. It provided details of the most recent correspondence from the Department of Education, as well as feedback from meetings with local politicians.

The Board of Management, and the accommodation working group, will publish a timeline of expected milestones and school actions to be taken. This will be sent out to all families on Monday, along with a plan for a School Action Day that will be taken on Thursday 6th February. Please read this carefully - it is important that you are all fully informed and it is important that all members of the school community work together to progress this.

Please remember to keep our school accommodation on the agenda if you are talking to any political candidates who are canvassing in the area.

You could ask them:

- 1. When will our school be built?
- 2. How will they ensure there are no further delays with this?

Choir - Peace Proms

Best of luck to our 3rd class choir who will be performing in the Peace Proms concert on Saturday 1st February in the RDS.

We are very proud of you!

GREEN-SCHOOL COMMITTEE - SURVEY

The Green Schools Committee would really appreciate it if you could take some time to complete this survey about your recycling habits and so that they can gather some feedback on Waste Free Wednesdays. Please complete this survey by 29/01/2020.

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/RR7V6TR



Board of Management

The agreed report from the BOM meeting on 23rd January is available to view in the Agreed Report folder in the foyer of the school.

Next BOM Meeting:

12th February 2020

We are delighted to welcome 2 new community nominees onto the Board of Management and look forward to working with Francesca Lorenzi and Eamonn Byrne over the next term of this Board of Management (2019-2023).

School Policies

The Board of Management have recently ratified the following policies; RSE, SESE Geography, Visual Arts, Music and the Statement of Strategy for School Attendance.

The BOM would like to thank you for all of your feedback regarding the draft mobile phone/smart devices policy. This feedback is currently being reviewed and the policy will be finalised following the next BOM meeting.

At the moment, it remains that all mobile phones and any internet/enabled smart devices are banned from the school.

INTO - Meeting

The Irish National Teacher's Organistation have asked us to share the below poster with our parent body regarding an upcoming Hustings event on 29/01/20 at 7:00pm.

