



Agreed Report of the board of management - November 2019

The secretary gave an outline of some of the events that have recently taken place in the school or were scheduled to take place shortly.

- The school held its annual QQI Awards on 6th September. The guest of honour was Michael Murphy, Donegal captain. The principal thanked MS Boland for organising the event and for all the support both she and the pLC team give to the students each year.
- Ms Boland hosted a PLC Information Night on 9th September to support the learners and their parents / guardians.
- The principal hosted an Information night for 1st year parents / guardians in the school on 12th September. The event was well attended.
- Ms Summerville, Mr O' Donnell and the principal held an Information night for the parents / guardians of new LCA students on 10th September.
- The school had a group of students attend the Donegal ETB Enterprise Day on 16th October. The principal thanked the students and Ms Mc Laughlin for representing the school.
- Ballybofey celebrated its 400th anniversary in September. The school was involved in the celebrations and Ms Molloy organised the Incognito Art Exhibition on 27th September. This involved students and locally based artists creating postcard sized art for the event. The principal thanked Ms Molloy for making the event such a success.
- The school had its Prom on 18th October. The school thanked all students and staff for their involvement in making it an enjoyable evening. The principal noted that the students had behaved impeccably and were a credit to the school.
- The school held a Sports day and Sponsored Walk on 2nd October The principal thanked both Mr McDaid and Ms Clarke for all their work in organising the two events. The Sponsored Walk raised almost €5,000 for the school's Extra-curricular programmes.
- The school marked Maths week with a cross-curricular approach to supporting numeracy. Many subject areas created timelines in relation to their fields of study.

- The school hosted a visit by Dominic Mac Sorley, CEO of Concern Worldwide. Mr Mac Sorley spoke to our 1st and 2nd Years about the importance of volunteerism. The school presented Concern with a cheque for €515 to mark the occasion. The principal thanked the staff and students for their contribution to the donation.
- The school is participating in a Peace IV Restorative Practice Project which will see a large number of students engaged in various learning initiatives relating to Restorative Practice and conflict resolution.
- The school is operating an After School Study Club to support students in preparation for their State Examinations.
- The principal also advised that the school has had an application for an extension approved by the Department of Education & Skills. This will involve the building of two additional base classrooms for ASD provision as well as associated support rooms and spaces.