

# Third Class 2020-2021



**Back row:** Seán Donnellan, Zoey Sandford, Noah Milsted, Rory Duff, TJ Ringrose, Stephen Carroll, Chloe Callan, Jake Maher, Conor Ashton Floyd, Rowan Frazer, Freya O'Sullivan.

**Middle row:** Harry Dunworth, Santiago Oliviero, David Collins, Amy Hogan, Alan Donnellan.

**Front row:** Kate Madden, Moya Stewart, James Moroney, Quillan Costello, Aoibhínn Rodgers, Aoibhín Lynch, Rachel O'Neill, Nessa Hogan, Mary Cronin.

# Favourite Books

Conor	Mr Stink
Stephen	Mr Stink
David	Harry Potter
Quillan	Diary of a Wimpy Kid
Alan	Harry Potter
Sean	World's Worst Children 3
Rory	Diary of a Wimpy Kid
Harry	Oliver
Rowan	World's Worst Teachers
Jake	Wrecking ball
Noah	Grandads Great Escape
James	Dirty Bertie
Santiago	Dirty Bertie
TJ	Dog Man
Chloe	Deadly 60
Mary	Black Beauty
Amy	Harry Potter
Nessa	Code Name Bananas
Aoibhin L	Code Name Bananas
Kate	Dog Man
Rachel	Harry Potter Series
Freya	Dog Man
Aoibhinn	Harry Potter
Zoey	Roald Dahl
Moya	Dog Man
<i>By Alan, Amy &amp; Santi</i>	

# Accelerated Reading

Each class from second to sixth take part in Accelerated Reading. We got our login codes in September. After you read a book from the school library or local library you can log on and quiz on the book. All the books give you words if you pass the test. There can be five, ten or twenty questions in a quiz.

As a class, we read Mr. Stink, The Grinch who stole Christmas and Adam's Starling together and we all quizzed on these books afterwards. All of our Guided Reading books were also on AR.

If you reach your target the teacher gives you a homework pass. If you get a millionaire you get a prize at the end of the year. Third class have five Word Millionaires this year!

Their names are Alan Donnellan, David Collins, Aoibhinn Rodgers, Rachel O'Neill and Seán Donnellan.

If you become a word millionaire you'll get a certificate as well.

**By Alan, Amy & Santi**

# Art



This year we did lots of art. In September we did selfies and side portraits. We had shone a torch at the side of our face and Ms. O'Neill outlined the shadow. Then we drew in all the things we like

and coloured it.

In October we did initial colouring, 2D shapes and a haunted house. In November we did funky reindeer with sassy glasses. In December we did stockings and Christmas bobbles. In May we did beautiful sunflowers, we also did rockets, dream catchers and St. Patrick's Day shamrocks.



In June, we did clay in the shape of leaves turning them into colourful, bowl shaped leaves and the 3D paper flowers.

We had lots of fun doing art this year.

# Favourite Food & Sweet Shops

Name	Favourite Food/Sweet	Favourite Shop
Conor	Pizza	Jolly Ranchers
Stephen	Dairy milk	Holly Tree
David	Pizza	Holly Tree
Quillan	Chocolate cake	Holly Tree
Alan	Wispa	Holly Tree
Sean	Dairy milk	Holly Tree
Rory	Mars bar	Holly Tree
Harry	Twirl	Holly Tree
Rowan	Creamy pasta	Tierneys
Jake	Doritos	Spooneys
Noah	Ice-cream	Holly Tree
James	Starburst	Holly Tree
Santiago	Pasta	Holly Tree
T.J.	Jellies/pizza	
Chloe	Chocolate	Holly Tree
Mary	Mashed potatoes	Holly Tree
Amy	Pizza	Gleesons
Nessa	Chicken curry	Holly Tree
Aoibhín L	Brownie	Holly Tree
Kate	Chocolate	Gleesons
Rachel	Pizza	Holly Tree
Freya	Dairy milk	Spillanes
Aoibhinn R	Chocolate	Gleesons
Zoey	Chocolate	Sweet Dreams
Moya	Chicken curry	Gleesons



# Witch Walk

## *Name*

*Noah Milsted  
Kate Madden  
T.J Ringrose  
Sean Donnellan  
Moya Stewart  
Harry Dunworth  
Rory Duff  
Quillan Costello  
Stephen Carroll  
Allen Donnellan  
Santiago Olivero  
Rowan Frazer  
Conor Ashton Floyd  
Jake Maher  
David Collins  
Zoey Sandford  
Chloe Callen  
Freya O' Sullivan  
Aoibhinn Rodgers  
Rachel O'Neill  
Nessa Hogan  
Aoibhin Lynch  
James Moroney  
Amy Hogan  
Mary Cronin*

## *Costume*

*Ware Wolf  
Hermione  
Skeleton  
Zombie  
Hermione  
Thor  
Alien  
Grim Reaper  
Clown  
Zombie  
Zombie  
Grim Reaper  
Ninja  
Skeleton  
Dead Man  
Skeleton  
Witch  
Cat  
Dead Prom Queen  
Dead Unicorn  
Dead Unicorn  
Dead Unicorn  
Devil  
Pop Star  
Dead Horse Rider*

*By Kate & Noah*

# Mr Stink

**Author: David Walliams**

**Illustrator: Quentin Blake**



Ms O'Neill read Mr. Stink to us in September and October. It is about an old tramp called Mr. Stink who lived in the park. One day a girl called Chloe, who was feeling very sad, was walking through the park and she stopped to talk to him. She asked him if he was hungry and would like something to eat. He replied, "sausages please."

Chloe went home and snuck some sausages out for Mr Stink. Chloe liked Mr. Stink and his dog Duchess so she invited them to live in her shed. But she couldn't tell her parents because her mum was very prim and proper and wanted to become an MP. One morning Chloe's mum was being interviewed by a reporter in the kitchen when Mr. Stink arrived in the door demanding sausages. Chloe's mum was outraged but pretended to the reporter that she was a friend of the homeless. They were all invited on a T.V. show. But Mr Stink told the whole country that it was Chloe that was nice to him and not her mum. Then the Prime Minister invited Chloe and Mr Stink to come to 10 Downing Street. But the Prime Minister was mean to Mr Stink and made fun of him so Mr Stink told him to shove his job. . . . . !! In the end Mr Stink went wandering but Chloe and her mum became closer. So it was a happy and a sad ending.

After we read the book we got to have a movie afternoon where we watched Mr Stink on the whiteboard and we all got popcorn!

***By Aoibhinn & Freya***

Rory Puff

Harry Dunworth..

Jake Maher

MARY  
Cronin

Stephan

Carroll

# Autographs

Santiago Oliviera

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Ringrose

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Kate  
Madden

Guillan  
Costello

Ronan

Frazer

David Collins

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# S.T.E.A.M

Last November third class took part in a STEAM workshop with Clare artist Evelyn Sorahan in conjunction with STEAM Ireland. Evelyn hosted 5 workshops and each week focused on a different part of Climate Change.

Firstly, we learned that  $CO_2$  surrounds the earth and that the levels of  $CO_2$  are higher now than in the last 800,000 years. We learned the causes of  $CO_2$  in the community and in the world as a whole. We did a science experiment to see the effect acid or  $CO_2$  has on water. We added bromotymol blue indicator to water and blew into the water with straws. Our water turned a greeny/yellow colour!

Next we learned the effects of  $CO_2$  on the climate. We learned that it changes habitats and that animals are becoming endangered. We made little paper villages and used ice cubes to see the damage flooding can cause.

We made an endangered animals out of clay e.g. sea turtles, polar bears and seals.

Then we learned how to use more renewable energy. We made sustainable houses and cars. We designed a sustainable town with wind turbines and solar panels.

*By Chloe, Rowan*





# THE GRINCH

Before Christmas we read the story of the Grinch. We decided to act it out. We all got a copy of the story and we read it through a few times. We did a raffle for who would take the role of the Grinch and Moya won! Kate was Cindy-Lou.



The story is about the Grinch. He is mean and nasty and he HATES Christmas. His heart is two sizes too small. He wants to ruin Christmas in Whoville so he steals all the presents. But when the people of Whoville wake up with no presents, instead of crying they start singing. The Grinch is shocked and realises Christmas is about friends and family and not about presents after all! He returns all the presents and even gets invited for dinner.

We had great fun practising this play in the classroom and on the last week of December we recorded it for SeeSaw so that our mums and dads could watch it too!

*By Rory & Quillan*

# Favourite Movies

Conor	Hop
Stephen	Sing or MR Stink
David	Harry Potter Series
Quillan	Coco
Alan	Aladdin
Seán	The Avengers Movies
Rory	Dead Pool 2
Harry	Avatar
Rowan	Beethoven 2
Jake	Benji
Noah	The Grinch
James	Henry Danger
Santiago	Harry Potter Series
TJ	Richie Rich
Chloe	History of Tutankamun
Mary	War Horse
Amy	Free Willie
Nessa	Harry Potter Series
Aoibhín	Harry Potter Series
Kate	Harry Potter Series
Rachel	Harry Potter Series
Freya	Star Wars
Aoibhínn R	Harry Potter Series
Zoey	Harry Potter Series
Moya	Harry Potter Series
By Moya, Rachel & Conor	

# Favourite Hobbies

<i>Conor</i>	<i>Horse Riding</i>
<i>Stephen</i>	<i>Basketball</i>
<i>David</i>	<i>Basketball</i>
<i>Quillan</i>	<i>Guitar</i>
<i>Alan</i>	<i>Hurling</i>
<i>Sean</i>	<i>Soccer</i>
<i>Rory</i>	<i>Ruby</i>
<i>Harry</i>	<i>Hurling, art</i>
<i>Rowan</i>	<i>Taekwondo</i>
<i>Jake</i>	<i>Soccer</i>
<i>Noah</i>	<i>Fortnite</i>
<i>James</i>	<i>Farming</i>
<i>Santiago</i>	<i>Hurling</i>
<i>T.J</i>	<i>Soccer</i>
<i>Chloe</i>	<i>Dancing</i>
<i>Mary</i>	<i>Horse riding</i>
<i>Amy</i>	<i>Basketball</i>
<i>Nessa</i>	<i>Scouts, soccer</i>
<i>Aoibhín L</i>	<i>Soccer</i>
<i>Kate</i>	<i>Art</i>
<i>Rachel</i>	<i>Basketball</i>
<i>Aoibhínn R</i>	<i>Dancing &amp; Art</i>
<i>Zoey</i>	<i>Painting</i>
<i>Moya</i>	<i>Soccer</i>
<i>By Harry &amp; Noah</i>	

# FAVOURITE P.E. GAMES



Conor	Basket ball
Stephen	Basket ball
David	Basket ball
Quillan	Dodge ball
Alan	Dodge ball
Sean	Dodge ball
Rory	Hot potato
Harry	Dodge ball
Rowan	Dodge ball
Jake	Soccer
Noah	Soccer
James	Dodge ball
Santi	Basket ball
TJ	Soccer
Chloe	Basket ball
Mary	Dodge ball
Amy	Dodge ball
Nessa	Dodge ball
Aoibhín L	basketball
Kate	Dodge ball
Rachel	Basketball
Freya	Dodge ball
Aoibhinn R	Basket ball
Zoey	Basket ball
Moya	Dodge ball

*By David & Jake*

# Favourite Teams

	Hurling	Soccer
Conor	Clare	Liverpool
Stephen	Clare	Liverpool
David	Limerick	Liverpool
Quillan	Clare	Dublin
Alan	Tipperary	Liverpool
Seán	Clare	Man Utd
Rory	Tulla	Belgium
Harry	Clare	Man Utd
Rowan	Clare	Liverpool
Jake	Galway	Liverpool
Noah	Clare	Chelsea
James	Clare	Liverpool
Santiago	Limerick	Barcelona
TJ	Clare	Barcelona
Chloe	Clare	Liverpool
Mary	Limerick	Barcelona
Amy	Clare	Liverpool
Freya	Clare	Man Utd
Zoey	Clare	Liverpool
Aoibhín L	Clare	Liverpool
Rachel	Clare	Arsenal
Nessa	Clare	Liverpool
Aoibhínn R	Clare	Man Utd
Kate	Clare	Chelsea
Moya	Clare	Liverpool

*By Santi & Stephen*

# Favourite Pet



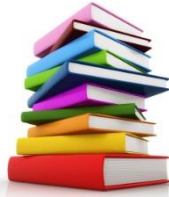
Conor	dog
Stephen	dog
David	dog
Quillan	dog
Alan	goldfish
Seán	dog
Rory	Cat

Harry	dog
Rowan	horse
Jake	dog
Noah	dog
James	cow
Santiago	dog
TJ	dog
Chloe	Cat
Mary	horse
Amy	Cat
Nessa	dog
Aobhín L	dog
Kate	puppy
Rachel	dog
Freya	rabbit
Aoibhínn R	dog
Zoey	horse
Moya	horse



*By Rowan & Conor*

# Guided Reading



After Easter we did Guided Reading in Third class. Each week we read a different book. We had a special G.R. folder where we kept our copybooks, our book reviews, our book mark and our new book.

On a Monday we would get a new book and do a 'Book Walk' where we would write down the title, author, illustrator and book type. When the teacher sat with us we would read the first part of the book. We had word-mats in our copies and when we came

across a new word in our story we would highlight it. The hour was divided into three parts. For the second session we would be given a *Reading Challenge*. Here we had to do activities like finding verbs or nouns in our story, writing out interesting facts or drawing a comic strip for a part of the story. For the



last twenty minutes we would complete activities in our Jolly Grammar, Write Here and comprehension booklets. On Thursdays we took an AR quiz on our book and filled in a book review. The most popular titles were Tiger's Tale, Oliver, The Emperor's New Clothes and Hercules.

*By James & T.J.*



# Town Walk

It all started on a Thursday. It was Ms. O'Neill's birthday. After lunch we went on an SESE walk around Tulla. First we stopped at TJ's house. It is nearly 200 years old and was a soup school. Our next stop was the old cinema and then the courthouse. We took photos of lots of the businesses in Tulla like the Credit Union, Post Office, Vaughan's Supplies and Super Valu. Next we went to the library and we learned that it was used as a market house on fair days. Then we walked up the hill to the old church and graveyard. We walked down by the Old Boys School. This is now a playschool and we do activities like beavers and dancing there in the evenings.

After that we walked down the dill past the church. We saw Cnoc na Gaoithe where we go to music and dance lessons.

It was very sunny and hot that day so Ms O'Neill bought us all ice-cream in the Holly Tree. We all sat out at the Failte sign and enjoyed them.

***By Zoey, Moya & Seán***



# History

**The Stone Age** was 3m years ago. Archaeologists are finding about the past through fossils and finding weapon like spears etc. The Stone Age People were called hunter-gatherers. And they hunted animals and gathered fruits and berries. They hunted the elk so much it became extinct. Hunter-gatherers were nomads. They don't waste any materials to make their quick houses. They used leaves and furs.



**Ancient Egypt** lasted 3000 years. The kings and queens were called pharaohs. King Tutankhamun was the youngest and most famous pharaoh. The last pharaoh was Cleopatra. They worshiped gods like Osiris, Isis is the king of the underworld. Then there was Anubis who loved and took care of those who were ill. The Egyptians invented a form of paper from the papyrus plant and the first form of writing called hieroglyphics.

**Early Christian Ireland;** Christianity is a religion that is based on the teaching of Jesus Christ. Christianity was so important to the people of Europe that when it arrived Europe also became known as Christendom. St Patrick was one of the many saints that came to Ireland.



He grew up in Brittan but was kidnapped by pirates and taken to Ireland when he was 22. He escaped from Ireland and went home. A couple years later Patrick came back to Ireland to tell people about god and be a priest. He is our patron saint and we celebrate ST. Patrick every year on March 17<sup>th</sup>.



The Vikings invaded Ireland over a thousand years ago. Vikings came from Scandinavia; Norway Sweden and Denmark. They travelled on long ships. They carved dragon or snakes on the front

of the ships to scare enemies. After many raids the Vikings started to settle in Ireland around 841 ad. Dublin was their first port town and it was called Dyflin. Viking houses only had one room. Vikings had 2 meals a day. Vikings used a form of writing called runes. Vikings were powerful in Ireland for around 200 years until Brian Boru defeated them in the Battle of Clontarf in 1014AD.

### The Medieval Times

The medieval period began after the fall of the Roman Empire. The medieval period lasted about 476 to 1492. The medieval period was a dark time for Europe.

There were many viruses but there was in particular, the Black Death. The

Black Death was a plague that spread

through Europe between 1347 and 1350. It was so terrible that it killed one third of the population of Europe. People with the plague develop large pus-filled boils under their skin called buboes. Other symptoms were bleeding and vomiting and weakness. Most people died within a week of becoming sick.

Medieval homes did not have toilets. Some families dug a hole in their garden but most just went to the toilet in a bucket in the corner of the room.



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*By Rory & Harry*

# What I want to be when I grow up . .

- ☺ Conor Carpenter or Landscaper
- ☺ Stephen Soccer Player
- ☺ David Soccer Player
- ☺ Quillan Scuba diver
- ☺ Alan Teacher
- ☺ Seán Carpenter
- ☺ Rory Manager
- ☺ Harry Manager
- ☺ Rowan Vet
- ☺ Jake Vet
- ☺ Noah Soccer Player
- ☺ James Farmer
- ☺ Santiago Hurler/Soccer Player
- ☺ TJ Soccer Player
- ☺ Amy Gaelic Player
- ☺ Chloe Scientist
- ☺ Mary Horse Rider
- ☺ Nessa Architect
- ☺ Aoibhín Architect
- ☺ Rachel Architect
- ☺ Freya Carpenter
- ☺ Kate Teacher
- ☺ Aoibhínn R Fashion Designer/Dancer
- ☺ Zoey Singer
- ☺ Moya Actress



☺ by Rachel, Nessa & Aoibhín L

# Sport's Day

On Monday 21<sup>st</sup> June we went to the soccer pitch for our Sport's Day. First we walked to Cragg and set up the activities. Our first activity was the welly throw and then the long puck. David won both of these! Next we played Under Pressure in soccer. Amy won the girls one and Rory won the boys one. Then we played Tug-of-War. This was great fun. We were ready for lunch now. After lunch we started our class races. After that we had a soccer tournament and finally we played mummy wrap! We had a great day!

Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Boys Race	Jake	Seán	T.J.
Girls Race	Aoibhín L	Aoibhínn R	Rachel
Egg & Spoon	Rachel	Aoibhínn R	
Egg & Spoon	T.J.	Stephen	
Three-legged	Stephen & Freya	Nessa, Aoibhín L. Rachel	Alan & Harry, Santí, T.J.
Wheel barrow	Aoibhínn & Mary	Nessa & Aoibhín L	Santí & T.J.
Bib race	James & Aoibhínn R		
Crawling race	Aoibhínn R		
Bean Bag	Moya & Quillan		

# JOKES

<p>What is a star wars fans favourite day of the year .. <i>May the 4<sup>th</sup> be with you!</i></p>	<p>If you play golf bring two pairs of pants ... <i>In case you score a hole in one!</i></p>	<p>Don't play soccer in the jungle...  <i>because there are too many cheetahs!</i></p>
<p>Why did the cow cross the road? ...  <i>to go to the mooovies!!</i></p>	<p>My pet mouse died yesterday. We called him Elvis, <i>he was caught in a trap!</i></p>	<p>Why did the cow cross the road?  <i>Because he wanted to get to the other side!</i></p>
<p>What do eggs do for fun?  <i>Kariyolkie!</i></p>	<p>Why are eggs never funny?  <i>Because they never have a yolk to tell!</i></p>	<p>The magician said "I will disappear on the count of three"  <i>Uno dois. . .</i> A man in the audience said. . .He disappeared without a <i>trois!!</i></p>
<p><i>By Aoibhinn, Seám &amp; Quillan</i></p>		

# Red Panda – Rua

Rua is a red panda that we adopted from Dublin Zoo. Red pandas are endangered animals. They live approximately ten years in the wild and up to 15 years in a zoo. Red panda's largely forage in trees. Bamboo is their main food but they are omnivores and will also eat small mammals, eggs, flowers and berries.



Red Panda's are found in the Himalaya's in Nepal, Bhutan, China and small parts of India. Their habitat is temperate forest where bamboo is plentiful.

We all brought in €2 to adopt the Panda. The zoo sent us an adoption certificate and magnets and keyrings.

*By Nessa, Aoibhín L & Stephen*