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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Hope you are well and looking forward to Christmas.

CHRISTMAS PLAYS

It was wonderful to perform for you all last week, the girls really enjoyed their plays and were a credit to themselves, their families and school. Well done girls! Sincere thanks to our school staff, to the Parents' Council and our caretaker Piotr. Thanks to Brian Russell (Board of Management) for helping with traffic. Also, thanks to Glanmore Foods and Scoil Bhríde Staff for supplying the delicious hampers for the raffle.

DUNAMAISE THEATRE

Infants, 1st and 2nd classes were delighted to watch the production of "Santa's Fairytale Christmas" in the Dunamaise Theatre, Portlaoise

SPLIT THE POT

Congratulations to all "Split the Pot" winners this term. "Split the Pot" will resume again after Christmas.

SCOIL BHRÍDE SINGING

Our 5th and 6th classes have been invited to bring some Christmas cheer to B.O.I. this Thursday singing a repertoire of festive songs. Call in if you are around at 1.30 p.m. Also, well done to the girls who sang in the convent in Mountrath yesterday, thanks to Ms. Whelan for organising this.

CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR

We had a lovely afternoon in school on Friday. Thank you Parents' Council, our local sponsors, the staff of the school and to all of you who came to support our Christmas fair. Special thanks to 6th class, Ms. Whelan, Ms. Brereton, Marion, Mary and staff for organising the stalls.

ACTIVE FLAG.

As part of our Active Flag programme we have invited Mountrath Kettle Bells into our school tomorrow to talk to the children about their club and ideas for helping us get fit over the Christmas season! Thanks to Linda and members of Mountrath Kettle Bells.

On Friday to kick off the festive season staff and students will partake in a Christmas Jumper Walk. All students are asked to wear a Christmas jumper, hat or any festive attire on Friday.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

The school will close **on Friday, 20th December at 12 noon** and re-open **Monday 6th January at 9.20 a.m.**

Nollaig shona agus athbhliain faoi mhaise daoibh go léir.

Yours sincerely,

M. Rohan & Staff.