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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Hope this note finds you well as we approach mid-term. We have been very busy the last few weeks:

CUMANN NA mBUNSCOL

Sincere congratulations to our school football team who won their match against Clonaghadoo yesterday in O'Moore Park. The girls were a credit to their families and school and we are all very proud of you. Thanks to Ms. Sheppard for all your work and expertise in coaching the girls. We had a lovely evening yesterday in Eddie's in celebration of our win!

ATHLETICS

1st, 2nd and 3rd classes completed a four week athletics programme in Ballyfin.

MOUNTRATH LIBRARY

Visits to Mountrath Library – classes have been down to our local library and 3rd, 4th, 5th participated in a creative writing workshop last week.

MATHS WEEK

Children in all classes have been using their “Maths eyes” and have participated in various trails, board games, puzzles, problem solving activities etc.

TEAM HOPE CHRISTMAS SHOEBOX APPEAL

Once again we are participating in the Christmas Shoe Box Appeal, a wonderful project helping those less fortunate. Your daughter has received a leaflet about same. Shoeboxes need to be decorated and filled during the Hallowe'en break. If you need more information please contact your class teacher.

PARENTS COUNCIL

We had a wonderful response to our “Crazy Hair Day” held recently in school. Our next event is on 30th November, more details to follow.

SPLIT THE POT

As you know we are part of "Split The Pot" in the town. Each week you have the opportunity to enter the weekly draw. Also, all Split The Pot tickets from now until the end of November will be entered into a bonus draw for €1,000. As well as helping our town, the revenue we collect will help with funding in our school.

CHILD PROTECTION

At our Board of Management meeting last night we completed our annual review of our Child Safeguarding Statement. This statement and all our statements and policies are available to view on our school website (scoilbhridemountrath.weebly.com). We welcome feedback from you at any time. Hard copies of all school documents and policies are also available upon request.

SCHOOL WEBSITE

Remember to check our school website for the latest news and photographs, thanks to Ms. Brereton.


HALLOWE'EN

Your daughter is welcome to dress up on Friday for Hallowe'en. Home made costumes are always encouraged.

A reminder that school will close for mid-term on **Friday 26th** at the usual time. We will re-open on **Monday 5th November** at 9.20 a.m.

Have a happy and safe Hallowe'en.

Yours sincerely,

 (Principal)
M. Rohan