

Board of Management Meeting

Agreed Report – 26th May 2020

The meeting was held by video link.

There was detailed explanation of the Calculated Grading procedures followed by discussion. Teachers are adapting to the process in a highly professional manner.

The implications of cancelled and deferred school trips for the future school tour policy and compensation due to losses was considered and recommendations made.

The Board congratulated:

- Mrs Redmond and the Environmental Team on securing a second Green Flag for the school.
- The Talent Show competition participants and organisers, Mr Murphy and Mr Sugrue.
- Students, teachers and parents for the high degree of engagement with online learning. The Board paid tribute to the work and sacrifices made by staff across all aspects of the school, both those charged with working very differently and those temporarily laid off. An excellent team spirit continues.

The Board heard of the progress of plans for re-opening in late August predicated upon NEPHET and Dept of Education & Skills advice yet to come. Much valuable information from boarding and day schools in other countries is being examined.

New First Year parents and pupils have had a video presentation to introduce them to the school and provide advice due to be followed up by video conference and FAQ information in late May. Video conference meetings had already been held with parents of Form 1 & 2 along with 6th Year students.

The Board monitored enrolments and approved the advertising of vacancies and termination of temporary contracts by the last day of term.

The next meeting will be on June 25th at 7.00p.m.