

5th & 6th Class:

Fifth and Sixth have learned about Brazil, host of this year's World Cup. In Maths they learned about area. They are reading 'Holes' the novel. It is about a boy going to a camp for bad boys because of a crime that he didn't commit. They are also learning about explanation writing.

Community Games



Well done to Amy Kilcommons who won 1st prize in the Community Games swimming and Eoin Naughton who ran 80 metres and also came 1st!! They will both represent Galway in the All Ireland's in August.

Cumann na mBunscoil: In May, the boys went to Ballygar for hurling. They won a match, lost a match and drew a match. Well done lads! They also played football in Ballygar. It was a lovely day out. The girls played football in Mountbellew and won 2 out of 4 matches.

Graduation Mass

The sixth class had a graduation mass to bid their farewells after eight years of attending Ballaghlea NS. The children said readings, sang and played tin whistle. Thank you to Fr. Breslin who was there to celebrate Mass with us.



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Junior and Senior Infants:

Junior and Senior Infants have been working very hard! They have been observing a nest outside and the mother bird feeding



her young. They even brought in some mini beasts like lady birds and flies. In art they made beautiful butterfly gardens. They also learned about how the seaside is a habitat. They went on a treasure hunt too!



Ready For The Race

1st and 2nd class:

First and second class have been learning about the life cycle of a butterfly as well as the story of the salmon of knowledge. They made outstanding “Fathers Day Cards”. They learned about water safety at the beach and signs of summer.

The second class had their First Confession on 7th April. They also received their First Holy Communion on May 31st. Also congratulations to the 6th class, who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on 2nd May in Fuerty church.

Sports Day: on 12th of June, the whole school had sports day. There were running races, novelty races & lots more! Well done to Adam Farrell’s team, who played Emilia Mizia’s team in the annual football league and won! It certainly was a day that everyone enjoyed!

Active Schools Week: We had Active Schools Week on the 2nd last week of school. We went on walks, played sports such as soccer, hurling, hip hop, football and camogie. On Thursday, we had Sports Day. It was a brilliant way to get fit.

School Tours

3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th class went to UL Sports on their school tour this year. They enjoyed water sports such as canoeing, kayaking and windsurfing and land activities such as high ropes and archery.

Junior & senior infants, 1st & 2nd class went to Turoe Pet Farm on their school tour they got to see lots of cute animals such as rabbits and goats. They were two days to remember.

