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LORETO ABBEY SECONDARY SCHOOL

In Memory Of *Eve McCarthy*



We extend our deepest sympathies to her parents, Paul and Helen, her brother James, and friends of our past pupil, Eve, Class of 2021, on her passing.

Eve will always remain a member of our school family. Those of us who knew her and had the privilege of teaching her remember her with gratitude.

We give thanks for all the gifts Eve brought to our school. She was fun-loving, hardworking, and a young woman of intelligence and kindness. Her gentle nature made her a friend to many, and her sharp wit and sense of humour brought joy and laughter to those around her. She touched so many lives, and our school was a brighter place because she was part of it.

As a school community, we pray that all whose lives Eve touched may find strength and support in one another during this difficult time. We will remember Eve this evening in Loreto Abbey Chapel.

Mr Robert Dunne,
Principal



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UPCOMING EVENTS

- Monday 20th January: Staff Training Day, School Closed
- Tuesday 21st January: First Year Parent/Teacher Meeting, 4.15-6.45pm, school finishes for all students at 3.20pm
- Wednesday 22nd/23rd January: HSE Immunisations for First Years
- Thursday 23rd January: Dragons' Den Judges' Evening from 5pm
- Friday 24th January: Parents' Association Coffee Morning for Parents of 6th Years, 8.45am, Concert Hall



Mary Ward Week

CREATIVE WRITING COMPETITION



INSPIRING WOMEN

WHAT WOMAN INSPIRES YOU AND WHY??

WRITE A POEM, SONG OR ESSAY AND BE AS CREATIVE AS POSSIBLE!!! CAN BE ABOUT FAMILY, FRIENDS OR A WELL KNOWN PERSONALITY



ENTRIES SHOULD BE LEFT OUTSIDE MS BYRNE'S OFFICE BY THURSDAY 23RD JAN

EMBER RENEWAL DAY, DCU

'Let all that you do be done in love' these inspiring words from Corinthians formed the backdrop to the renewal day for our EMBER group as they joined schools from the Archdiocese in DCU on Thursday. Inspiring talks from guest speakers and collaboration with other schools afforded our students time to reflect on their work to date. This also provided the group with inspiration for their activities in the weeks and months ahead. Well done to all to the EMBER group. Mr P.Byrne





TY NEXT WEEK

- Tuesday 21st January: Routine Hair Styling Workshops for 4A, 4B & 4C
- Thursday 23rd January: Bray Bowl & Entertainment Centre
- Friday 24th January: BIFE Careers Trip 9.45-1pm
- Waiver for iWish Stem Event in the RDS to be signed by parents and dropped into box outside G.Byrne's office by Friday 24th January

TRANSITION YEAR UPDATES

We were delighted to welcome our Spanish exchange students from Loreto Seville who arrived just in time to join our TYs in a Year group bonding afternoon in Jump Zone, Sandyford. 4E and 4F also completed their Self Defence course with Close Encounters Self Defence led by Eamonn Coleman.





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SPORTS ROUND UP ATHLETICS



Date 18th-19th
Time 10am-2pm
Price €100 per child

Junior camp 1st to 6th class
Senior camp 1st to 3rd year

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HOCKEY



BASKETBALL

