



DalkeyDiary

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- Monday 27th January: Merchant of Venice Mill Theatre Dundrum, all 3rd Years
- Monday 27th January: Railway Safety Talk for all First Years
- Thursday 30th January: 6th Year Mock Examinations Begin
- Thursday 6th February: 3rd Year Mock Examinations Begin
- Monday 10th February: 5th Year Examinations Begin
- Tuesday 11th February: 1st & 2nd Year Examinations Begin

MARY WARD WEEK

Community, friendship and happiness are some of the words that currently adorn our glass corridor. Our students articulated their Loreto school experience, as envisioned by our founder, Venerable Mary Ward, through art this week. The winners of the 'Inspirational Women' creative writing competition will be announced next week. Thank you to the EMBER Group and Mr P.Byrne.



FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE

We were delighted to welcome Reverend Ruth Elms and Niamh McCann to speak to our 6th Year R.E classes about the role of faith, hope and love in their lives. Both guest speakers offered philosophical insights into the challenges they had faced and overcome. Thank you to the RE Department for organising these thought provoking seminars.



Thank You!

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BOOKS DONATED

WE HAVE REACHED OUR NEXT MILESTONE!

PLEASE DONATE A BOOK FROM THE WISH LIST
(OR SECOND-HAND) TO HELP US REACH OUR FINAL GOAL



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YES JUDGES' EVENING

Pitching a business idea to a group of experienced professionals is no mean feat, but that is what our eager entrepreneurs from 1st, 2nd and TY happily entered into on Thursday evening. Thank you to Sheila Heavey, Michelle Maguire, Sara Emerson, Robert Trent, Lorraine Hanson, Una Kay, Emily Foley, Lydia Clarke and Manos Byrne who gave generously of their time to act as judges and thank you also to Ms Gleeson for preparing the students for the YES programme in 2024/'25.





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TY UPDATES

- Tuesday 28th January: Routine Hair Workshop for 4D, 4E, 4F
- Thursday 30th January: Communications Seminar with Ms Ellen Gunning, CEO of Mettacomms
- Thursday 6th February: iWish RDS, Waiver now due to box outside Ms Byrne's office

FANTASTIC FOLLICLES

Over 4,000 years ago, Egyptian women and men were known to plait their hair in ornate braids, fast forward to January 2025 and Routine Hair are providing our TYs with the skills to master braids, chignons and upstyles.

From follicles to fun in Bray Bowl and Laser Tag, our TYs enjoyed an afternoon of Year group bonding this Thursday.





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Congratulations

To our Music Coordinator, Ms Naoimh Penston on the launch of her album 'No Fury' which is available on Spotify.



SPORTS ROUND UP CROSS COUNTRY RUNNING: EAST LEINSTERS



HOCKEY



SOCCER

BASKETBALL

