

Presentation Secondary School Listowel

Board of Management Wednesday 4th March 2020

Agreed Report

- ✚ Members of the Student Council met with the Board of Management before the meeting to inform the Board about their activities.
- The Board of Management expressed its sympathy to the family of former Board member and Chairperson Mike Sheehy on his recent passing.
- The Principal informed the Board about the Lenten activities as part of the report on Ethos
- The Board completed the Child Protection Oversight Report for February 2020
- The Board discussed the Review of the School Policy Schedule in particular in review of the following policies
 - ✚ Review of the Student Council Policy: Dr. Domall Fleming, Education Lecturer in UCC will meet with staff and student on April 28th to assist with the review.
 - ✚ Review of the Respect and Dignity Policy (Anti-Bullying Policy) led by the Year Head Team in the Spring 2020
 - ✚ Review of the Policy on Student Teachers June 2015
 - ✚ The RSE Policy is also to be reviewed
- The Chairperson updated the Board on the recent developments regarding the new building now that the new building process is under way tendering etc
- The Board approved an increase in the Transition Year fee from €550 to €600. The €550 fee has been in place for the past six years.
- In light of the costs involved in the implementation of the New Junior Cycle, the Board approved an increase of €10 in the Book Rental Scheme for Junior Cycle students. The cost involved increases from €130 to €140 for the academic year 2020-2021
- The Principal updated the Board on all Teaching and Learning issues.
- The Principal informed the Board about all school activities since the last Board meeting
- The Board discussed the School Self Evaluation Process. A detailed discussion took place regarding the 'Looking At Our Schools' document. The Principal shared the results of a staff questionnaire in the 'Looking At Our Schools' Leadership and Management section.
- The next meeting will be held the Wednesday 1st April 2020

