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November



Greenway cycle



On the 27th of October, the students rode bikes along the greenway. They walked down to the park in the morning to pick up their rental bikes. They were taught how to use the bikes, including how to use the brakes and gears, as well as how to signal if they are cycling by someone who is walking, before they started off.

The students had started riding from Listowel all the way to Abbeyfeale, a distance of 37 kilometres. After a brief 15-minute rest before heading back to Listowel, they were all pleased with themselves for having made it to Abbeyfeale. They had a great time cycling through the greenway while taking in the breath-taking surroundings.

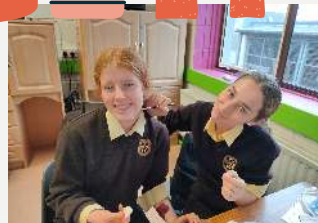


SHAUNA STYLE SEARCH



On the 20th of October the TY's had a talk from Shauna Cahill, who was a past pupil of the school and a past teacher to some of the TY's, about her journey through teaching, travelling and starting her own business-Style Search. She spoke to them about her past experiences as a teacher, finding her passion for making and styling clothes, and her hopes and dreams for the future. She also gave advice to each group about their Junk Kouture ideas which every group were very grateful for and were a great help for developing their designs.

SPECIAL EFFECTS WORKSHOP



On the 11th of November the TY students had a special effects make-up workshop. This workshop gave the pupils an insight of what it's like working as a special effects make-up artist. The students made many effects like burns, scratches and a lot more. Overall, they really enjoyed the process of making their own special effects and were happy with the results.

TRANSITION

YEAR

CHRISTMAS MARKET

The planning of the festive Christmas market is well on the way, with TYS busy making arts and crafts in the run up to the event. The Christmas market will be selling hand made bits and bobs of a wide variety made by students themselves. The money raised will go towards the funding of activities for the TYS for the remainder of the year. Plenty of hard work and dedication has been invested by all students and teachers, and our goods will be on display for all students and parents to visit and support in the weeks to come.





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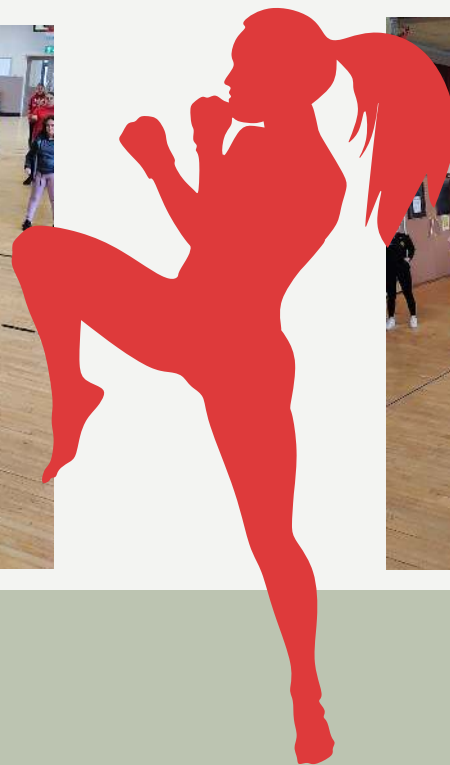
Transition year students took part in the Holocaust Education Trust of Ireland's commemoration of lives lost during the Holocaust by planting a bed of crocuses on the school garden. Mr Culloty's students got to work digging holes for the bulbs and pulling up their sleeves for a very worthy cause. We look forward to the crocuses growing in the coming months



MINISTER FOLEY VISITS

On Friday the 11th of November, we were visited by Minister Norma Foley. She was welcomed with a guard of honour by the TY students with their bodhrans, she then was welcomed by the student council and was given a tour of our school. She was interviewed by Natalie Gorczyk and Kaelynn Murphy, and was presented a poem written by Méabh Kennelly and a drawing by Molly Linane.

SELF DEFENSE





TY PODCASTING

Mr Culloty's Transition Years have been working hard on their podcasts in recent weeks, and our listeners will be thrilled to hear they are now available on our website. Stay tuned!

TITLES

- the banshees
- superpowers
- ... and more to come!

OPEN NIGHT 2022

Transition Years were busy contributing to the school's annual open night, held in late October. It was a hugely successful evening!



CAREERS NIGHT 2022

Transition Years were thrilled to participate in the Careers Night, held in the school on November 24th. Past pupils came to speak about their career choices and progressions in what was a very informative evening.



Career
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**RADIO KERRY MEDIA
LITERACY PROGRAMME**



KERRY RADIO

Eimear Buckley and I, Caitlin Roos, went to Radio Kerry from the 7th to the 12th of November for the Radio Kerry Media Literacy Programme. The whole programme was based around learning how to schedule and create a radio show. We learned about how to use the editing software, and how the ads and the running order are made. We also went out on to the streets of Tralee and interviewed random people to use the audio for our show, while also interviewing well-known people such as Minister Foley and Miriam O'Keefe and finally, on Saturday the 12th, we went live on air and presented the show we created. We learned many new things from this experience and had great fun.



**THANK
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DECEMBER:

PERCUSSION
WORKSHOP,
FILM MAKING,
FORESNIC WORKSHOP,
CHRISTMAS MARKET