

St. Patrick's N.S. Bruree, Co. Limerick. V35EK64

Board of Management Agreed Report 02/10/2023

Date:02/10/2023	
Present:	Síle De Cléir, Ger Kelleher,Fiona Walsh, Joanna Kelleher,Mike Barron, Pauline O'Connell
Child Safeguarding:	DLP: Ger Kelleher DDLP: Margaret Irwin Child Safeguarding Statement and Risk Assessment were reviewed and updated by the BOM. Notice of Review can be found on the school website. Updated policy can also be viewed on school website Child Protection oversight report approved by the Board.
Staffing	Currently 7 classroom teachers, 3 support teachers, 1 administrative Principal, 3.5 SNAs, 1 caretaker.
Policy Development:	The following policies were reviewed and ratified at the meeting school year. Child Safeguarding Statement Admissions Policy Admissions Notice Supervision Policy Accident and Injury Policy
Curricular Developments/Extra Curricular Activities:	School Self Evaluation: S.I.P. in numeracy has been developed by school staff and actions are currently being implemented. An overview of SIP was distributed to parents on Thursday 28th of September Wellbeing SIP is currently being devised Curricular: Engagement with new Primary Maths Curriculum Principal and a member of staff attended an information day on Friday 30th September Music Teacher Joan Slatterry has started in the school The school has successfully applied for a place at this year's Peace Proms Extra Curricular Activities 2023/2024 GAA Football Training Green Schools Committee Pupil Council reestablished
School Attendance:	September 2023- 94%

Parental Involvement	 Parent Association AGM will take place in October Parent Nominees for new BOM will be nominated at AGM. Parent/Teacher Meetings will take place in Novem
School Projects:	The following projects were completed over the summer holidays New marmoleum flooring GP room and 5th class room Painting of GP room and 5th class room Extra storage units fitted to GP room Replace small kitchen area New rear entrance to the school School deep cleaned in August Windows and Gutters Cleaned in August
School Finances	 Monthly accounts for July, August and September were presented to the Board. These were reviewed and signed by the Chairperson and Treasurer.
Enrolment	 23 new pupils joined the school as junior infants in 2023/2024. 3 new pupils joined the school in other classes Current enrolment- 179 pupils Enrolment for 2024/2025 opened on 02/10/2023
School Ethos:	Meeting opened with a prayer Communion Date: 27th April 2024. Current Board members were thanked for their time, support and dedication to the school during their term on the Board. A new Board will be established for 2023 to 2027 in the coming weeks following the procedures outlined in the new Governance Manual for BOMs.