Killoughteen National School

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Dear Parent(s),

We hope that you enjoyed the Christmas holidays and had a good break. Today is the first day of term 2 for our pupils and it will be very busy indeed.

This week the children will be accepting a defibrillator on behalf of the school community and again we thank you all sincerely for your generous support! The staff will be trained this Thursday, January 12th. To facilitate this training, school will close early at **2pm** for all pupils.

Our 5th and 6th class pupils will be busy preparing for the RDS Primary Science fair in Mary Immaculate College on Thursday the 19th of January. Their project is entitled ‘Exploring alkaline and acidic reacting agents to create handheld fire extinguishers.’ We hope they learn loads and enjoy the experience.

We welcome two student teachers into third and fourth class, Miss McCarthy and Miss Lee. We wish them well for their placement.

Noel O Connor will train the children of senior infants on Tuesdays for an hour in the skills of hurling/camogie. This will be between 12 and 1pm. Noel is a great support to Killoughteen NS. Noel will also train our senior girls camogie between 3 and 4 on Tuesday evenings. This is weather permitting. Please bring hurleys and helmets if you have them. If you don’t have any we will provide same.

It is a busy and exciting time for our BOM also as we are now in the early stages of planning for the erection of 3 new classrooms. We have secured funding for 2 classrooms presently and are now in the design phase and hope to be in a position to submit our planning application to Limerick City and County Council in the near future.

We thank all of you for your support over 2016 and look forward to your support over 2017.

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Willie Curtin