



St. Augustine's College

Proposed Changes to the School Timetable

**School starting each day at
0900am,**

**School finishing at 3.35pm
on Monday, Tuesday Wednesday
and Thursday,**

Finishing at 2.30 on Friday.

**School lunch break will be reduced
from 45 minutes to 30 minutes
each day.**

Currently classes are of 35 and 40
minutes duration, With proposed
changes there will be an increased
number of 40 minute classes, and 6
classes on Fridays will be 30
minutes duration.

Parents' Association News

Summer 2015

The Parents' Association has an important role in the 'fostering of good relations between parents, teachers, students and the school authorities'. All parents or legal guardians of students attending the Friary are automatic members of the Friary Parents Association.

INFORMATION MEETING **Tuesday 26th May 8.00p.m.**

An information meeting for parents will be held in the school on Tuesday night, at 8pm. The proposed changes to the school timetable will be discussed. Advantages, disadvantages, implications for children and parents will be discussed. Whether you support the proposed changes or not it is important to voice your opinion.

Parents are encouraged to attend this meeting as we, as parents, will be making a submission to the Board Of Management . The BOM meets on June 9th so it is imperative that we formulate our submission promptly.

If you are unable to attend the meeting you may contact your Parents Representatives, or Parents Association officers.

Parents Representatives on BOM are
Rosemary Fennell 0871258262
Peter Finch 0872100145.

Parents Association Officers are:
Rosemary Fennell Chairperson 0871258262
Fiona Flynn Treasurer 0863492751
Mary Phelan Secretary 0871302048

Fun Camp for incoming First Years Aug. 10th -14th.



A fun filled week of activities, drama, team building exercises. An opportunity for students to get to know the school campus and get to meet the students who will spend a lot of time with them over the next 5 or 6 years. Participation is optional . Fee €50



Coffee Morning for 6th Years

This annual get together of the Leaving Cert class and their teachers will be held at 11.00 a.m. on 22nd May.

In addition to helping to serve teas and coffees to the students and teachers the Parents Association provide a selection of cakes and buns on the day, if you would like to help out on the Friday morning or contribute baked goods it would be much appreciated. Please let one of the committee know.



Congratulations to Brother Lennon and his Superschools Team who proudly represented their school and indeed their country, at the recent Superschools Event in France. They were victorious by a narrow margin!



€2 Weekly Lotto Draw now finished for the School Year

Based on the bonus number in the National Lottery draw.

. Winners announced on the school Website www.staugustines.ie

State Exams.

Junior Cert and Leaving Cert Students are looking ahead to June. They have worked very hard.

Good Luck to them all!

About the School Lotto

In an effort to raise funds exclusively to refurbish the upper floor of the main school building a LOTTO was launched in Spring last year. There is a vast amount of empty space to be transformed into functional space . The initial changes will be to set up an Art Room and Music Room. Moving the Art Room upstairs will create space for an additional Science Lab downstairs. Various other fundraisers have been organised throughout the year by Parents Association (Bag 2 School, Motor Cycle Run) We are making slow progress. We need way more participation by parents in order for this transformation to occur so please keep an eye on the School Website or contact any committee member if you are able to help out.

Fund Raising Ideas.

If you have ideas for raising funds we encourage you to come along to one of the meetings which are held in the school at 7pm on the first Tuesday of each month. We will be starting our meetings in September, so *Get Involved!* Its a great way to learn how the school functions!