**A special meeting of the Green Schools Committee was held on Wednesday 14th March at 9.50a.m.**

Chairperson: Esther Stack

Present

All members were present except for Jack Quirke and Jacqueline Bowen who were otherwise engaged at this time.

The purpose of the meeting was to bring the members up to date on recent changes to the Board of Management’s decision regarding the mural at back of school.

The recent announcement of a new school in Kanturk would involve complete relocation. The staff thought it necessary to revisit the idea and discussed the wisdom in putting money and effort into something which would/ could not be relocated. The Green Schools Committee was told that the staff and artist involved had agreed upon a hanging which could be taken to the new school. The work of current pupils would become a decorative feature of the new school. The new project would take six weeks and the cost would be reduced accordingly.

The Chairperson praised the Green Schools Committee for their valuable contribution to the decision making process and reminded them of the importance of recognising their role in this setting. It is a very important social skill to be an effective member of a committee.