19<sup>th</sup> December, 2019

Dear Parents.

On Monday 16<sup>th</sup> we had our Annual School Mass. It was a very special event. Thanks to all who prepared the children so well.

Our Green Schools Committee were very pleased with the response to the Christmas Tree Decoration Competition.

The winners of the competition were: 6<sup>th</sup> – Mark Watson

5<sup>th</sup> – Colin Sheehan, Liam Allen 4<sup>th</sup> – Joshua Hassett, Brian O'Keeffe 3<sup>rd</sup> – Jack Vaughan, Darren McSweeney 3<sup>rd</sup> – Oran McSweeney, David Hynes 2<sup>nd</sup> – Arron Morrissey, Jake O'Sullivan 1<sup>st</sup> – AaronKiely, J.J.Holland

The Green Schools Committee would like to thank you all for your support during the term and look forward to pursuing more ideas in 2020.

We would like to congratulate our students who took part in the Carol Singing on Saturday December 14<sup>th</sup> with Gerry O'Riordan and Noel Carroll. A big thank you to everybody involved in the event. They realised €1320.00 on the day.

 $4^{th}$ ,  $5^{th}$  and  $6^{th}$  classes went Carol Singing on Tuesday to raise money for the Air Ambulance. They had a great day out raising €870.00 for this very worthy charity. Well done to all involved in preparing the children. There are also Air Ambulance wrist bands available to buy in school for €1. To purchase is optional.

Our boys visited the Hospital today to spread the Christmas Cheer there. Well done to all involved.

6<sup>th</sup> class are busy with the Robotics Competition and STEM projects. We look forward to fantastic creations in 2020.

We will be holding our Christmas Raffle tomorrow. There is still time to buy tickets if you haven't done so already

We conclude by thanking you all most sincerely for your support in the school. We wish you a very happy, peaceful Christmas and continued good health and happiness for 2020. Nollag Shona daoibh go léir. We will be closing tomorrow Friday Dec.  $20^{th}$  at 12.30pm and reopening again on Monday January  $6^{th}$ .

I remind you to log on to our school website to keep up to date on school events. The address is <a href="https://www.kanturkbns.com">www.kanturkbns.com</a>

Don't forget you can follow us on twitter <a>@colmansbns</a>

Your sincerely,

Eilish Finnegan, Principal.