# CBS PROGRESS- OCTOBER 2022

#### PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS

It has been a busy start to our school year. Welcome to our 1 st Year students, we are delighted to have you join our school community. It has been great getting to know you all, and see you develop your skills, talents and make new friends.

#### **LC Results**

Congratulations to our Leaving Certificate Class of 2022. The commitment and resilience shown by our students is highly commendable. We congratulate you on your academic achievements, and wish you every continued success as you go on to study in a variety of areas including: artificial intelligence, accounting, medical, law, engineering and education.

#### **Learning and Teaching**

We welcomed a Department Inspector for an English Inspection. The feedback at the end of the two days was fantastic, and included:

Very Good: Teaching, Learning and Assessment

Very Good: Subject Provision and Whole School Provision

Very Good: Planning and Preparation

(Very good is the highest category on the Inspectorate's Quality of Continuum).

Other comments included:

- Learning intentions thoughtfully framed.
- Culture of co-operative learning experiences.
- Highly complimentary of junior and senior cycle student focus groups, and how
- Engaged the boys are with the English subject.
- Learning environments very impressive.
- Good communication with SEN department.
- Very good engagement with Continuous Professional Development.
- Classes diligently prepared.
- High expectation in relation to student behaviour.

#### **Enrolment 1 st Year 2023**

Our admissions policy and enrolment forms are available from the school office. Applications are accepted up to, and including 27 the October 2022 after which letters with notification of outcome will be issued.

Enjoy the mid-term break.

Andrea Murphy Seán Roberts Principal Deputy Principal









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# WANT TO SUBSCRIBE?

by L. O'Mahony (Teacher)

CBS progress is a E newsletter that is issued in each school term. If you would like to subscribe to our school E newsletter, please email info@cbscharleville.com and request to be added - leave your name along with email address to which you wish to receive E newsletter. If you would like to keep up to date more regularly, we are on <code>Facebook</code> at "CBS Charleville" and also on <code>Twitter</code> @cbscharleville. Wishing you all a happy and safe break.



#### CBS CHARLEVILLE STUDENTS STUN WITH AMAZING RESULTS

By Ms.L. O'Mahony

There was huge success this year in CBS Charleville with the Leaving Certificate results. 11% of students achieved over 600 points, 32% achieved over 500 points and 50% achieved over 400 points. There was an astounding 32% of students who achieved a H1 in maths while 100% of Higher Level maths students received the 25 bonus points. While all the results were excellent, one student, Darragh O'Sullivan, received the maximum 625 points which is an amazing achievement.

The class of 2022 went through a very challenging time during their Senior Cycle education with two lock downs due to Covid-19 along with plenty of restrictions. They managed to overcome these challenges with their hard work and determination, but also with the support of the staff who were always on hand to provide extra support and advice when needed.

On Thursday 8th September the students received their first round of CAO offers and there were plenty of happy faces.

Darragh O'Sullivan – 625 points – Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning, UL

Jack Bryne - 510 points - Primary Teaching in Mary I, Limerick

Evan McEnery – 523 points – Primary Teaching in Mary I, Limerick

Cormaic Foley – 477 points – Aerospace Engineering, Carlow IT

Michael Mackessy – 532 points – PE and French Teaching, UCC

Ryan O'Sullivan - 542 points - Engineering, UL

Dermot Dwane - 601 points - PE and Maths Teaching, UL

Shane Liddy - 542 points - Law, UCC

Michael Mortell - 498 points - Construction Teaching, UL

Dylan Browne - 591 points - Medicine

Thomas Crowley - 445 points - Mechanical Engineering







# CBS CHARLEVILLE WELCOMES NEW FIRST YEAR STUDENTS

By Ms.L. O'Mahony

CBS Charleville rolled out the red carpet for their new first year students on Tuesday 30th August. The new students had an opportunity to meet the pastoral care team including their class tutors and year heads along with induction into school life. They finished off the day by adding their handprints to the CBS family tree mural in the social area. We hope this was the start of many happy days for them in CBS Charleville.

















#### OPEN NIGHT

#### By Ms.L. O'Mahony

CBS Charleville was delighted to welcome prospective students and parents from local primary schools to our open night. On the night, we showcased the vast array of curricular and extra-curricular subjects available to students in our school. The evening culminated with the principal's address where Ms. Murphy and Mr. Roberts had the opportunity to talk about the opportunities afforded to students who attend our school along with the achievements of past pupils.

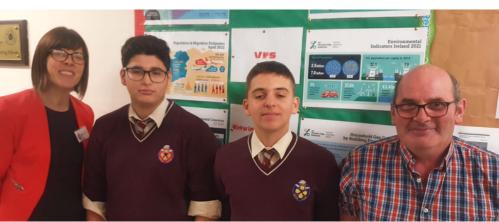
Our 5th year tour guides did an outstanding job bringing groups of parents and students around the school while many other students and teachers ran a variety of activities in each classroom.

Thanks to Principals of local Primary Schools who allowed us the opportunity to visit their campus and meet 5th and 6th class groups. Senior management did a brief presentation of all that is on offer at CBS Charleville and gave a formal invite to attend our Open Evening. Subject teachers provided opportunities for hands on learning experience and groups engaged with certain aspects of construction / woodwork and orienteering modules. The aim of our taster day and visits to local feeder schools was to ease the transition for these students to 1st year and to help these boys make a positive start to post primary education at CBS Charleville.











# CBS CHARLEVILLE REIGNITES PARTNERSHIP WITH S.L. O'Mahony HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL

By Ms.L. O'Mahony

#### **CBS Charleville reignites partnership with Holy Family School**

This term saw the revival of the partnership scheme between TY students and students in Holy Family School. While there has always been a strong tie between the two schools, Covid 19 in the past number of years had put a halt to all activities.

The addition of the horticulture unit and sensory garden in CBS has provided endless opportunities to the students in CBS to develop their horticulture skills along with their knowledge and appreciation for organically produced food. Gardening and working in nature is an integral part of the Junior Cycle programme in CBS Charleville as research shows that it can help reduce stress and improve overall wellbeing.

For the next few weeks, students in transition year will work closely with students from Holy Family School in the sensory garden and horticulture unit. After this, CBS students will go to the Holy Family School and learn how to cook during Home Economics classes. Once spring arrives, the students will return to the horticulture unit and sensory garden again to look after their produce.

We have also been working closely on a number of other projects with the Holy Family School. A number of our students were invited to take part in art and cooking activities which allowed the students to show off their creativity and learn some new life skills.













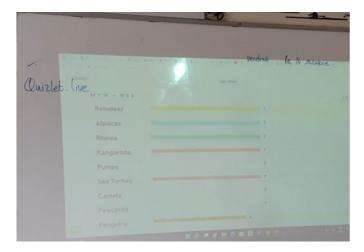
#### TECHNOLOGY IN THE FRENCH CLASSROOM

By Ms.L. O'Mahony

Some French classes from 1st - 6th year have ben enjoying using technology to help them to learn and retain new vocab. Quizlet can be used as both an app on phones/tablets or on a laptop. It allows students to learn new vocab, verbs and grammar in a fun interactive way through flashcards, matching games or allowing students to complete online tests.

Gradually learning new vocab and grammar on a weekly basis greatly increases the ability to retain new information rather than leaving it until the last minute before an exam. Simply spending 10 minutes a day on an app such as Quizlet can greatly help.

Students have also been enjoying many in class competitions using their phones and chromebooks working both individually and as a team.











# YOGA INTRODUCED FOR JUNIOR CYCLE WELLBEING

By Ms.N. O'Sullivan

As part of our Wellbeing Programme, First Year students are lucky enough to participate in an 11 week yoga module every Thursday. Yoga has many benefits in the classroom including reducing stress and anxiety, improving focus and attention span, promoting mindfulness, increasing self-confidence and self esteem, improving physical wellbeing and emotional regulation. With consistent weekly practice out first years are really beginning to get to know their poses and benefit from their practice.

The students are now currently 8 weeks into their programme and have almost mastered their Downward Facing Dog, Triangle Pose, Tree Pose, Shoulder Stands and Fish Pose.

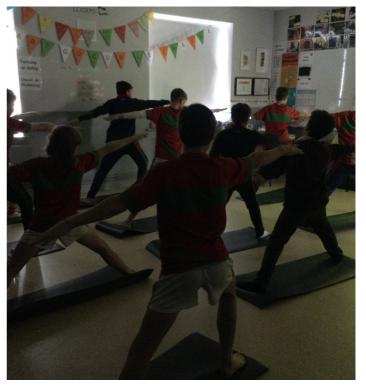












#### GAA GOING WELL PROGRAMME

By Ms.L/O'Mahony

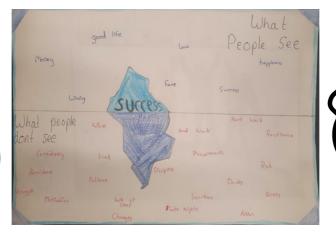
As part of our Wellbeing Programme, Second year students are undertaking a number of modules from the GAA Going Well Programme. This programme combines biological, social, psychological, intellectual and ethical elements to help students gain a better understanding of themselves and in turn, set goals and gain resilience.

Having started the programme in first year, this term students focused on the module of success. They have spent time analysing what success means to them, how to set goals and how to measure success. They have also been practicing guided meditation which is proven to reduce anxiety, stress, negative moods and fatigue while it helps to improve memory and attention.

I love the group work and meditation Max

It's very fun, we learn new things and I like the meditation I love the debating, meditation, and activities. Cian

I enjoy the walking debates, physical activities and meditation



I like meditating, talking, laughing and physical activities Oran





#### MATHS WEEKS AT CBS

by D Corkery (Teacher)

CBS Charleville celebrated Maths Week this term with lots of activities on offer. Ms. Corkery's 3rd year maths class took part in a quiz where students worked together as a team and drew on their prior knowledge. The competition was tight but the team of Taylor O'Sullivan, Oisin Biggane, Daniel Barysau and Gavin Dorney had a very convincing win after a near perfect performance, scoring 47/48.

The third years were again in competition on Wednesday when Ms. Corkery asked her class to use their creative skills to write a poem, rhyme or song to help their fellow classmates remember the rules for measuring averages and variability. After a class vote, Daniel Barysau was crowned the winner.

The first years were given the opportunity to show off their maths skills during a Kahoot quiz. The students worked against the clock to solve some difficult maths questions but James Knightson proved too fast for his classmates and won the competition.

Finally on Friday, 1st and 2nd year students took part in a Lichess competition in Mr. Butler's class where they played a number of games of chess against CBS Thurles. The students are looking forward competing again in the future.









## LEAVING CERT GEOGRAPHY TRIP

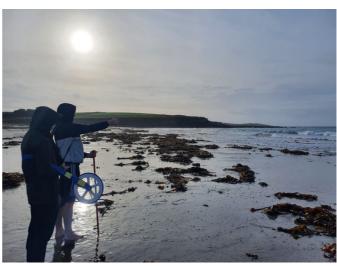
By Ms. S. Costello

On Tuesday 25th October the Leaving Cert geography class travelled to Garretstown Beach to undertake their field study. This year, the students investiagted the processes of transportation and deposition using a wide variety of methods. They worked together in pairs to complete a number of experiments using a range of equipment including clinometers, trundle wheels, ranging poles, anemometers and wind vanes. The students will now analyse their results and draw conclusions from them. This project is worth 20% of their final grade.











## FIRST YEAR CALLAN TRIP

By Mr. J. Riordan

On Wednesday the 25th of October our first year students travelled to Callan in Co Kilkenny to visit the birthplace of Edmund Rice. They were accompanied by their year head Mr Riordan, Religion teacher Mr Hogan and Fr. René Zambrana from the Home of the Mother in Mallow. Here the boys learned all about Edmund Rice's upbringing and the formation of the Christian Brothers. They were treated to a tour of his home which was a beautiful thatched cottage built over 250 years ago. On the way home we stopped off at St Patrick's Well in clonmel where the boys enjoyed their lunch and a stroll in this wonderful place of worship and peace.











## HOMEWORK CLUB

By Ms. M. Kelly

Caters for students from all years and takes place on Mondays and Wednesdays of each week from 3.50-5.00pm. After School Club will:

- Allow the students to complete their homework in a quiet environment.
- Provide the students with guidance and assistance while completing work.

To book a place in the homework club, please contact reception on 063-81789 or reception@cbscharleville.com.



#### FOOTBALL FOR ALL

By Eileen Quealey-O'Connell - football for All Coordinator

After a two-year absence due to Covid-19, the FAI run programme, *Football for All* is back at Holy Family School, based on the St Joseph's Foundation campus.

Our unique FAI programme offers an outlet for children with special needs to play football with their fellow students from the two secondary school's TY programmes in Charleville town.

Back in 2011, Charleville AFC approached the Holy Family School, the CBS and St. Mary's Secondary schools and asked if they would like to participate in FFA. Without hesitation all three schools came on board and so our journey began.

Every week a group of transition year students come to the Holy Family School to coach two different age groups. The first session is an hour long and the second session with the younger children is 30 minutes. Under direct supervision by a FFA local club member, the TY students prepare and implement a session plan. The TY students learn to adapt their session plans to the individual needs of the children they coach. As coaches, the TY students learn that they need to be flexible and open.

The second session with the younger children is less structured and the TY students teach skills such as turn taking with a football.

This programme is important for many reasons, not least the invaluable connections created by bringing the local schools together, demonstrating the importance of social inclusion in action.

The programme has been running successfully and its success wouldn't be possible without the fantastic support we get from all the staff in the Holy Family School, the CBS TY co-ordinator, Mary Mulroe and the St. Mary's TY co-ordinator Yvonne O'Keeffe.











# MOUNTAIN BIKING

By Joran Stockdalte (student)

We went to Ballyhoura Biking as part of the TY Induction. This allowed us to get to know our new classmates. It was also a fantastic experience cycling on the trails and slopes that were occasionally terrifying and dramatic. We rode around the mountains all day and connected as a group. By the end of the day, we had made a lot of new friends. Thanks to our teachers Mr Mc Gill and Mr Reidy for accompanying us on the day.



#### CORK MENTAL HEALTH CONFERENCE

By Joran Stockdalte (student)

Cork Mental Health Day was held in early October. The conference dealt with the emotional, psychological, and social well-being of people and how we should treat each other. The guest speakers were Shane Casey (Actor), Tadhg Hickey (Comedian, Actor), Clare Shine (International footballer) and Liam Doocey (Youth Health Service). Each presenter spoke about their life experiences.

Shane Casey was very funny and enthusiastic which made his workshop very entertaining and instructional. He spoke of his experiences as a Tesco employee handing out sausages and his acting job. He also discussed his perspective on the "The Young Offenders" casting process.

Clare Shine's workshop was incredibly enlightening and informative as she discussed her drug and alcohol addiction and how she used them to cope with life's challenges while pretending everything was fine.

Liam Doocey's workshop was also quite funny, which made his presentation incredibly essential and impactful. Overall, the Cork Mental Day was quite informative and interesting, with a dash of humour thrown in for good measure.









#### WORLD PLOUGHING CHAMPIONSHIPS

By Joran Stockdalte (student)

It was great to have Transition Years back at the National Ploughing Championships this year. The sun was beaming for the day and everyone had a ball!!

The outdoor agricultural exhibition in Ratheniska included a ploughing competition. There were several activities and experiences available for everyone during the Ploughing Championships. In terms of cuisine, there were a plethora of various vendors displaying their own cuisines. The machinery and farming equipment targeted different aspects of agriculture. Food fairs, car exhibits, fashion shows, and sheep dog trials were among the numerous activities on display. We witnessed the World Welly Throwing Competition as well as a variety of farm animals.

A great day to experience some of Ireland's culture!!









## JAMES FITZGERALD MEMORIAL BLITZ

By Ms.L. O'Mahony

The annual James Fitzgerald Memorial Cup blitz took place on Tuesday 11th October in Charleville GAA club. This annual competition was run by the TY Future Leaders class and is run in memory of past student James Fitzgerald who passed away suddenly in 2012. James was an excellent hurler and popular student among staff and students alike. There were over 100 primary school hurlers present on the day and some exceptional matches followed. The Cup was eventually won by Ballyhea NS who beat Charleville CBS Primary School in a tense final. The plate was won by Liscarroll NS who had a superb battle with Charleville CBS B while the shield was secured by Ballyagran NS who beat Milford NS in the final.



























## CBS WELCOME NEW BIKE SHELTERS

By Ms. L. O'Mahony

This term saw a very exciting arrival of two new sheltered bike racks. There are many students who cycle to school so the Student Council worked in conjunction with Greenschools last year to secure a grant for the provision of two new bike racks. These are a very welcome addition to our school.





#### STUDENT VOICE

By Mr. J. Riordan/Ms. L. O'Mahony

This term the student council for the year were elected. Each class voted on who they would like to represent them on the student council. The student council meets with coordinator Mr. Riordan once a month and gives students the opportunity to bring forward any issues or suggestions their classmates have.

The Amber Flag committee was also selected this year. After filling out detailed application forms, the applications were reviewed by Ms. O'Mahony and Ms. Hanley and the committee was chosen. The committee will work throughout the year to organise events and initiatives to help promote positive mental health among the school community.

#### **Amber Flag Committe**e

1st year
Daniel Collins
Aidan Liddy

*2nd year* Seán Fearn Joshua Fitzgerald

3rd Year
Fernando O'Connell
Arsen Tatsuik
Bryan Horgan
Bobby Dowling

*TY* Aaron Deane

5th Year Míchéal Sheehan Kevin Shiju Conor Barrett

*6th Year* Charlie Duignan

#### **Student Council**

*1st year* Aaron O'Callaghan Senan Hanrahan

2nd year Daniel Mackessy Dario Demjanovic

*3rd Year* Rehman Nawab Bobby Dowling

*TY* Joran Stockdale

> 5th Year Jack Jones Kevin Shiju

6th Year James Mackessy Paudie Murphy

#### MUNSTER U16.5 HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

By Mr. J. Riordan

CBS Mitcheltsown 1-17 CBS Charleville 1-12

Charleville GAA was the venue for the clash between CBS Mitchlestown and CBS Charleville on Wednesday September 21st. Charleville played against a stiff breeze in the opening half against a strongly fancied Mitchelstown team, however thanks to fine displays from Patrick Daly, Turlough O Neill, Sean Bresnan and the tireless work of Cathal Ring at wing forward we went into the break just 5 points down.

A very strong start to the second half with scores from our captain Sean Bresnan and Patrick Daly had the gap down to 2 points. Mitchelstown town responded well and a goal against the run of play once again had us 5 points down. Our team once again showed great spirit and determination after great play out from the back by Taylor O Sullivan, Cian O Flynn and Aaron Deane, the ball found its way to Sean Bresnan who was now operating at centre forward and he found the back of the net. Again we got the deficit back to 2 points, however the greater physicality of the Mitchelstown team came through in the end and they finished very strong to win in the end by 5 points.

This was an extremely heartening display by Charleville who had a very young team out on the day. There were notable performances all over the field with 2nd years Eoghan Horan and Daniel Mackessy holding their own throughout. Newtown's Cathal Ring and Turlough O'Neill were very impressive with Ballyhea's Patrick Daly keeping the scoreboard ticking over up front. Our standout player of the day was Charleville's Sean Bresnan who showed versatility and real leadership throughout giving a commanding display for his team.



#### LEGO ROBOTICS

By Mr. M. Kelly

After midterm, students have the opportunity to join our robotics team.

Robotics club involves engineering Lego Spike Prime robots. As a part of the robotics club, students will have the opportunity to hone their skills in designing, programming, and testing a fully functioning robot. Students in this program gain skills in engineering, logical reasoning, and most importantly teaming up with classmates to solve problems. This meaningful activity does require a commitment of time and consistent effort. In 2023, the team will represent our school in the First Lego League Regional competition in UCC.

Anyone interested in joining lego robotics can contact Ms. Kelly.



#### GRIFFINS COACHES SPONSOR SENIOR HURLERS

By Mr. M. Kelly

We were delighted to welcome Kevin and Áine Griffin to the school as the sponsors of new jerseys for the Senior Hurling Team. Having qualified for the Munster Final last year where they were eventually beaten by Rochestown College, the senior hurling panel show a lot of promise. They have begun a strength and conditioning programme as part of their training which will help them going forward.

The jerseys were designed by the team in collaboration with their coaches and feature the names of many of the local clubs. Hurling in CBS Charleville brings players from a multitude of clubs together where they strive to perform their best and do their school proud.









#### MUNSTER COLLEGES U 19 FOOTBALL

By Mr. B. McGill

CBS Charleville v's St. Caimins Community School Shannon

CBS Charleville started brightly playing against a strong breeze in the first half. Two points from midfielders Eoin O'Mahony and Cillian Cotter helped build an early lead within the first 10 mins. That was short lived as St. Caimins used the breeze to their advantage and responded with 1-1 by the 20th minute. CBS Charleville finished the half strongly with another two well worked points after some good defensive work to keep St. Caimins out at the other end. The teams went in at the break level, 0-4 to 1-1.

In the second half CBS Charleville worked the ball well through the lines and started to open up the St. Caimins defense. However, some poor final passes allowed St. Caimins to turn over the ball and counter attack. CBS Charleville tagged on another 2 points however they were knocked back again as St. Caimins scored another goal to lead by 1 with 15 minutes left to play. Another St. Caimins point gave them a 2 point advantage. CBS Charleville worked hard to regain some momentum with some excellent work by Niall Tobin and Eoin O'Mahony to win back a number of key possessions which gave CBS a platform to build on. Key scores from Joseph Hickey, Paudie Murphy and a 45 from Eoin Horgan gave CBS Charleville a slim advantage. CBS Charleville didn't have it all their own way as St. Caimins went in search of another goal. Some vital interceptions by Tom McCarty, Patrick O'Flynn and Liam Fitzgibbon were vital. The CBS goalkeeper Aaron Deane was also called on a number of times as CBS lived dangerously. The break in the St. Caimins storm came with 5 mins remaining, when a kick out from St. Caimins was intercepted by Joseph Hickey who calmly found the back of the net. St. Caimins worked hard to find a way back into the game. CBS Charleville tagged on a final score.





#### LIMERICK COLLEGES U 15 FOOTBALL

By Mr. B. McGill

CBS Charleville v's Salesians College in Salesians College

Our U15 footballers had their first outing in the limerick colleges with a visit to Salesians College. CBS Charleville started well with a number of promising attacks, however, the failed to convert these into scores. As the half wore on, Salesians size and strength started to show and they opened up a lead with a number of unanswered points. This young CBS Charleville team responded well to tag on a number of their own points to narrow the margin at half time. First year Senan Hanrahan and second year Jamie O'Toole played well in the first half.

In the second half, CBS Charleville started to come a bit more into the game with some cutting runs for both Daniel Mackessy and Shane O'Donoghue causing trouble for the Salesians defense. Cian Finucane also came into the game well and was unlucky not to score a goal from a well struck free kick. In the end, CBS Charleville didn't have enough to overcome a very strong Salesians team. However, our young squad gained some valuable experience in this competition as the majority of players will be underage again next year. The U15s footballers now turn their attention to their Munster Schools Quarter Final match with Desmond College Newcastlewest which is due to be played after midterm.

Final Score: CBS Charleville 3-4 Salesians College 5-12



## EDMUND RICE SCHOOL'S SOCCER BLITZ

By Ms. M. Kelly

On the 7th of October our U15 soccer team headed to Midleton CBS to take compete in the Edmund Rice School's Soccer Blitz. The team did very well in their matches qualifying for the semi final where they lost 2-1 in a very close encounter with Colaiste Eamonn Rís. The highlights of the tournament were a hat trick scored by Sean Fearn and the goal of the tournament scored by our very own Lee Ensor, a 50 yard wonder strike. The winner of the best player on the day was Jamie O'Toole





## CBS CHARLEVILLE VS. SCOIL MHUIRE THURLES

By Aaron Deane

Last Wednesday our under 15 footballers had their first competitive outing against Scoil Mhuire Thurles in the first round of U15 Munster Colleges. The CBS boys put in an impressive performance to overcome Scoil Mhuire by 2-11 to 1-3.

St. Mhuire started the stronger, and went 1-2 to no score ahead within the first 10 minutes. However, with some very good defending by our footballers, CBS managed to stem the tide and put some pressure on the St. Mhuire defense. As the half went on, CBS grew in confidence and started to get the scoreboard ticking over. By half time they had turned the game on its head to go in 1-4 to 1-2 up at the break.

They did not lose this momentum in the second half either, holding St. Mhuire to a single point in the second half, helped by a fantastic performance by captain Evan O'Brien in the full back position. It was a great overall team performance, with some fantastic passages of play on display and 10 different scorers on the day.

This is an excellent result for the boys in their first competitive football outing for the school, and means that they will progress to the quarter finals stage, which will be played on the 26th October.



# CBS CHARLEVILLE WIN LOCAL DARBY BY A By Bill Collins LANDSLIDE

On Tuesday the 4th of October, CBS Charlevilles volleyball team attended a schools volleyball tournament in Coachford. The contenders in this tournament were CBS Charleville, Mungret Community College, Rochestown Secondary School and Coachford College. Each team was set to play against the other to show who was the most skillful in the area.

The tournament began at 10 o'clock, with Rochestown taking on the hosts Coachford College with Coachford coming out on top 2-1. Then CBS Charleville came on to play the winners. With skillfully executed plays and aesthetically pleasing technique, CBS put in a fantastic performance to win with aplomb. Performing sequences the opposition could only dream of, CBS took the first set. Charleville then brought on their new players in the second set, with no experience and little training done. Even so, in the second set, Charleville put on a display of heart and skill that should have won them the set, however, Rochestown secured the second set. CBS Charlevilles veterans stepped back onto the court for the 3rd set, and gave the score-keepers no choice but to display the skill difference between the two teams, making CBS Charleville the winners of their first game 2 sets to 1.

CBS Charleville spent the next hour watching the other teams play their matches and eating their lunch. When they stepped back onto the court, their opponents were Mungret. CBS Charleville showed no mercy, winning the game 2-0 in the end.

For the final game, CBS Charleville played against the hoists Coachford College for the title of tournament champions. With the newer players showing their learnings and skills from the earlier games, and the more experienced players putting the foot on the gas, CBS cruised through the final. Demonstrating team chemistry and fluidity, as well as using economical, technical and aesthetically pleasing movements to show their skill, CBS took home the title as champions. With all players showing skill, dedication and talent, CBS Charleville are no doubt all Ireland contenders this year.



#### SENIOR BASKETBALL

By Mr. D. McCarthy

This is the first year the school have entered a senior basketball league and so far, the results look very promising. The team started off the league with game 1 against Colaiste Ghobnatan. In a very close game at the end the visitors had five points to spare with the final score 23 - 28.

In game 2, team travelled to nearby neighbors Coláiste Mhuire, Buttevant. The team put in a great performance and came out as victor on a scoreline of 24 - 35.

The final game before mid-term break was game 3 against Ballingeary. The team's experience of playing together in the previous two games stood to them as they put on a fantastic performance and won the game with a very convincing score line of 53 - 10.

This team is showing a lot of promise and we look forward to following their progress next term.



# IST YEAR FOOTBALL

By Mr. T. Walsh

On the 13th our 1st years played a fun gaelic football blitz in Mallow Gaa. We entered two teams where they played Mitchelstown, The Acadamy Mallow, Colaiste Chraobhinn, Coachford & Scoil Treasa Kanturk. Although scores were not kept officially, all our boys performed extreamly well and put up big scores in all their games.



# SENIOR SOCCER

By Mr.S. Roberts

On the 12th of October, the senior soccer team took on Millstreet Community School in the first round of the John Murphy Munster Senior Cup. The boys put on an excellent performance and with a goal each from Aaron Moffatt and Cody Kok, the team won their match 2 - 1. They will now progress to the second round where they will play Killenaule.



#### MANCHESTER TRIP

By Ms. S. Costello

On the 27th of October, TY and 5th year students gathered at 4am to head to Manchester. The group took the ferry to Manchester where they watched Manchester United take on Sheriff in the Europa League. Happily, United won 3 - 0. On Friday, the group returned to Old Trafford for a stadium tour before heading for the ferry home. This was a great trip with lots of happy memories made. Huge thanks to their teachers Ms. Costello, Ms. Mulroe, Ms. Corkery, Mr. Roberts and Mr. McGill for accompanying them.



# CBS CHARLEVILLE SECONDARY SCHOOL SPORTS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME

CBS Charleville is delighted to announce this year's scholarship students: Aaron O'Callaghan, Aidan Liddy, Mark Power, Cormac Bresnan and Donal Forde. The aim of the scholarship is to develop and prepare highly skilled young players to play for their school, club and county, supported by an effective, well trained team of coaches including past students and Cork Senior Hurler's Darragh Fitzgibbon and Tim O'Mahony.

#### **Scholarship Programme**

Each Scholarship Recipient receives:

- Individual nutrition / exercise plans with specialised coach.
- Access to top class coaching in excellent facilities.
- PE uniform.
- Vouchers for our school canteen.
- Student leaders of our Going Well Programme.
- CBS Charleville Summer Camp

#### **Applications**

Scholarship application forms for incoming first years 2023 - 2024 are to be submitted to CBS Charleville Secondary School with the Acceptance Form. All scholarship applications will be considered and a minimum of four scholarships will be awarded each academic year.







