

College Events for month of October

29th Sept – 3rd Oct

- The two Leaving Cert Geography classes were brought on their fieldwork trip.
- Boys u16 Hurling match held
- HSE Vaccinations
- Coastwatch Ireland activity was carried out by TY students who got very wet in the process but really enjoyed the experience.
- U 19 soccer match success
- Emmanuel Choir in Riverdance of Song where they performed for the Papal Nuncio.
- U14 Gaelic
- TY went to the cinema
- Junior and Senior Hockey – girls, won both
- Information evening for prospective students and their parents
- SPHE In-service training

6th October – 10th Oct.

- **DEAR week:** Each day this week students were treated to a selection of readings over the intercom . The teachers chose books they enjoy and students were encouraged to get a copy of the book from the library.
- SPHE in-service course on internet safety and cyber bullying.
- 6th Year students of Accounting and Economics had a speaker from DCU
- TY students headed off for a two-day outing to Carlingford. It was a very successful outing and was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone, despite some inclement weather. Student behaviour was described as impeccable and everyone was very proud of them for this.
- A staff meeting was held after school which included a workshop on Numeracy.
- The Leaving Cert appeals were returned and a number of students were upgraded.
- Microsoft spent the day with various groups of TY students and students benefited hugely from the expertise that was shared with them.
- 1st Year boys had a Gaelic match
- Oisín McGann visited the Library and spoke to the students.
- Two successful rugby matches were held at which both Juniors and Seniors won
- There was a book quiz in the Library
- DEAR week culminated with all the teachers of English coming into school dressed as literary characters or authors. There was a competition to see how many characters could be correctly identified and lively literary conversations could be heard on the corridors during break and lunch times.

13th October – 17th October

- A student Council Meeting was held
- TY students went to the cinema to see a French film
- Senior Soccer match
- Rugby match
- Music in the Library during lunch-time.
- A very successful Parent-Teacher meeting was held for the parents of 6th Year students and there was a very good turnout on the night. Prefects assisted in the smooth running of the evening, ensuring that everyone signed in, received their Report and that the queues were managed successfully.
- Senior Girls Gaelic match
- Two rugby matches (Section B, Level 2 League)
- Boys under 14 Gaelic was played against Malahide.
- Two girls' basketball matches – under 16s and under 19 were held in the College
- The AGM of the Parents Association was held. Two new Board of Management parents representatives were elected at a very successful meeting. There was a very large turnout of parents and some lively and interesting discussions followed the introduction of the new Principal and Deputy.

20th October – 24th October

- 6A had a very enjoyable 'Away Day' in Co. Meath where they got a chance to recharge the batteries in preparation for the rest of the very busy 1st term.
- Under 16 girls had a Gaelic match against near neighbours Loretto Balbriggan
- 5th and 6th Years had a very interesting History trip to Kilmainham Gaol and Collins' Barracks
- Under 15 Soccer match held
- Musical entertainment in the Library continued during lunch-times
- Junior Hockey away game
- Rugby matches continued
- Under 14 boys Gaelic match
- Senior Hockey match – another success!
- Under 16 Basketball match was held in the College
- Rehearsals for Oliver are continuing apace as actors, singers and musicians are put through their paces.