



St. Pius X Parents' Association

September 2010 Newsletter

Welcome back to the new school year – we hope everyone is settling back in. In particular, we would like to welcome the new Junior Infants students and their parents, and any other students or parents who are new to the school.

2010/2011 Parents' Association Committee

At the 2010 AGM on 22nd June, Lorayne Ellison and Catherine Rooney resigned from the committee. We would like to thank them for their great work over the years. Sarah Cassidy, Donna Brazil and Shelley Douglas stepped down from the Chairperson, Treasurer and BNS liaison positions respectively, but will remain on as members of the committee so fortunately we will continue to benefit from their experience and hard work. We would also like to welcome our new members. If you are interested in joining the committee or helping out in any way please contact any of the members listed below or email us at stpiuspa@piusxgns.ie.

Chairperson	Aisling O'Hara	Committee member	Donna Brazel
Vice Chairperson	Caroline Coyne	Committee member	Mark Burke
Treasurer	Connie Costello	Committee member	Ger Hanley
Secretary	Siobhán Duggan	Committee member	Shelley Douglas
NPC Delegates	Claire Boylan Samantha Hallows	Committee member	Claire Boylan
GNS Liaison	Maura Martin	Committee member	Roisin O'Keefe
BNS Liaison	Audrey McGuinness	Committee member	Amanda Ryan
Thurs/Sat classes	Siobhán Duggan Kathie Power	Committee member	Carol Edwards
Swimming	Geraldine Leahy Amanda Ryan	Committee member	Samantha Hallows
Committee member	Sarah Cassidy	Committee member	Kathie Power

2010 Funds & Future Fundraising

Due to the very successful fund raising in 2009/2010 we are able to give both the girls and boys school a contribution of €8,000 each. Both schools are considering how to spend these funds and once they have made a decision we will communicate this to all.

Thursday / Saturday Classes

Enrolment for Thursday and Saturday morning classes will be on Saturday the 18th September in the School Hall 9a.m – 11am. Please see enrolment details and timetable for available classes overleaf or details can be downloaded from our website www.piusxgns.ie/pa. This year we have added a Spanish class for 3rd–6th classes. Also back due to popular demand are Arts & Crafts and Self Defence for Fun. This is in addition to the wide range of classes previously available over the last few years.

PA Website

In 2010, we will develop our website further so we would encourage people to register to obtain a copy of newsletters/updates from the PA. Over time we hope to eliminate hard copies of notices. To register, please go to www.piusxgns.ie/pa and click on Register to fill in your contact details. Once completed, click the "submit details" button.