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DOORADOYLE, LIMERICK V94 W6W8

AGREED REPORT – BOARD OF MANGEMENT MEETING
25TH MARCH 2026

MINUTES

The minutes of the March meeting were reviewed and signed by the Chair of the Board of Management.

Matters arising and Correspondence

- There were no matters arising from the minutes of the last meeting.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

The Board of Management was updated on all school related activities that have taken place since the last board meeting.

CHILD PROTECTION REPORT

The Child Protection report was available for the board to review. The report was signed by both the Chair and Principal.

HEALTH AND SAFETY UPDATE

The school continues to monitor any health and safety concerns throughout the school. Some external doors will be replaced under Emergency Works.

ANTI-BULLYING/BI CINEALTA

The Bi Cinealta report was presented to the B.O.M.



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TEACHING AND LEARNING

T&L Focus 2026-2027 is school wide study skills and self-assessment for students. Parents, staff and students will be surveyed to assess impact and the aim is that study skills will be standardised across departments. Periodic updates will be given to the BOM on a quarterly basis.

The Board of Management would like to acknowledge and reflect on the excellent work done by the committee to date. The Board appreciates and supports this initiative from the T&L Committee.

There was also a group visit to A.S.D. units in Colaiste Ciarain and St Mary's Borrisokane to review different units and styles.

FINANCE

A summary of financial data was reported to the Board. The school's financial position is strong, which allows the school to fund numerous additional programs for students at no additional cost to parents. Diarmuid outlined the current college posts and there was some discussion around a new potential post to do with the Environment of the school, ways to look at how the school can be more environmentally friendly e.g. intro of solar panels, correctly and consistently separating our recycling/rubbish etc. in keeping with the Jesuit identifier of Care of our Common Home. This post may link in with Green Schools post. Duties and parameters of new post to be researched further (Helen, Cian and Diarmuid).

ETHOS

The Ethos/Chaplain report and the minutes from the Ethos Sub Committee were available for the Board to review. The Parents Ethos information on the morning on 11th March was very successful and the board of management congratulated the organisers for the success of the event.



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STUDENTS, STAFF & PARENTS

- The following applications were approved
 - o 13 applications for personal leave
 - o 1 Marriage Leave
 - o 1 The OLCS report for February was available for review.

Since the last meeting there has been 6 suspensions.

SSE/IMPROVEMENTS

School Policies

The Attendance Strategy was reviewed by the BOM. The Acceptable Usage Policy will be reviewed further.

The TY statement will be reviewed at the May meeting together with any other policies that need to be reviewed.

Crescent Masterplan Update

The project has now progressed to State 2A. Planning will take about 6 – 7 months.

School Improvement Plan

Campus development/new building works will remain on the agenda until complete.

All Other Business

The Board would like to acknowledge the generosity of the staff and parents who carry out the voluntary work they do on behalf of the college for the benefit of its students.

The Board congratulate Daniel Onyekaba (past pupil) on receipt of the McManus All Ireland Scholarship.

The Board of Management offer their condolences to Jeremy Staunton on the recent death of his wife Ruth and also Michael Tiernan on the passing of his daughter.

THE NEXT BOARD OF MANAGEMENT MEETING

The next board meeting will take place on Wednesday 27th May 2026.