



Our Lady's School



6TH YEARS

A Message from our Head Girls and Sports Captain



**OUR
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2023



THIS TERM'S TOP STORIES

From class activities, extracurricular activities, to TY events, and more, we want to tell you about everything we've been up to this term!



Sport Season

Look at the many sporting victories of our students during the Term

**TOGETHER WHAT A
WONDERFUL PLACE TO BE**



PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS

Dear Parents and Guardians,

As the end of the school year approaches it is important to reflect on the past year and plan and make improvements for the year ahead. We have had a busy school year with so many rewarding and positive events.

At this time of year we review the many achievements and accomplishments of our students, staff and the community. We were delighted to celebrate the Graduation for the Class of 2023 last week and it was a very special occasion. The outgoing 6th Years have been a pleasure to work with throughout their school years and they leave behind a legacy of positive leadership and a strong sense of the importance of the values in OLS of inclusivity and kindness. They will be missed.

Our Transition Year Graduation also marked the achievements of our 4th Year students during their extremely busy year. From Gaisce awards, to numerous external competition wins our TYs have excelled and developed in so many new fields.

Thanks to the Parents' Council who held a really enjoyable Quiz night in Terenure Rugby club in May as a fundraiser to help them fund so many school related events. The room was filled with staff, past pupils and parents making it a great community event which was enjoyed by all.

The school Open Day was thronged with students and visitors. It was as always our positive and articulate students that really stole the show. They took groups on tours throughout the school and so many visitors commented on how our students are wonderful ambassadors for Our Lady's.

We look forward to holding our 2nd House Spirit Day at the end of term and will also be having a full exam feedback day before school breaks up for the summer to ensure that students are aware of their progress to date and where improvements are needed in their academic subjects.

We are delighted with the progress of our Dome project. It took such a long time to get off the ground and now we are finally nearing the finish line with it. The Our Lady's Sports Dome will offer so much to our students including basketball courts, tennis courts, futsal pitches, volleyball, badminton and tennis courts, an all purpose playing area, changing rooms, PE office and a PE seminar room. We know that it will be worth all the hard work to see these first class facilities catering for our students' wellbeing. If all goes to plan we hope to be able to use it in early September.

We are currently looking to get sponsored naming rights for the dome so if you or your company are interested please contact the school.

Best wishes to you and your families over the coming months and we look forward to seeing our students back with us in late August.

Marguerite Gorby



STUDENT UPDATES



A Message from your Deputy Head Girl and Sports Captain

A Final Farewell Message from your Deputy Head Girl

Hello everyone, my name is Caoilin Dunne and I have had the absolute pleasure of being the Deputy Head Girl of Our Lady's this year. I can't believe that it is already May and that my time in Our Lady's is coming to an end. Not only this past year but the last 6 years have absolutely flown by. I can wholeheartedly say that I have had the most enjoyable time here and I'm not sure what I'll do next year without all the familiar faces, constant buzz of activities and of course inter house competitions.

It's fair to say that our last term here has definitely been one to remember, we've planned, plotted an abundance of activities and campaigns with Interhouse soccer and rounders bringing about that all important rivalry ahead of the awarding of the Interhouse cup. The Cyber Olympics, Wellbeing Week and Seachtain na Gaeilge have also added that extra excitement that can most definitely be heard by all our neighbours.

From a 6th Year perspective, we have stayed as consistent as we were in 1st Year with competitive spirits enduring into all our competitions and events. I may be biased in saying that B6 has definitely been triumphant this year with our dodgeball win, our talent show success proving a huge recovery to some of our devastating losses!

Our recent Open Day thoroughly displayed the strong school spirit which we are lucky enough to feel on a daily basis, It was special to see the excitement in future students as they step inside the building which will undoubtedly continue until they reach 6th Year and further past that. The Open Day was our incoming council's first opportunity to come together as a group to work together on behalf of the school and I can guarantee that the girls will go above and beyond in everything they achieve next year with their exemplary positive attitude.

A group of 5th and 6th Year students took part in Pieta house's Darkness into Light walks at the beginning of May which I believe thoroughly shows the powerful spirit and kindness that flows throughout the halls in Our Lady's. The way in which we support each other is second to none and the atmosphere created as a result of this is something I will always remember about Our Lady's. I believe it's quite rare to experience such a consistently supportive environment and to know that there is always someone who has your back. Whether it's a friend, classmate, teacher or year head, there are always people who have your best interest at heart and want the best for you and will check up on you no matter what.

I have thoroughly enjoyed my experiences as Deputy Head Girl. It has been amazing to be given the opportunity to be leaders in the school community and get to know different year groups.

I hope you can gather that Our Lady's has empowered me to have a school journey filled with fun, laughter, positivity and personal growth which has overall led to an increase in confidence, gratitude and sense of achievement. I wish I could do it all again and I strongly encourage you to look forward to each day, be proud of yourself for how far you have come and most importantly be yourself!

Caoilin Dunne, Deputy Head Girl 2022/2023

A Reflection from your Sports Captain

Getting so close to the end now, only a few more weeks till summer. How exciting! Here is my reflection on this year, a little overview of the incredible achievement of the fulfillment of two of our four pillars here in Our Lady's. 'The Wellbeing' and 'House' pillars were represented immensely this year through sport and extracurricular activities.

A huge congratulations to everyone who took part in sport or in any of our extra curricular activities. Well done to everyone who participated in hockey from 1st Year right up to and including 6th Year.

Huge congratulations to our Minor Camogie team winning the Dublin finals this term, what a great achievement from our camogie department. Last term our Senior Camogie team got into the semi-finals of an All Ireland, well done to everyone who took part, representing our school with the green jersey.

Our basketball team reached the quarterfinals in the All Ireland Final, outstanding work to all 1st Years who took part.

Our other sporting successes included swimming. The swimming team was made up of Laura Potts P2, Ruby Marley B3, Eva Walshe TY2 and Zoe Browne TY4. Laura also had success in the individual events, winning silver in both the 100m and 400m freestyle events, very impressive!

At Christmas, our Goal mile was immensely successful and it was great to see so many students and their families out supporting.

My role as Sports Captain is to promote a healthy balance in life mental wellbeing is equally as important as physical wellbeing. Taking part in physical activity releases endorphins, the body's natural "happy chemicals," and reduces levels of the stress hormone cortisol, a two for one kinda deal.

Darkness into light, took part this May, seeing friendly faces bright and early at 4am to walk into the light. Thank you to Ms Kinsella and the Amber Flag for organising the school to participate in such an important cause, raising awareness for mental health.



This year we enjoyed lots of whole school events we have had inter-house sports from hockey to table tennis competitions, football to rounder competitions.

Our colour run, organised by the Active School Flag committee, was a hit and we raised a lot of money for our new sports multipurpose dome which is planned to be completed in September 2023.

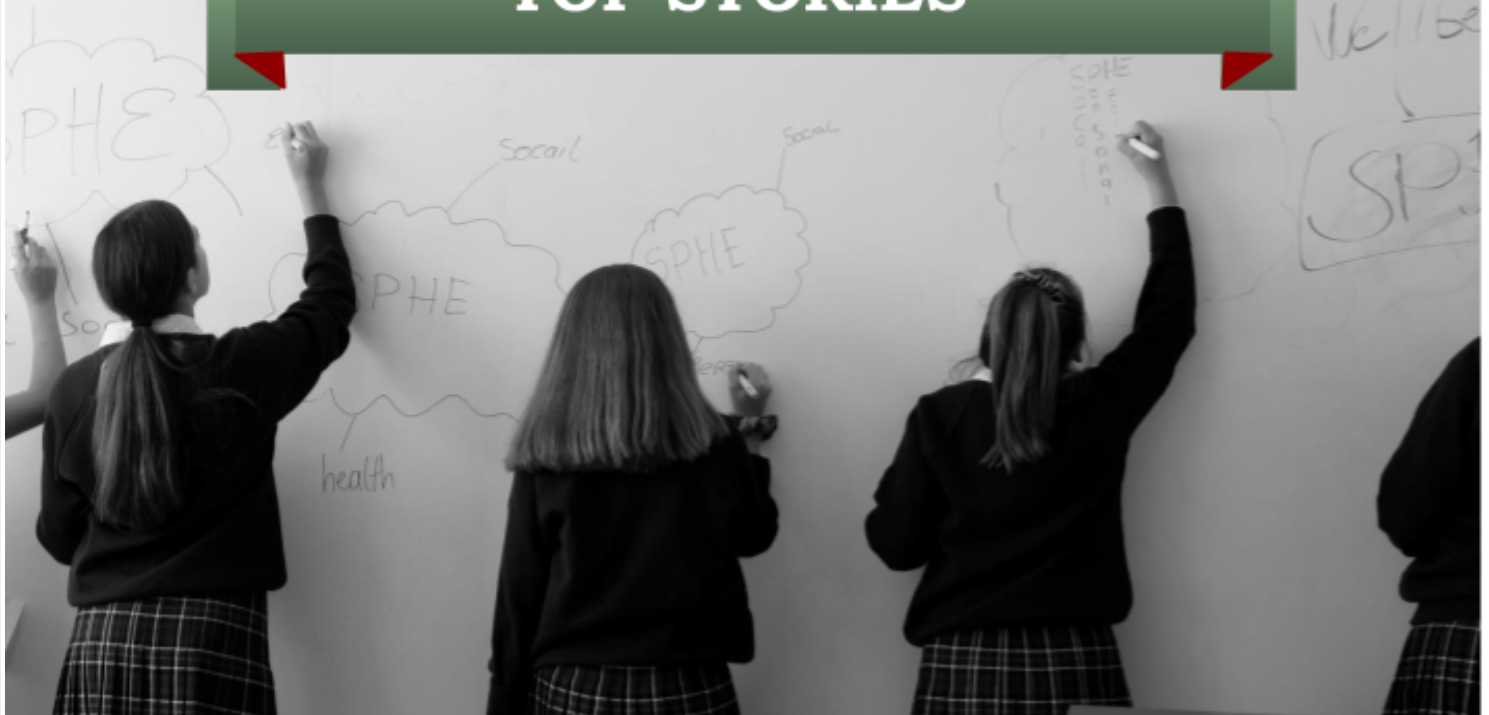
In Our Lady's there is a huge range of sporting and non-sporting activities with more and more being added each year, including our first senior football team this year. It is through these activities we, as students, make new friends, discover and nurture interests.

As a final goodbye, thank you to all the teachers and staff who have organised training and matches for all our sporting teams and all the extra-curricular activities on offer, a big round of applause for you all. I wish you all the best for next year and remember to stay active over summer.

Maria McMahon, Sports Captain 2022/2023



THIS TERM'S TOP STORIES



First Year Reflection

Hi, our names are Gwen Murray and Matilda Dunne. We are both in M1. Together we can unanimously agree that first year has been even better than we could have ever imagined thanks to the warm welcome and kind generosity that Our Lady's has to offer. Undoubtedly, we have made so many amazing new friends, memories and achieved so many spectacular milestones; all in the span of one unforgettable year.

Our Lady's has opportunities for everyone. There are various sports on offer, and if that's not for you, there are a myriad of extracurricular clubs including, charity club, language clubs, maths club and so many more. All of these extracurriculars have greatly benefited

students by giving them opportunities to gain new friends as well as helping strengthen their skills and confidence outside of class.

Right from the beginning, at our open day, we were immediately welcomed to the OLS community with open arms. There was a fantastic selection of team-building activities that allowed the opportunity to talk to our future OLS classmates. Most of the friends we made that day have stuck with us as our closest friends today. We also had the privilege to go on a guided tour around the school grounds to familiarise ourselves with the layout of the school before making the daunting first leap into secondary school. Everyone can easily recall the introduction day being filled with laughter, joy and most importantly new friendships all thanks to the great efforts made by teachers and the sixth years whose main focus was to make secondary school a safe and inviting environment. As you can see they have clearly accomplished this.



Another memorable event during first year was our trip to the cinema to see the marvelous new film, 'Matilda the Musical'. The day gave us a very special chance to bond with other classmates that we may not have interacted with much since we were still settling into school life. The trip was a highlight for many as we all got the chance to buy our own sweets and treats as well as



the luxury to sit with whoever we chose! Nearly everyone was bursting with anticipation before and overflowing with delight after seeing the film. We were very grateful to be given the chance to have a break from school work especially since many of us were occupied with study as our November exams were fast approaching. The trip successfully eased most of our nerves and doubts of our upcoming exams thanks to our relaxing, fun-filled day.

Around Christmas time we were reminded of those less fortunate than ourselves and the challenges that emerge for them particularly during the winter season. Fortunately, the

charity club organised 'Gifts to the Crib' which consisted of students from all years bringing in clothes, toys, foods and toiletries which would later be distributed to charities across the country, directly helping those in need. The 1st Years were assigned baby/toddler clothes and toys and the students did not fall short with enthusiasm to support the cause. As someone who has never experienced this tradition, we personally found the student's eagerness and kindness inspiring and really felt the importance of assisting those in need through the school's positive spirit.

An additional fun activity that we got to experience this year was the colour run; organized by the TY sports leadership class. As well as being an amazing colour-filled fundraiser for students it also benefited the school immensely by raising funds for the incoming sports dome. The day was packed with laughter and friendship.

To summarize, our experience this year was memorable and we wouldn't have changed a single thing. First year at Our Lady's was unlike any other adventure we have challenged ourselves with. We forever be thankful for all of the staff and peers that made us feel respected and supported in every situation we were faced with. Truly, we couldn't have asked for a better beginning to our OLS journey. Whatever shall come our way, we can confidently say we are now brave enough to face any challenge that crosses our path.

It was a pleasure being asked to write our story and we are honoured that we can represent first year as a whole,

Thanks, Gwen Murray and Matilda Dunne

GetIT National Final

Congratulations to our first year students Aoibhe Tunney, Iman Niazi and Jamilla Saidi who were selected to attend the national finalists of the AWS Get IT app design competition. AWS GetIT is a fully funded education program and competition designed to inspire 12-14 year old students, especially girls, to consider a future in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering,



Mathematics). The program helps students build foundational skills, learn about cloud tech, and design app ideas to solve problems in their communities. They traveled to the AWS Dublin office and pitched their app idea 'Plant IT' to a group of 100 Amazon staff and invited guests. The team did an excellent job presenting their app and were awarded the runners up prize. Well done to them.

OLS Career Expo 2023

On Wednesday 26th April the TY and 5th Year students attended the OLS Career Expo. A big thank you to all the participants who shared their knowledge and insights with the students during the evening. It was fantastic to see so many past pupils, parents, and representatives from various colleges and apprenticeships/training options attending. Many thanks also to Claire and all the members of the parents council who helped run this event. Students got to meet and talk to people from a number of different professions. They also had the opportunity to meet with representatives from a selection of further and higher education colleges and learn about available apprenticeships. We hope the event helped students explore and research various career areas, helping them to make informed career choices.

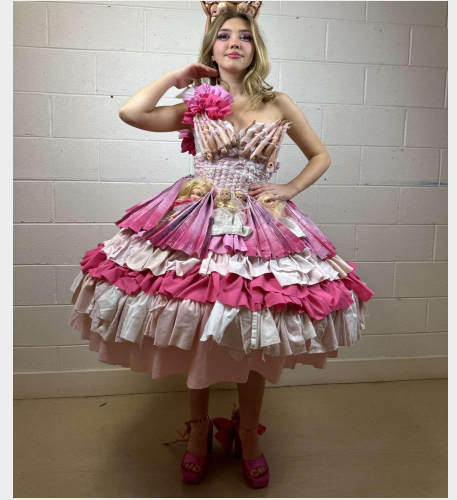


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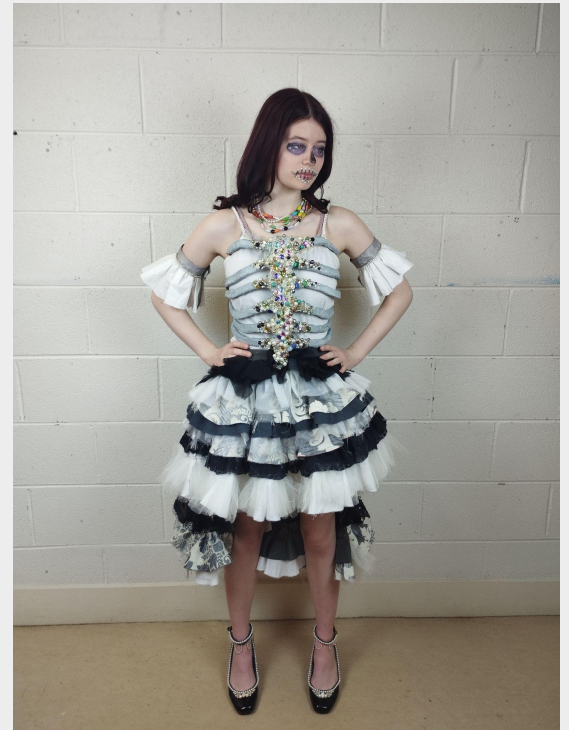
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Well done to the TY design team of Louisa Rath, (TY2), Alex Quirke (TY3) and designer and model on the night Ella Dixon (TY4). The girls' entry "All Dolled Up" was one of 80 finalists to strut the catwalk on the 3Arena stage on Thursday May 4th. This is an amazing achievement as there were almost 2,000 entries to this year's competition.



We'd also like to congratulate our other Regional Finalists this year:

Emer Delanay (TY5) with 'Stuck in the Clouds' and Aisling Sands (TY5) with 'Dazzling Deity'





Sports

Basketball

Huge congratulations to our 1st Year basketball team. The girls travelled to Limerick to compete in the All Ireland A division playoffs. The girls won all 3 of their group stage games on the Saturday which gave them a place in the cup quarter final on the Sunday. Unfortunately, the girls were beaten in extra time by St. Mary's, Mallow. It was neck and neck and it really could have gone either way. We are so proud of the girls for making it so far. What an achievement!



Camogie

This term saw the end of a very successful year for Camogie. Our 3 teams all made it to the Dublin Championship Finals. After the seniors got to the All Ireland quarter final and the Juniors won the Dublin B Championship, our Minor team followed that up with a win in the Dublin A Championship. A hugely successful year for the girls, and a massive thank you to them all for their hard work and dedication.



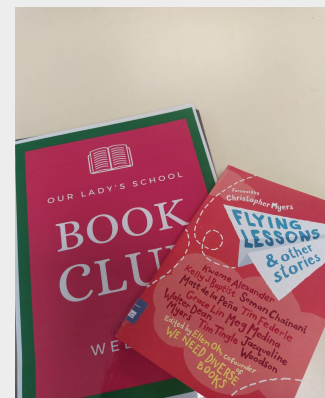


Extracurricular Activities

Library

This term has been a busy term as usual in the library. The students enjoyed picking books from our Recommendations shelf which were expertly chosen by our student librarians. The student librarians have been an invaluable help throughout the school year, keeping the shelves tidy and helping with book displays as well as offering invaluable advice for book suggestions.

The Library also ran a poetry competition, the students were given complete creative writing freedom and the response was superb! This made it more difficult than ever to choose a winner. So, a big congratulations to Abigail Doyle for winning first place with her beautiful poem, “Her Bestfriends?” The Library Book Club continued this term and the students enjoyed sharing recommendations and discussing the books they were reading. This term we read a collection of short stories, “Flying Lessons and Other Stories”.



To continue to drive our passion for reading and to encourage reading over the summer break we introduced a Book Swap table into the library giving the students a great opportunity to swap some of their books from home with some new titles to catch up on some reading over the summer holidays.

Another new initiative we introduced in the library at the end of term was a Library Survey allowing students the opportunity to give feedback on the activities that were run in the library this year and the opportunity to provide any suggestions for next year.

The library in Our Lady's School is an integral part of the school community providing a calm environment for the students to enjoy some reading or participate in our planned activities and we continue to strive to improve these facilities.

The Amber Flag Committee

We danced a lot in our morning Wake up Shake up but also on the run into Seachtain na Gaeilge with the Rincethon co-organised by the Amber Flag Committee, Lighthouse and Coiste. All students took part by dancing their socks off and in the second half of the Rincethon students got to use their cupla focail as our wonderful Irish teachers organised a

Ciorcail Cainte. All money raised from the Rincethon went to Pieta house to support the amazing work that they do.

We were also fortunate enough to take part in Pieta's annual Darkness Into Light event which took place on May 6th. Past pupils as well as our current 5th and 6th Years woke up early to walk into a beautiful sunrise in Tymon Park.

To end the year we introduced our new Amber Flag banner. It consists of the 5 house mascots including our very own mascot Amber all sitting in a house being lifted by 5 house coloured balloons. The quote "Our house couldn't lift without each balloon" is at the core of our mural. The balloons represent every single member of the Our Lady's community. It emphasises how our school could not work if we didn't all support each other and stand by one another.

Ella Mc Cabe L5

Coiste

This year in Coiste we worked hard all year to promote Irish in a fun, positive way throughout the school. Ms Kinsella and a dedicated group of 4th and 5th Year students and I met every Wednesday after school to discuss our plans.

In the lead up to the orals we got Our Lady's first Ciorcal Cainte up and running. This gave senior cycle students the opportunity to meet and speak in Irish in a casual setting to improve their general conversations in their orals.

We had a very busy term organising the renowned Céilí Mór. Prior to this we wanted to get the year groups familiar with the dances so we held our first ever Rincethon. With the help of the Amber Flag and Lighthouse committees



we raised money for Pieta house and taught some of the dances that were going to be done in the Céilí Mór. For senior cycle students, the first half of the Irish class was dancing and the second half was a Ciorcal Cainte. Junior cycle students did an Irish quiz for the first

half of their class and danced in the second half and this raised morale and got people excited for the Céilí. Seachtain na Gaeilge was a week full of spreading Irish, between daily grammar competitions and photo competitions all students had the opportunity to get involved. And of course the highlight of this week was the Céilí Mór. Unfortunately this year the Céilí Mór had to be inside due to the weather but nonetheless it still went ahead in three locations in the school. Despite not being exactly what we planned it ran very smoothly thanks to great leadership throughout the different year groups.

In Coiste this year I hope we have inspired people to speak their cúpla focail more and we also hope that the initiatives we started this year can be continued for years to come.

Go raibh maith agat.

Rachel Vaughan L5

Lighthouse Committee

After the success of the activities in the first term, Seachtain Na Gaeilge was another opportunity to host activities as part of Lighthouse. We presented an Irish quiz for each of the classes, with great prizes at stake! That same day the 2nd and 5th Years also took part in the Céilí Mór together and everyone had a blast!

For Open Day we created a wall display depicting a Lighthouse, boats and stars representing mentors and mentees.

Between the variety of activities organised this year and creating a bond with my group that I hope

will last long into the future, I have enjoyed every moment of being a lighthouse mentor. I have learnt incredibly valuable skills of organisation, innovation, creativity, adaptability and so many more that will be of great use to me next year and further into the future. Being a mentor has taught me how to confidently speak in front of a class that isn't my own, to interact with the incredible students from younger years, and to develop my leadership



skills by learning how to lead others. Lighthouse has given me an opportunity to grow as a leader, but also as a person who now wants to help others, by using my own experiences as a guide. As my time as a lighthouse member is coming to an end, I can truly say that I have learnt so much from the 2nd Years this year and I hope that they have enjoyed having a Lighthouse mentor and have learnt something in return.

Siofra McKenzie L5

The Active School Flag

The Active School Flag class has been busy from Christmas leading up to Summer! We had the chance to do a zoom call with Drimnagh Castle boys' school's active flag class. We discussed what we had both done so far and asked questions to help us get advice on what we hadn't done yet. We told them and they told us what went well and what we would have done better so we could use it for future events.



Wellbeing Week was run by the Wellbeing Committee and the Active School Flag Class from the 13th-15th of March. For the first three days of Wellbeing Week we had a variety of activities. On Monday lunchtime we had Monday Groovers run by ASF. On Monday (13th of March) and Tuesday (14th of March) at lunch we had the ASF walking challenges for house points on the active school walkway. On Wednesday last class the Active Flag class hosted a Colour Run which raised vital money for the dome. The school managed to raise €8,000 euro for our dome!



The Colour Run was a huge success, there was great participation from the whole school and everyone had fun. The active school flag class made sure everything was done safely and that nobody was left out on their own. There was music at each station and everyone had wristbands with their house colour.

Active flag class students got the opportunity to participate in a staff meeting. They discussed our walkway and what activities teachers from different subjects ranging from English to Art can do on the walkway. We are hoping students will get more opportunities to get out on the walkway for active learning during classes in the future.

The active school flag class also held a walkway week. On the walkway week teachers promoted active learning on the walkway to try encourage more students to walk on the walkway.

The ASF Table Tennis Takeover was a fun event everyone in the school could take part in. It was on in the GPA with a few table tennis tables set up for everyone to use. We had great participation from Staff and Students in the GPA. Everyone was included and had fun with their friends.



We had our accreditation visit from the Active Flag where they reviewed our work so far this year and asked us how we encouraged students to be active.

TY Fun Sports Day was a huge success as everyone got active while having fun and there was huge participation from everyone involved. The



TY classes worked through a circuit of activities which were dodgeball, Graveyard, Volleyball, Relay Races and Football

Rounders. Everyone had fun and a few lucky TY classes received prizes.

Incoming 6th Year Leadership Team 2023/2024

Congratulations to our Incoming 6th Year Leaders, Ellen McCabe Head Girl, Megan Clancy Deputy Head Girl and Jenny Power Sports Captain.



Best of luck on their leadership journeys to our House Captains, Ali Dougan, Rachel Vaughan, Iris Muldoon, Rachel Byrne and Katelyn Hallows.



Graduation 2023

Congratulations to our 6th Years who graduated on Thursday 18th May! They began their day with a guard of honour (the entire student body mobilised by the 5th Years - well done!!) and a graduation breakfast prepared by the 6th Year team. It was a wonderful day of both reminiscence and looking ahead to the bright future. We welcomed the 6th Years, their parents, the Sisters, Le Chéile, the Parents' Council and the Board of Management to the Graduation Mass with Fr Éanna last evening which was followed by a decadent reception hosted by the Parents' Council - thank you! The OLS community is proud to acknowledge and celebrate the achievements to date of our superb group of 6th Years and to wish them the very best as they prepare for their exams over the coming weeks.





Our Lady's School Prizegiving 2023

Each year we recognise students who have excelled in different areas of school life and who have really striven to exemplify the values and ethos of our school in all that they do. Here is a selection of this year's prize winners.

ANN BRODIE/STUDENT OF THE YEAR AWARD

Mrs Brodie taught in Our Lady's for 33 years and was Principal for 16 years. This award acknowledges a senior student who is a credit to Our Lady's and who has reached her full potential during her time in the school. This award goes to Caoilin Dunne.



OLS ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE CUP

This award recognises and celebrates academic excellence in all subjects from 5th & 6th year. It is awarded to a student who has achieved the highest average academic scores throughout 5th & 6th year. This award recognises their outstanding academic achievement. Their dedication, hard work and



commitment to excellence has been an inspiration to us all. This award goes to Bhadra Panicker.

FATHER CAREY CUP

Father Carey was Chaplain to our school for many years. This cup, presented in his memory, is given to a school leaver who has displayed high standards of public spirit, integrity and commitment throughout her whole school career. This award goes to Rosin Evoy.



PAUL CULLEN CUP

This cup is in memory of Mr Paul Cullen, father of Mrs Lyttle, who was for many years a member of the Finance Committee of the Board of Management. This cup is awarded for services to the community. This award goes to Eimear Joyce.



ORLA KEARNEY TROPHY

Orla Kearney was a past pupil of Our Lady's, who died, after a long illness, in the summer of 1996, prior to receiving her Leaving Certificate results. This trophy is awarded in her memory. It is given to a student who, like Orla, has striven for excellence in all aspects of her life both inside and outside school. This award goes to Mary Byrne. Orla Kearney's mother and brother (Brian Kearney is currently a member of the Board of Management) joined us at today's ceremony to present this award.



CATHY GRAY TROPHY

This trophy is presented in memory of Cathy Gray, who died in a car accident whilst a pupil of Our Lady's. The award was presented by the Gray family in memory of their daughter. It goes to someone who exhibits qualities of friendliness, warmth and light-heartedness, qualities which epitomised Cathy during her years in school. This award goes to Charlotte Jones.



SINEAD HARTY TROPHY

This award is in memory of Sinead, a pupil of Our Lady's who, after a long illness, died when she was in 5th Year. It is given to the student who has consistently shown qualities of honesty, loyalty, courage and truth in all her dealings with people. This award goes to Susan Cook.



SANDRA BRADY TROPHY

Sandra was also a pupil who died during her school career. This award is given to a student “who has met the challenges of school life with good humour and determination. This award goes to Emma Doyle.



Corn na Ceannaireachta OLS Leading Light Award

This award (introduced last year) goes to the senior student (or group of students) who has shown great leadership, positivity and community spirit and by doing so has emulated our school values and ethos and has encouraged others to do the same. This award goes to Maeve Lydon.

TY Spirit Award

This award goes to a Transition Year student who has exemplified the spirit of TY throughout the year. She has excelled in different areas of school life by challenging herself to become involved in many curricular and extra-curricular activities and striving to give the very best of herself to each of these. Her commitment, enthusiasm and high standards are recognised in this award. This award goes to Rachel Davis.



Angel of Peace Trophy

The Angel of Peace trophy was donated by our past Chaplain, Ms. Pierce to the individual student who promotes peace in our school. She is the student who has a healing and caring disposition, making every effort to resolve conflict and always willing to share the load, another might be carrying. She lifts people up when they are feeling low and wraps them in love and understanding. She is a true angel of peace. This year the award goes to Megan Clancy.



EILEEN MALONE CUP

Eileen Malone was a former Principal of Our Lady's Junior School. This cup is awarded to a Junior Cycle student who has displayed qualities of public spirit over the last three years. This award goes to Estella Graham.



BREDA BOLGER FRIENDSHIP TROPHY

This award has been given by the family of Breda Bolger who was a student in Our Lady's during the 1970s and who died whilst in 3rd Year. It is being presented to a Junior Cycle student whose warmth and friendliness has helped to promote the ethos of inclusion and belonging in OLS. This award goes to Lucy Somers.



MARGARET TOWERS AWARD

This award was presented to OLS by Margaret Towers on her retirement a number of years ago. Ms. Towers taught PE in the school for many years. It is given to a Junior Cycle student who has displayed a serious commitment to and involvement in extra-curricular activities. This year's award goes to Aoife McGarry B3.



Sports Person of the Year

This award is presented to a student who stands out both in the sports that she plays but also in how she represents the spirit of sport in Our Lady's School. This year's award goes to Maria McMahon B6.



THE URSULA MURRAY LIBRARIAN AWARD

This award is presented in honour of Mrs Ursula Murray who was the school Librarian. It is awarded to someone who has shared their love of reading for pleasure and made a positive contribution to the Library and promoting its resources. It is presented this year to Clara Flinter.



Junior Cycle Awards

These awards are presented to students who have achieved very high grades in their Junior Cycle. Congratulations to the girls on this great achievement. Eliana Flinter, Kathryn King, Rachel Davis, Maria Hennelly, Jane Cunnion, Ciara O'Loughran.

6th Year Subject Cups/Trophies

Congratulations to our student body who were awarded a variety of cups for reaching excellence in their subjects.

The recipients were as follows:

PATRICIA MURPHY MUSIC MEDAL	Amelia Blanchfield Ryan
IRENE FITZGERALD GEOGRAPHY AWARD	Ashleigh Finn
ENGLISH CUP	Bhadra Panicker
MARY O DHUBHAIN HISTORY CUP	Caitlin Evoy
ART CUP	Rachel Li
SENIOR IRISH CUP	Mary Byrne
JUNIOR IRISH CUP	Roisin McGrane and Kate Heffernan
FÍOR GHAEIL AWARD	Eimear Joyce
DEIRDRE KELLY MATHS TROPHY	Bhadra Panicker
YVONNE O'NEILL PHYSICS CUP	Ashleigh Finn

CHEMISTRY CUP	Karen Waters
AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE CUP	Caoilin Dunne
BIOLOGY CUP	Eimear Joyce
ECONOMICS CUP	Rachel Dignam
BUSINESS CUP	Ruby Ellison
ACCOUNTING CUP	Eimear Joyce
HOME ECONOMICS CUP	Holly Cassidy
FRENCH CUP	Rachel Dignam
SPANISH CUP	Susan Cook
GERMAN CUP	Holly Wende Doyle
PHYSICAL EDUCATION CUP	Zara Whelan

INTER-HOUSE CUP	B House
INTER-HOUSE SPORTS CUP	C House

