



The Golden Wolf

Photography, Poetry and Reading



Young Photographer Competition,
Eco Club, Book Reviews



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The Eco Garden Club

New eco garden club in development

A new eco garden club is being made. Anyone is welcome to join.

Please respect that the eco garden is the sports free zone to save the wildlife from any harm.

The eco garden has flowers, a pond and some benches, so feel free to sit on a bench and watch the wildlife.

Written by Kieran McDonald

Young Photographer Competition

The Young Photographer Competition is a competition organised by Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland (Rotary GB&I). There's three stages, each designed to encourage the development of skills in photography. Some stages have more than one round.

Aims and Objectives

This competition wants to encourage young people to: try photography, use digital or traditional methods of photography, demonstrate interpretation of the topic and express ideas through photography.

Who can take part?

The competition is for all schools and college communities and children being homeschooled. There are three age groups, (7 to 10, 11 to 13 and 14 to 17) and there is an age confirmation date of 31st August.

The Three Stages of the Competition

Local Heats:

These are organised by local Rotary clubs between September and December. The winners of each age group are entered into a district competition. Local Rotary Clubs can be found by using the club finder facility in the top left corner of the Home Page of the Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland website (www.rotarygbi.org).

District Competitions:

These are organised by Rotary between January and February. The winners of each age group are entered into the national final.

National Final:

This is organised by Rotary. One entry per age group from each district may be submitted in digital format by Monday 28th March 2022 to the Rotary Support Centre. All enquiries to the co-ordinator, Peter Dowse (young-photographer@rotarygbi.org). The dates for local heats and district competitions will be determined locally. Entrants should check dates with their local Rotary club in the first instance

Task

To produce one picture based on the theme, 'Colours of Nature'. The photo must be submitted in Digital Form individually and to be at least 1500 pixels long. Mobile phones may be used instead of cameras. To accompany the photograph you must provide a small sentence showing the relation of your photo to the theme. Plagiarised or 'close-copied' images are not permitted

Written by Oscar Hodby

Teacher's Pet: Miss Pearson-Rolph

Miss Pearson-Rolph has two dogs called Tess and Lizzy. Lizzy is eleven years old and Tess is twelve.

Lizzy

Lizzy is a black and white cocker-spaniel. Her favourite thing to do is run around crazy on the beach and catch snowballs. She also loves to climb on Miss Pearson-Rolph's lap, she can never get too close to you! Lizzy hates being separated from Tess and Miss Pearson-Rolph she absolutely loves both of them! Lizzy was about nine weeks old when Miss Pearson-Rolph got her. She was so cute as a puppy! Now she's quite a big dog compared to the puppy she used to be!



Tess

Tess is a tri-coloured beagle, which means she's black tan and white. Tess loves to eat and sleep, she also loves snoring, it sounds like a volcano erupting! Occasionally she has a "Happy Half Hour." This is when she suddenly has a surge of energy and runs around energetically. She even forgets that she is a grown up dog not a puppy! She absolutely hates it when Miss Pearson-Rolph gives her breakfast late! She also hates the 'cone of shame' (The Elizabethan collar) as she can't stop banging into the furniture! Tess was eight weeks old when Miss Pearson-Rolph got her; she was so cute! A little, small, baby puppy now a big dog!



Similarities

They both love visiting their doggy family (Miss Pearson-Rolph's mum's dogs) which in total is sixteen dogs, what a nightmare! They also love each other, this is why Miss Pearson-Rolph has never separated them. Ever! Miss Pearson-Rolph will never love one more than the other; each dog is equally lovable and amazing!

Written by Riya Joshy

Student Council

The student council has recently been spending time preparing for the upcoming school elections. These usually happen once every year, however due to COVID the council has had a bumper 2 year term, but it is now time to elect a new council. In order to promote the council elections Thomas Nelson and Ben Perris along with several other council members have been going around the assemblies promoting the chance to make a difference in UCC.

Forms have been handed in to the heads of year and Thomas says "We have had a really good turn out, especially in year 11, even though they are due to start exams soon." This all shows that the student body is keen to make a difference within the school and improve it for the other students.

Once the election is over there will be an induction meeting where new council members will be officially introduced to how the council runs and what to expect over the coming year. Students that do get elected are invited to attend a meeting the first Friday of every month over lunchtime.

In these meetings a wide range of topics and issues are discussed. Issues raised by form groups and the student body are brought to the attention of the student councillors,



where they will mention them to the whole council and be discussed on how the issues can be best resolved.

Projects such as the "Litter is Bitter" campaign and "Tree Planting Project" are to name a few of what the council is able to achieve based on the issues the student body raises. We can also only announce to the paper that there are plans for a new upcoming project that will have a similar theme to prize day; however, the council at this time can't release anymore and the project is in early development. This is an exciting project that the new council will be looking to develop! All information will be placed in the school paper about it so make sure to keep reading to find out more!

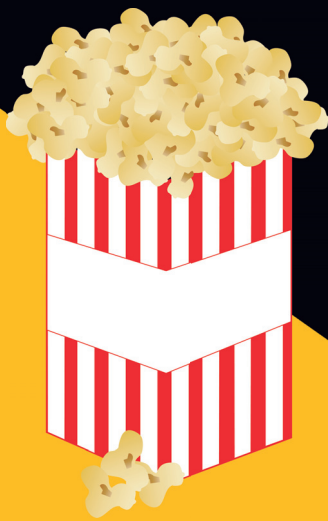
Thank-you to everyone that put their name forward and good luck! The winners of the election will be announced very soon!

Written by Ben Perris

Movie Review: The Hunger Games

Spoiler Warning!

The Hunger Games is a movie which is about a teenage girl named Katniss Everdeen. It is set in a country which previously had a rebellion and now it is split into 12 districts and the Capital. Each district has to nominate a male and female to fight to the death in an arena which holds 24 people.



Katniss Everdeen's sister Primrose Everdeen was elected for the 74th annual hunger games but Katniss volunteered for tribute. Katniss meets a boy named Peter who together win the hunger games.

The series goes on to 4 movies and Katniss fights in the arena in two. The final 2 are about a rebellion where Katniss is their inspiration. The Hunger Games movies originate from the book.

By Samuel Tinnon

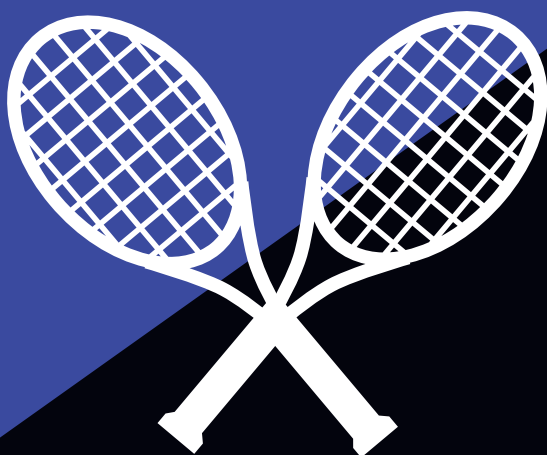
PE Changes

We are all going into a summer term, so that means changing what we're doing in PE.

The girls will be moving on to athletics: javelin, running, long jump and high jump; and rounders for the first term.

The boys will be moving on to tennis and cricket.

by Kacey Lightburn



Poetry By Heart Competition

The Poetry by Heart competition is a national competition in which children compete from the age of seven to sixteen or more.

Children choose poems from the poetry by heart website (<https://www.poetrybyheart.org.uk>) and learn them by heart and perform them at school! There are a variety of different poems to choose from which are suitable for everyone!

School poetry competitions

In UCC there is normally a mini poetry performance competition as well. I was lucky enough to perform the poem I made myself in 2021! The poem that I made is about Cumbria and its beauties. Here now I present to you my poem:

Cumbria
The place where the lakes live
In the sway of the summer breeze
The clear glass
That lets you pass
Whisper underneath the tree

The warmth of the sun's light
At the height
Of mountains reaching up to the sky
Mountains still but in motion
Casting you under their potion
Making you love
The things surrounding you.

Written by Riya Joshy

Book Review

Diary of a Wimpy Kid was first published in 2007. Jeff Kinney introduced readers around the globe to Greg Heffley, his family, his best friend, Rowley Jefferson, and the dreaded CHEESE TOUCH! In 2007, "Diary of a Wimpy Kid" became a national bestseller around the world.

Just a year later more than 100,000 copies were in print in the United States alone. This comedy of a book has been a favourite for 15 years. Over time, this book became so popular that they made a brilliant movie based on it.

I find Diary of a Wimpy Kid hilarious and a funny read. I completely recommend this book to others who are interested in comedy.

Jeff Kinney, is an American author and cartoonist who was born on February 19th, 1971. His wife Julie Kinney, joined Krch Realty in Reno as a business development specialist. Their children are named Will Kinney and Grant Kinney.

Written by Charley Brumwell



Year 7 Vs Teachers

Year 7:

SpongeBob:
SpongeBob was first created in 1999 and at the moment it has 13 seasons. The show is an animation about a sponge living under the sea in Bikini Bottom. The show is rated a family and is most appropriate for young children.

Leyla F

Cobra Kai:
Cobra Kai is a TV show related to karate and based on Karate Kid. The show has just released their 4th seasons and are in the top ten watched on Netflix.

Teachers:

Bo Jack Horseman:
BoJack Horseman is an American adult animated comedy-drama which was aired from 2014 onwards!

The show is based on a whiskey drinking, human-like horse. At the moment the show has 6 seasons and 77 episodes.

Mr Chisnall

Friends:
About 20 years ago friends was released. In the early 1990's Friends was originally named Insomnia cafe. The show was made to be about 6 friends in New York navigating their way throughout life, all from the help of each other. There are 10 seasons and there are 236 episodes.

Mrs Lee

by Samuel Tinnion