



CELEBRATING ST PATRICK'S DAY

What a beautiful sea of green was seen at St Patrick's School Nhill on Tuesday, March 17 as St Patrick's Day was celebrated. There were a number of activities throughout the day that connected to St Patrick's Irish heritage and Fr Peter Hudson celebrated Mass with the school and local community.

The senior class thoroughly enjoyed working in groups to create an Irish jig (dance) to various traditional music. Everyone actively participated and made suggestions and the students attitude and teamwork was to be commended. The senior students then put on a small performance in class and the concentration and complicated dance moves were impressive. Students in the junior class had a great time celebrating and well done to everyone for having a go and joining in! It was great to see students in class looking out for each other and making sure everyone felt supported and able to join in.

One activity the senior class enjoyed was when they were given a number of scenarios to decide between and they answered with excitement.

Q. Would you rather be a leprechaun or catch a leprechaun?

- ❖ I would rather catch a leprechaun because it could lead me to gold and I could spend it.
- ❖ I would rather be a leprechaun because I am short
- ❖ I would rather be a leprechaun because I will get to pinch people

Q. Would you rather have to always wear green clothes for the next year or get to wear whatever clothes you want for the next year but always have to wear a big, green leprechaun's hat?

- ❖ I would wear the hat because I could still wear anything else
- ❖ Dress up as a leprechaun because I could say 'Top o' the mornin' to you!'

Q. Would you rather take a one week trip to Ireland each summer for four years, or take a month long trip to Ireland this summer?

- ❖ One month, because I don't like going on planes
- ❖ A whole month, because if you choose to keep going each year you'll get bored.

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