

Our Good News

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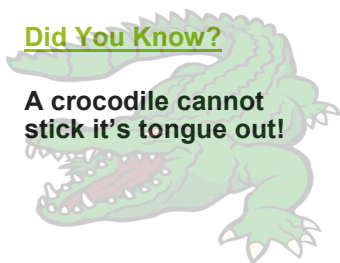
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How Can I submit my own news?

If you would like your own news, joke or random fact, to appear in one of our newsletters, ask your grown up to send an email to Mrs. Dungan at: stpsgoodnews@gmail.com

Did You Know?

A crocodile cannot stick its tongue out!



Smiling is infectious
You catch it like the flu

When someone smiled at me today
I started smiling too

I walked around the corner
And someone saw me grin

When he smiled I realised
I had passed it on to him

I thought about the smile
And then realised its worth

A single smile like mine
Could travel round the earth

So if you feel a smile begin
Don't leave it undetected

Start an epidemic
And get the world infected.

Did you know?

Venus is the hottest planet in our solar system with a surface temperature of over 450 degrees celcius.

Click or Touch an Object to Explore

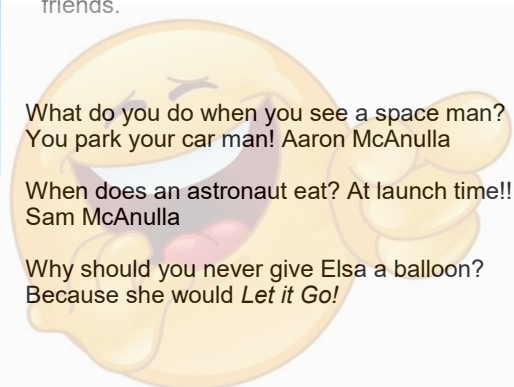
WHAT HAS EVERYONE BEEN UP TO?

- Sam (Ms. Kelly) & Aaron (Ms. Keane) saw a dolphin and a seal off the coast of Skerries while enjoying the beautiful sunshine!
- Diarmuid (Ms. Spillane) will turn six in May and he is looking forward to getting a big boy bike. He has been busy gardening with his daddy and going on long walks with his mammy and baby brother :-)
- Abbie (Ms. Keane) is keeping busy with her brother Sam by jumping on their new trampoline & watching Homeschool Hub. She really misses Ms. Keane, Tracey & all her class but enjoys hearing the jokes from the goodnews letter.
- Rachel Murtagh (Ms. Wilde) is learning to cycle without stabilizers.
- Caoilinn Seaver (Ms Meehan) has been having lots of fun with her brother and sister and going for big walks, cycles or scoots every day with mammy or daddy. Last weekend mammy built a little fire pit in the garden and Caoilinn got to toast marshmallows for s'mores, yummy! We also pitched a small tent but it's been a bit too cold to sleep in it. Caoilinn's favourite thing about being at home is being able to spend so much time with her family, but she misses all her friends, teachers and helpers in school and says a big Hello!
- Paddy Rock (Ms Hewitt's class) has been playing a lot of football and practicing his skills. He goes to the beach every day to build sandcastles and then knock them with a football. He has been doing his home-school and his writing is getting very good, but he would much prefer to be going to St Patrick's everyday as he misses all his friends.
- Maeve and Cara (Ms. Davis): Maeve lost her first tooth and her big tooth is coming up fast and Cara lost her two bottom teeth one day after the other, the tooth fairy was very busy that weekend! They're practising cartwheels every day and have learned how to tie their laces! The girls are loving cycling on 'the big road' with their Daddy!
- Leah (Ms. Hewitt) and her family had Family Olympics. We played kerbs, egg and spoon races, sprints, trampoline skills, throwing the tennis balls into flower pots and timed running up and down the stairs. Leah's big sister Kate made medals from tinfoil. Her Mom (Mrs. Dungan) was VERY bad at the trampoline event!
- Sam (Ms. Hewitt) has been digging in the garden and playing with his cat Oreo. He has also cooked food on the barbecue with his dad.
- Tiernan (Ms Kelly) has been playing on his new trampoline with his sisters and brother and has been going kayaking on these lovely sunny days!
- Ruby Harford-Long (Ms Spillane) would love to say a big hello to her teacher, all her class mates & let them know she misses them a lot but looks forward to seeing everyone soon. It was her friend Leah's birthday recently so Ruby made her a special homemade card:) Ruby is having fun baking, playing with her sisters Holly & Lucy while painting all their fairy doors on the trees in the garden!! Ruby has been getting lots of fresh air on her bike & is excited to hide a new batch of Skerries rocks for other boys & girls to find!!

What do you do when you see a space man?
You park your car man! Aaron McAnulla

When does an astronaut eat? At launch time!!!
Sam McAnulla

Why should you never give Elsa a balloon?
Because she would *Let it Go!*



Jokes to make you laugh!

Kind Words

Kind Hands

Kind Actions

If you see someone without a smile give them one of yours.



Here are pictures of some of your teachers and helpers when they were very small. Can you guess who is who? Here is the list of names—see if you can match them to the correct pictures?

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