A Yearbook for the Class of 2020



Bweeng National School

Jemma Mullane

What is your favourite subject in school? PE

What is your favourite food? Pizza

What is your favourite film? Goosebumps

Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? Little Mix

What are your hobbies/interests? Horse Riding

Where is your favourite place to visit? London

When I am older, I would like to travel to... America

What is your best memory of primary school? On the bus when we would go to the church.

What will you miss most about Primary school? My class

What secondary school are you going to? St. Mary's, Mallow.

What would you like to be when you are older? A Beautician



She was always kind and polite to everyone.

Joking me about my love of space and chicken cake.

When she brought back bracelets from her holiday for the girls.

School Tours—By Jemma Mullane

I can't remember all of my school tours but I know they were fun. In fourth class we went to Star Sailing in Kenmare. I think that was my favourite one because of all the activities we did. In fifth class we went to Ballyhass, Coachford. That was really good too. I think the best thing we did there was the 'Aqua Park' which was in the middle of the water. However, every school tour was good because we were all with our friends. We couldn't go on a school tour this year because the school closed early due to Covid-19, which was sad.

We used to always debate who was taller.

When we were both struggling to run around the school.

Dean Morgan

We were together for a practice quiz.



Playing soccer with him at his house.

What is your favourite subject in school? Maths/PE

What is your favourite food? Ice-Cream

What is your favourite film? Rambo 2

Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? Virgil Van Dijk

What are your hobbies/interests? Soccer, Swimming and Basketball

Where is your favourite place to visit? Spain

When I am older, I would like to travel to... America

What is your best memory of primary school? Winning a trophy for schools sports and being captain of the 6th class debate team.

What will you miss most about Primary school? Easy homework

What secondary school are you going to? Blarney

What would you like to be when you are older? An Author

He is a very good goalkeeper and he saved us in a lot of games.

I just loved the story he wrote about the 6th class boys.

Bweeng School - Junior Infants to 6th Class- A Poem By Dean Morgan

The 2020 sixth class year is a story that I have to share, when we all started school, In junior Infants we all thought we were cool.

We learned numbers over ten, Shapes and letters way back then.

That year went pretty fast, And then we were in a higher class.

We learned about manners please and thank you, And there we have it we're done class number two.

First class came and we knew more, like how to walk across the road if you're going to a store.

I was also in the Swimming Gala that year even though I did not win, as I love swimming I was happy to get in.

In 2^{nd} Class I did win a trophy for Bweeng School when I came in 3^{rd} place, believe me it was not an easy race.

Also that year one thing shone above the rest Our Holy Communion was the very best, Even though every week we dreaded the spelling test.

Third class was the year of Division, Subtraction, Multiplication and Addition.

We also moved into a new room because of the extension, this I had to mention.

In 4th Class we got two teachers as I recall, the first time for us all.

We went to Kenmare Activity Centre on our school tour, we all enjoyed it that's for sure.

In 5^{th} class we had the science fair, we all made projects that were displayed down there.

The Credit Union Quiz was on in February, It was as fun as a good quiz can be.

In 6^{th} Class I was the captain on the debate team, and really enjoyed it, it was plain to be seen.

Bweeng School had their Confirmation, But we cannot say the same for the entire nation.

A Global Pandemic was soon to begin, And because of this it ruined everything.

I would like to thank my teachers through the years one and all, I learned a great deal and had a ball.

I will return to Bweeng as a teacher someday for sure, So Mr O'Sullivan Keep open that door.



He was a great asset to the school quiz team.

Ryan Crowley

He always has his work lovely and neat.



What is your favourite subject in school? PE

What is your favourite food? Sunday Roast

What is your favourite film? Grown Ups.

Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? Kevin Hart.

What are your hobbies/interests? Hurling, Football, Soccer and sport in general.

Where is your favourite place to visit? My cousins in Tipperary.

When I am older, I would like to travel to... New Zealand

What is your best memory of primary school? Participating in Cork City Sports

What will you miss most about Primary school? All my friends

What secondary school are you going to? The Patrician Academy, Mallow.

What would you like to be when you are older? Hurler for Cork/ Engineer

A day at Cork City Sports - By Ryan Crowley

To qualify for the Cork City Sports, we do a qualifying

He always did well in the Cork City Sports.

sports day usually above in the Community Park. You run against your age group and two qualify from each group for both boys and girls. This day alone is a great fun day involving both the pupils and teachers. On the day of the Cork City Sports, we meet the teachers, usually Ms. Heffernan and Ms. Harrington at the C.I.T. grounds at a meeting point (it used to be Pairc Ui Chaoimh). There are huge crowds there, thousands of children and parents from all over the County. Its alternates every second year for the competitions, girls in morning and boys in the evening and vice versa. The pupils and teachers go to a stand and wait for their race to start. It's all very exciting and the atmosphere is brilliant. You have your family and friends shouting for you and your school. It is very exciting to run in your individual race and also in the relay race. Our group won the relay last year it was amazing. I have done well over the years and have a couple of trophies to show for running in the Cork City Sports. There is nothing like representing my school and even getting my picture in the paper. I have al-

ways enjoyed the day and coming to school the next day to show my trophy to the classes is lovely especially for the

younger children. It is a day to remember always.

When I saved the his goal on the pitch.



When Ryan was really good on the quiz team.

Playing soccer with him and his brothers.

Jack Collins



When Jack told me how to do roman numerals.

What is your favourite subject in school? History

What is your favourite food? Chinese food

What is your favourite film? Endgame

Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? Robert Downey Jr

What are your hobbies/interests? Wall climbing

Where is your favourite place to visit? Amsterdam

When I am older, I would like to travel to... America

What is your best memory of primary school? School tour to fota

What will you miss most about Primary school? Friends
What secondary school are you going to? Davis
What would you like to be when you are older? Teacher

He was really good at Maths.

Going to his house and having a BBQ when I was younger.

Mallow Science Fair - By Jack Collins

The Mallow Science Fair happens in October each year, it gives all the local schools in the area a chance to display a project that they had been working on. It also allows local businesses to show young people their products and innovations.

In fifth class our project was to make Styrofoam rockets that were propelled by the elasticity of strong elastic bands. In sixth class our project was air powered cars, we made these by recycling plastic water bottles, with the bottle as the body of the car and the tops as the wheels, we then used air generated from a fan to move the cars. We had lots of fun making both these projects and we got to show people at the fair these in small groups throughout the day. Because the day was divided into timeslots for the groups it meant that we all got to also see what was on the other stands and all the projects from the local schools.

Jack is very smart and very nice to talk to.

Jack always knew so much about History.



Dylan Spillane

What is your favourite subject in school? PE

What is your favourite food? Pizza

What is your favourite film? Fast and Furious

Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? Anthony Nash

What are your hobbies/interests? Hurling and Football

Where is your favourite place to visit? My aunt's house in Glengarriff.

When I am older, I would like to travel to... America

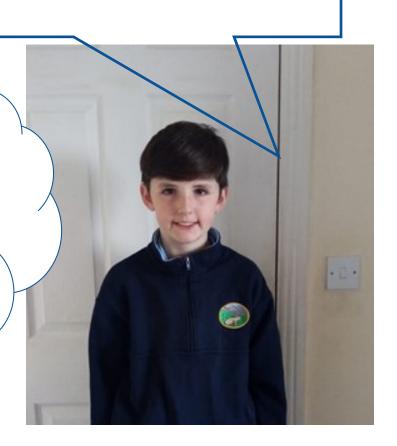
What is your best memory of primary school? Going to the blitz in 6th class

What will you miss most about Primary school? The Field

What secondary school are you going to? The Academy, Mallow.

What would you like to be when you are older? A hurler.

He always helped me, especially when I hurt my leg and had crutches and when I broke my wrist, he carried my schoolbag.



When he scored a half court shot.

Dylan is sporty and entertaining.

Lunch Breaks - By Dylan Spillane

At lunch time we usually played soccer or football. Unfortunately we couldn't always use the pitch as the grass could be wet. When we played on the concrete we usually played possession football. Most of the time it was boys against girls and we had lots of fun. In 3rd and 4th class we played at the front of the school. In 5th and 6th class we were lucky enough to have the pitch or we got to play next to it when it was too wet.



When he was on my team, literally every time in P.E. He is really good at singing. He sang in our Cinderella play and everyone said how good he was.

Ella Edwards

When she would hug me when I would get to school.



What is your favourite subject in school? Pe

What is your favourite food? Pizza

What is your favourite film? Divergent

Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? Orlagh farmer

What are your hobbies/interests? Sports

Where is your favourite place to visit? Ballyheigue

When I am older, I would like to travel to... Australia

What is your best memory of primary school? Playing with my friends

What will you miss most about Primary school? Friends

What secondary school are you going to? St Mary's, Mallow.

What would you like to be when you are older? Pe teacher

When we were in the Cork City Sports together.

All of our inside jokes!

My First Day in Bweeng N.S. - By Ella Edwards

I don't remember much about my first day but I will try, so I think I sat next to Jack McCarthy or Callum. I remember wanting to sit next to the class above mine because I didn't know anyone going into my classroom because I went to preschool in Mallow. It was hard but it was worth it because I have the best friends ever now.

My teacher was Miss Buckley. She was a really nice teacher (Still is!!!) and she was really funny, like really funny and my other teacher was Ms Hegarty.

Going to the cinema for her birthday.

Ella was always kind to everyone.



Jack McCarthy

What is your favourite subject in school? PE

What is your favourite food? Chips

What is your favourite film? Fast and Furious

Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? David Dobrik

What are your hobbies/interests? Driving my car

Where is your favourite place to visit? Poland

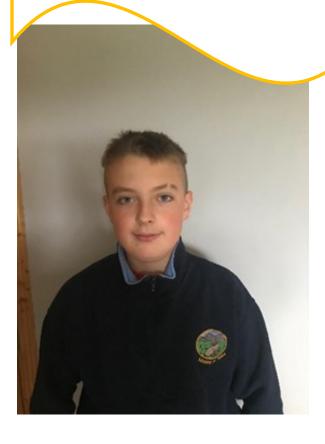
When I am older, I would like to travel to... Las Vegas

What is your best memory of primary school? School tours

What will you miss most about Primary school? Easy work and friends

What secondary school are you going to? Davis College, Mallow.

What would you like to be when you are older? A person who won the lotto for €150M.



When Jack said the school inspector was the T.V licence man.

A couple of farewell jokes from Jack McCarthy

Why did the chicken cross the road?

To get to the other side

What do you call a fish with no eye?

Fsh

He is really funny in school and puts a smile on your face.

When we were in the same group for Drama.

He used to get new shoes almost every month.

He is funny and sound out.



James Quinn

Playing midfield with James in football.



He is sporty, funny and great craic.

What is your favourite subject in school? P.E

What is your favourite food? Doner kebab

What is your favourite film? Star war's

Who is your favourite celebrity/ sports star? Virgil Van Dijk

What are your hobbies/interests?

Soccer

Where is your favourite place to visit? Kildare

When I am older, I would like to travel to...Caribbean

What is your best memory of primary school? The school tour at ballyhas lakes

What will you miss most about Primary school? Easy work

What secondary school are you going to? Davis college

What would you like to be when you are older? A soccer player

James just made me laugh a lot. He is a very good goalkeeper.

James was vey
good at quizzes and he
was on the
school quiz team.

Soccer Blitz By James Quinn

Earlier this year the 5th and 6th class boys had a soccer blitz in Mayfield. There were teams of eight boys but only five could start the game. The games were twenty minutes long and there were four groups with three teams in each group. Only one team got through each group. We entered two teams.

One of our teams got knocked out in the group stage and the other gotto the semi-finals before getting knocked out. We did very well to get to the semi-final as there was a lot of tough competition. After the game we got the bus back to our school. This was good craic and we all had a good day out.





Kirsten Fleming

What is your favourite subject in school? Maths

What is your favourite food? Chicken curry and rice

What is your favourite film? Sense and Sensibility (2008); Mrs Brown D'Movie; Ever After a Cinderella Story (Drew Barrymore)

Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? Michael Jackson and Taylor Swift

What are your hobbies/interests? Cycling and reading and drawing

Where is your favourite place to visit?
Beaches and Doneraile Park

When I am older, I would like to travel to... Rome (Italy)

What is your best memory of primary school? In 1st class, we went to Fota and I saw a black swan.

What will you miss most about Primary school? I will miss the extra-curricular activities.

What secondary school are you going to? St Mary's Secondary school

What would you like to be when you are older? Engineer or paediatric nurse

She was excellent at playing the flute.



She was very good at drawing and she was always nice to everyone.

When she helped me with my Art.

The stories she wrote were always fun to listen to.

<u>Debating - By Kirsten Fleming</u>

Our first debate was against the Gaelscoil in Glanmire. The motion was "Homework is a waste of time for Primary School students." The second debate was held in our own school hall. The motion was "Primary School students should be banned from owning a mobile phone." I took part in the second debate. Ryan Crowley and Dean Morgan were also on my team. We were up against Dromahane National School. Two of the judges were Fr Coleman and Mr O'Sullivan. While we didn't win, at the end of the debate we were given refreshments and Tayto's.



Playing in the playground with her on the morning of my Holy Communion.

Laura Giesche

When she would bring in Watermelon and give me some.



What is your favourite subject in school? English

What is your favourite food? Pasta and salami

What is your favourite film? Mortal instruments

Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? Cassandra Clare

What are your hobbies/interests? Piano, Ballet and reading

Where is your favourite place to visit? The beach

When I am older, I would like to travel to... Germany and New Zealand

What is your best memory of primary school? The school tours, especially ballyhass Coachford

What will you miss most about Primary school? My friends and teachers

What secondary school are you going to? St. Mary's secondary school

What would you like to be when you are older? A nurse or a vet

Junior Entrepreneur Competition-By Laura Giesche

My class and I took part in the Junior Entrepreneur Competition. An Entrepreneur is a person who sets up their own business. Last year, our business was our very own cinema. We sold popcorn, sweets and drinks. Before we set up our business, we had to give a presentation to the 'dragons' or judges. In groups, we came up with different business ideas and the dragons decided which project would be the best business. We had lots of different ideas for this year, but unfortunately the Corona Virus stopped us in our tracks. My class and I had lots of fun and learned lots of skills like teamwork and communication.

When we did Junior Entrepreneur together.

When she came over to my house to play.

When she was on the Quiz team with me. Ella was on the team too.

She was always kind to everyone and loved reading.



Niamh Delahunty

What is your favourite subject in school? P.E.
What is your favourite food? Pasta

What is your favourite film? Jumanji 2

Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? Molly-Mae Hague

What are your hobbies/interests? Football and Dancing

Where is your favourite place to visit? Beach
When I am older, I would like to travel to... America
What is your best memory of primary school? My First
Holy Communion

What will you miss most about Primary school? My Friends

What secondary school are you going to? St. Mary's What would you like to be when you are older? Vet



When I would sit next to her and we couldn't stop talking and laughing.

We Ran together in the relay in the Cork City Sports.

When we would have the chats during lunch.

Confirmation 2020 - By Niamh Delahunty

Our Confirmation was on the 3rd of March, 2020. It was held in Dromahane Church. Dromahane and Glantane schools received their Confirmation also. This year Bweeng school were the choir. Rachael sang the psalm. Some of us played the instruments. Bishop William Crean anointed us with the Holy Oil. It was a lovely Mass. Everybody looked lovely. We had the rest of the day off. It was a great day!

Niamh is
excellent at
football and she
plays for
Kilshannig.

I love how she used to always dress up her dogs.



Sarah Butler



Sarah loved making slime and she used to bring it into school.



friends

What is your favourite subject in school? Art
What is your favourite food? Pizza
What is your favourite film? High School Musical
Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? Ariana Grande
What are your hobbies/interests? Basketball
Where is your favourite place to visit? Youghal
When I am older, I would like to travel to... Hawaii
What is your best memory of primary school? Everything
What will you miss most about Primary school? Homework and

What secondary school are you going to? Davis College, Mallow. What would you like to be when you are older? Not sure yet.

Sarah is kind and generous.

Holy Communion - By Sarah Butler

My name is Sarah Butler. I made my Holy Communion on Saturday the 14^{th} of May 2016. We had a lovely ceremony in Bweeng church. After the ceremony we got photos taken with our teacher, Miss Heffernan. Then we went to the community hall for food and some more photos. After that, I went home and had a big part with all my family and friends and we had a great time on the bouncy castle .

When we both had homemade hand sanitizers.

When she joined our class.

I remember
when Sarah
brought her little sister into
school a couple of
years ago.



Cecelia Canty

What is your favourite subject in school? PE

What is your favourite food? Pizza and Ice-Cream

What is your favourite film? Duff

Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? It was Kobe Bryant

What are your hobbies/interests? Basketball

Where is your favourite place to visit? Tayto Park and the Cinema

When I am older, I would like to travel to... Around the world

What is your best memory of primary school? The school tours and city

sports

What will you miss most about Primary school? My tracksuit. I have to wear a uniform in secondary school.

What secondary school are you going to? Coachford College
What would you like to be when you are older? A Home Economics
teacher by day. I would also like to be a basketball player and a fitness

How good she was at basketball.



Being her partner for school tours.

Cecelia was very kind to everyone.

When we wrote on my pencil case.

Active Schools - By Cecelia Canty

Active schools week is when the school organises sports activities in school. This normally happens near the end of the school year.

Over the past year we have completed activities such as climbing Mount Hilary, races in the community hall pitch and we also walked to Croke park by walking laps around the school. This year we are doing it differently because of COVID 19, the activity is being done at home and the teacher assigns activities.

At home as part of active week I have been training with my dad, going for runs & basketball training.



When we became best friends,

Liam Sheehan

We were friends since pre-school.



I loved listening to his stories.

What is your favourite subject in school? PE
What is your favourite food? Burgers
What is your favourite film? Remember the Titans
Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? Patrick
Horgan

What are your hobbies/interests? Hurling, football and soccer

Where is your favourite place to visit? France
When I am older, I would like to travel to... USA
What is your best memory of primary school? Ballyhass
Coachford, school tour.

What will you miss most about Primary school? Friends What secondary school are you going to? The Patrician Academy, Mallow.

What would you like to be when you are older? A Butcher and a Hurley Maker

Taking part in Drama with him in 5th class.

I remember being partners with him in hurling.

Changes in Bweeng N.S. - By Liam Sheehan

On the 3rd of September 2012, 19 pupils started Junior Infants in Bweeng NS, dressed in uniform, there have been many changes in the school in the last 8 years. When I started school it was much smaller, since then we have built two new class rooms - Miss Heffernan & Mr Walsh's classrooms. Four new teachers have also started in Bweeng NS, namely Miss Howard (2014), Miss Harrington (2015), Miss O Hanlon replaced Miss Sheehan (2018), Mr O Sullivan replaced Miss McCarthy (2019). The number s of the school have also increased from 114 to 155. In 2013 the uniform was replaced with a school tracksuit.

To make room for the new extensions, the school lost a lot of yard space and tree s were also cut, but thankfully we managed to hold on to our pitch, where many fun games were played. Ms Buckley and her class created a lovely garden space at the back of the school, where lovely crops and flowers grow. Over the years IT and computers have become a greater part of school life. With greater use of interactive white board and iPads.

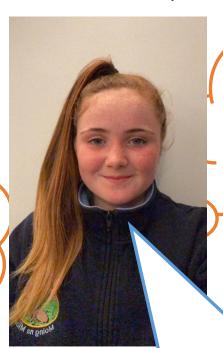
Bweeng NS now have 5 green flags - litter & waste, energy, water, travel and biodiversity. I have no doubt that there will be many more in the future.

This June 18 pupils leave Bweeng NS with many great memories made. We have made great friends and we look forward to starting Secondary School in September

His Scottish accent.



Rachael Kenny



She is a really good singer and she always sang at plays and in the church.

When she pen a light. gave me a light.

What is your favourite subject in school? PE

What is your favourite food? Watermelon

What is your favourite film? I have too many!

Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? Jennifer Lawrence

What are your hobbies/interests? Singing or Dancing

Where is your favourite place to visit? The Beach

When I am older, I would like to travel to... Hawaii

What is your best memory of primary school? Going on the bus to different places.

What will you miss most about Primary school? My Friends
What secondary school are you going to? St. Mary's, Mallow.
What would you like to be when you are older? I want to get a scholarship to go to college with performing arts.

When we were obsessed with getting jobs.

Sitting next to her in class.

She is great at Drama and very nice

School plays - By Rachael Kenny

When we were in 2nd class we did the play "the little angel" which was a Christmas themed play about a fairy that had no wings and I played the little angel I got to sing a few parts by myself I can always remember being sooo nervous! And then when I was in 5th class we done "Cinderella" which there was 2 nights to that play just to make sure all parents could come And see! I played Cinderella there's was so many parts in that play and I really enjoyed practicing for it!!



Callum O' Sullivan

When he used to pretend to be a baby in Drama.



What is your favourite subject in school? Maths

What is your favourite food? Potatoes (Spudz)

What is your favourite film? The Scream series on Netflix

Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? Kane Browne

What are your hobbies/interests? Soccer and gaming tournaments

Where is your favourite place to visit? Spain

When I am older, I would like to travel to... Disneyland with my girl-friend.

What is your best memory of primary school? Just meeting my friends really

What will you miss most about Primary school? Definitely friends and JEP and maybe teachers... I'll have to think about that one! Hahaha

What secondary school are you going to? Davis College, Mallow.

What would you like to be when you are older? A Garda (Dog Unit).

Green School - By Callum O' Sullivan

I was on the Green School Committee in sixth class. We would meet every few weeks to discuss what had to be done. Abigail, Eilidh and Rua were also on the committee. Ms Buckley was the teacher involved with the committee and helping us. We would make sure that everyone was participating in helping the green schools by making sure electricity and water were turned off when not being used. We were planning to plant vegetables and to make a wild flower area. Bweeng National School was awarded their fifth green flag this year. It was for Bio-Diversity but unfortunately we never got to raise it due to Covid-19.

He is a great soccer player and very nice.

When he chipped his ankle in school.

When we were together for the Junior Entrepreneur.

He was always so kind and nice to everyone.



Molly-Ann Kavanagh

What is your favourite subject in school? Art

What is your favourite food? Chocolate

What is your favourite film? Titanic

Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? Millie Bobby Brown

What are your hobbies/interests? Art, Baking and Football.

Where is your favourite place to visit? Spain

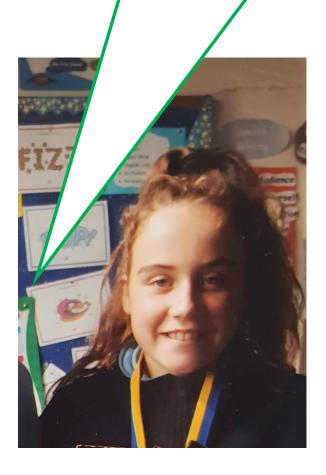
When I am older, I would like to travel to... Paris

What is your best memory of primary school? Baking for the school.

What will you miss most about Primary school? My Friends

What secondary school are you going to? St. Mary's, Mallow.

What would you like to be when you are older? A Baker.



Molly is really good at sport and she loved playing Hockey. Molly loves baking and she brought in delicious brownies for the bake sale.

When we both got into the Cork City Sports.

She is excellent at Art.

A Recipe for Fudgy Cocoa Brownies - By Molly-Ann Kavanagh

Half a cup of unsalted butter (Melted and Hot)

One table spoon of Cooking oil (Olive oil or coconut oil are fine)

One and one eighth of a cup of superfine sugar (Caster Sugar or White Granulate)

Two large eggs
Two tablespoons of Vanilla extracts.

Molly was lots of fun and kind to everyone.



Hannah-Rose O' Driscoll





her to her on

What is your favourite subject in school? Art

What is your favourite food? Roasties

What is your favourite film? Diary of a Wimpy kid

Who is your favourite celebrity/sports star? Ariana Grande

What are your hobbies/interests? Tic tok Dancing

Where is your favourite place to visit? Family

When I am older, I would like to travel to... New York

What is your best memory of primary school? Making my confirmation

What will you miss most about Primary school? The teachers

What secondary school are you going to? St.Mary's, Mallow

What would you like to be when you are older? A Hair Stylist



When Hannah started in Bweeng N.S. in 3rd class.

<u>Riddles - By Hannah-Rose</u> O' Driscoll

What is harder to catch, the faster you run?

Your breath

The more of this there is, the less to see. What am I?

Darkness

If you have me, you want to share me. If you share me, you haven't got me. What am I?

A secret

What belongs to you but other people use it more than you?

Your name

What comes once in a minute, twice on a moment, but never in a thousand years?

The letter "m"

When we kept on making each other laugh.



She was very kind to everybody.

A Farewell Message from Mrs. Sheehy

6th class, you joined us in 2012 as small boys and girls. We have had the privilege of watching you grow and develop into the fine young people you are today. You developed a good work ethic in Bweeng National School. Carry that forward into secondary school and you will do very well. Be sure to call back to see us. Go n-éirí an t-ádh libh. Mrs Sheehy

A Farwell Message from Mr. O' Sullivan

6th class, although I have only been part of Bweeng National School for the last two years of your primary school journey, I really feel I have got to know you all very well. Each of you are very special and have your own talents. I wish you the very best as you move to secondary school. I know you will be nice and kind to everyone and that you will work very hard. Enjoy your new adventure and take care. Best wishes, Mr O' Sullivan.

Sarah Butler **Signatures** ack McCarthy Laura Ciesche Edulards Callan O'Sullivan Cecelia Canty amal Rose O'Oriscoll Sack Collins Dear Horay Oches Quinn Mellyk Ryan Crowley Oylan Seillane Jemma mullane