

CÚINNE AN CHOISTE

GAELSCOIL AONACH URMHUMHAN

BEATHA & SLÁINTE chugaibh ar fad, a chairde, agus fáilte chuig Eagrán 3 de CÚINNE AN CHOISTE, Gaelscoil Aonach Urmhumhan 2017/18. In this, our third nuachtlitir, we'd like to let you know about all we've been doing in the last few weeks and draw your attention to two upcoming events in particular, bingo and orchard planting.

BIONGÓ DÉ DOMHNAIGH 25 MÁRTA 17:00-19:00

We are all really looking forward to a big family day out in *Halla na Gaelscoile* on Sunday 25 March. This promises to be a great fun event for all and a chance to win lots of cash prizes!. We have been working hard gathering spot prizes over the last few weeks and we've had super

support from local businesses for the event while also fundraising for GAA goalposts and large nets.

Bingo books will be €3 for children and €5 for adults. These will be on sale at school from *Dé Céadaoin 14 Márta*, and available on the day also. Children will be having lots of "full house" practice over the next two weeks while our MC Dads for the event will be fine tuning their Bingo lingo! *Táimid ag dreimeadh go mór leis mar ócáid. Ag súil go mór le sibh ar fad a fheiscint ann!*

CONTACTS for 2018 We are your reps in each of the classes. All suggestions & queries welcome! Pé rud a ritheann libh ...

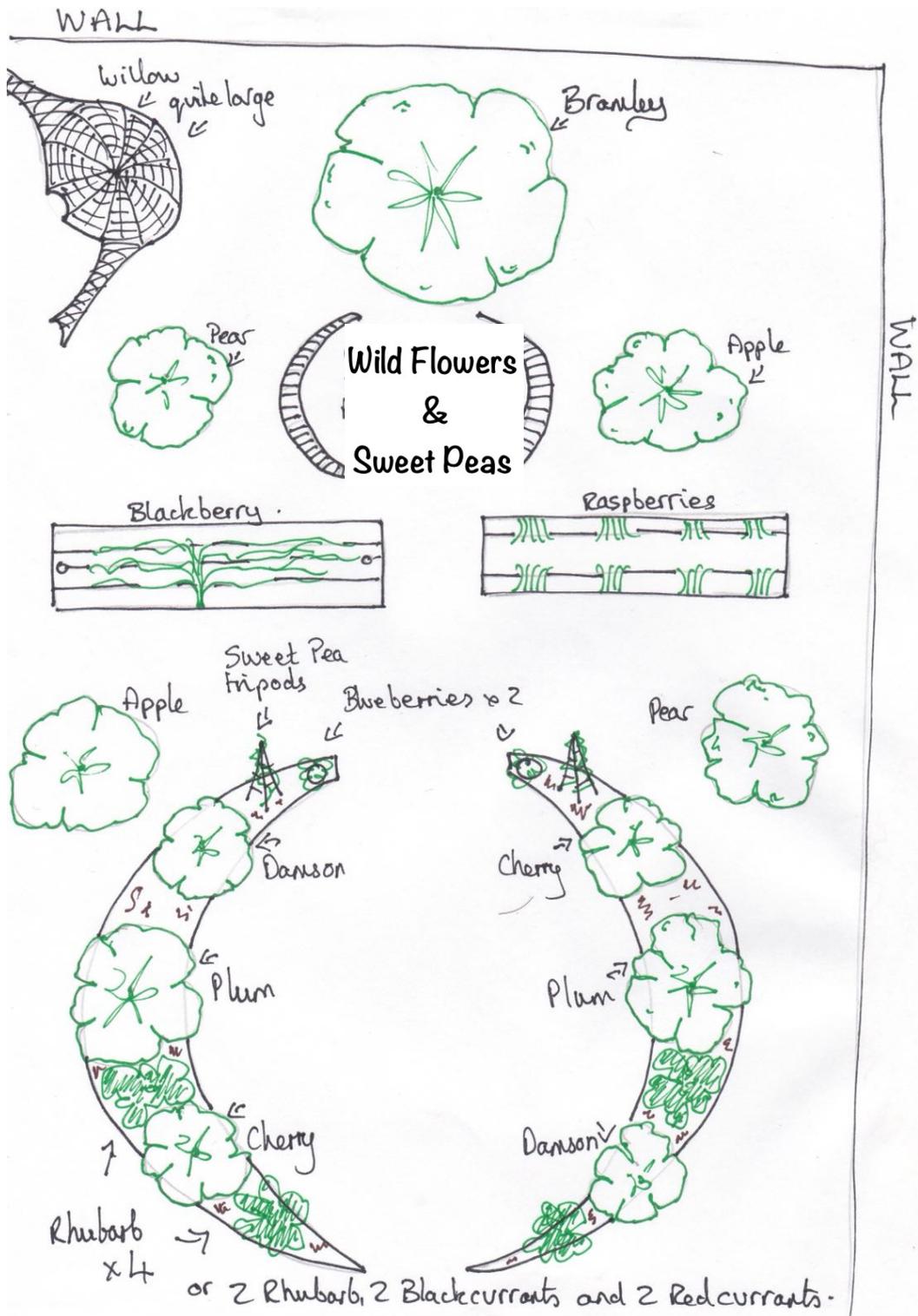
Naíonáin Bheaga: Cyril Ó Báille & Orla de Spáinn; **Naíonáin Mhóra:** Cyril Ó Báille & Sinéad Uí Thuathchair;

Rang 1: Tom Ó Beoláin, Ursula Mhic Choinnigh, Orla de Spáinn & Deirdre Ní Loingsigh; **Rang 2:** Patrick Ó Ceallaigh, Rory Ó Fearáil, Judy Uí Bhriain & Sinéad Uí Thuathchair; **Rang 3:** Deirdre Uí Challaráin (Rúnaí); Tom Ó Beoláin & Niamh Uí Ghliasáin; **Rang 4:** Tom Ó Beoláin, Patrick Ó Ceallaigh & Sinead Uí Thuathchair; **Rang 5:** Niamh Uí Ghliasáin, Joan Ní Dhubhlaoich, Ursula Mhic Choinnigh, Deirdre Uí Challaráin, Judy Uí Bhriain (Cathaoirleach); **Rang 6:** Deirdre Ní Loingsigh. **Príomhoide:** Inez Uí Éanáin

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Much work has been done in the last few weeks planning a fantastic addition to the school grounds and garden, an orchard. Teresa, a horticulturalist at Arrabawn tested the pH of the soil and the wonderful design above has been drawn up. HOW LUCKY ARE WE?!

We acknowledge the work of Olive Kilgannon, Mike, *An Feighlí Scoile*, and all involved in *garraíodóireacht* at *An Ghaelscoil* in the project. Money raised at our *Líon na Málaí* back in October funded the purchase of all the trees and bushes. These have now arrived and we are looking forward to a big clean-up, ground preparation, and planting, on the day we get *laethanta saoire na Cásca* (Easter Holidays). All children and parents welcome. **Please bring your own gardening tools, gloves etc.**

Note that we are looking for stakes and bamboo for *an t-úllord* (orchard). Also, it would be great if any of you who have access to compost could let Inez know as soon as possible.

Tá fhios agaibh go mbeidh leath-lá ag na páistí ar 23 Márta. We look forward to a good turn out on the day. Please either come straight away at pick-up time, and stay for the first session from 12:00-14:00, or try to make it for the second session from 16:00-18:00. It would be just great to launch the holidays with a *Meitheal Mhór Oibre*. Please let members of *Coiste na dTuistí* know if you can make it.

GO RAIBH MÍLE MAITH AGAIBH

Finally, *ár mbuíochas ó chroí libh ar fad* who have been so good with your time since Christmas - helping out with so many different activities. Note that we are planning dates for *cócaireacht* for the children before the end of the school year & all offers of help will be greatly appreciated! Remember, we're always looking for other ideas about what else might be organised, so please do get in touch!

Bíodh deireadh seachtaine 23-25 Márta sna dialanna agaibh mar sin! Beannachtaí na Féile Pádraig ar phobal ná Gaelscoile ar fad idir an dá linn.

