

Scoil an Spioraid Naoimh (Boys) Parents Association Survey Results

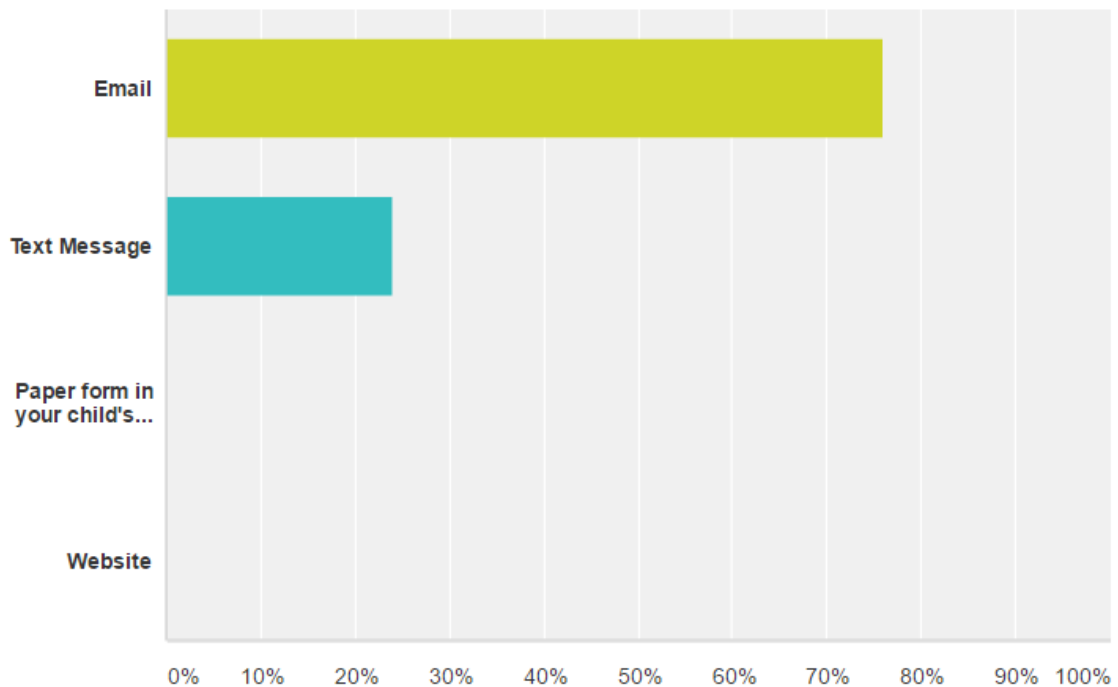
Overall we had 103 responses to the survey which was super. Surveymonkey free version only allows you report on the first 100.

Thanks to everyone for your participation in the survey. We greatly appreciate it. We are currently evaluating the feedback and will be creating actions from them over the coming weeks.

Q1

What is your preferred method of receiving updates from the parents association?

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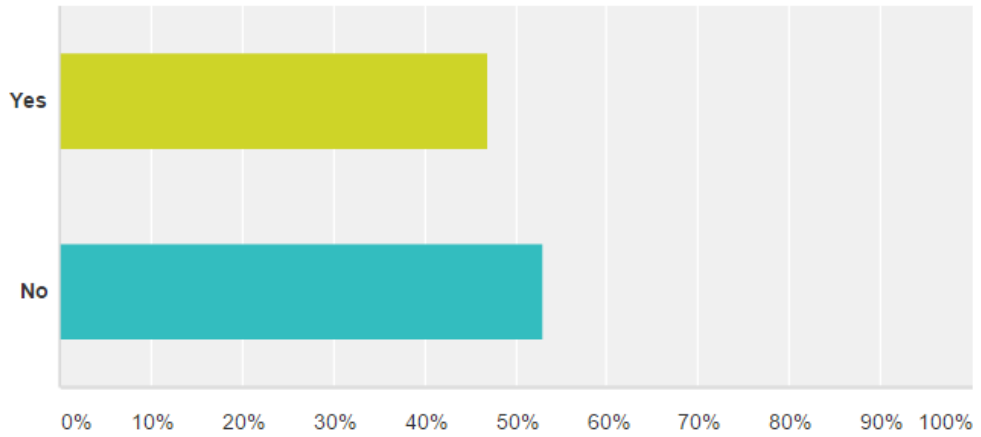


Answer Choices	Responses
▼ Email	76.00% 76
▼ Text Message	24.00% 24
▼ Paper form in your child's schoolbag	0.00% 0
▼ Website	0.00% 0
Total	100

Q2

Do you use the school website and, if so, do you find the parents association section useful

Answered: 100 Skipped: 0



Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	47.00%	47
No	53.00%	53
Total		100

Q3

What additional information (if any) would you like published on the parents association website section?

Answered: 100 Skipped: 0

Detailed Feedback (Parents Association Section)

1	Many people said they don't use it or were not aware of it
2	The website should include Minutes of PA meetings and contact details. It should also include activities that are planned for the year ahead
3	Parents should be prompted via email that there is new relevant info on the website
4	Info on committee membership and parents reps per class
5	Minutes of PA monthly meeting and published recent financial accounts
6	Make sure PA is inclusive for all to participate in
7	Rough calendar of the events for the year ahead and what help is needed from people on this
8	More photos of PA events that have taken place
9	Suggestions section on the website for those unable to attend meetings
10	Detail on questions that have been sent to board of management from parents association
11	Greater transparency on what funds are being used for
12	It should include future events, educational events and fun events for the school year ahead

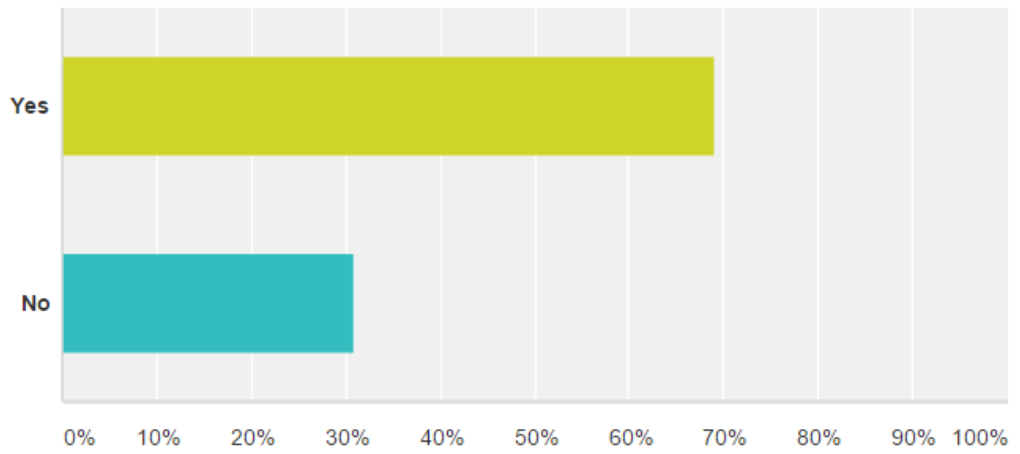
Detailed Feedback (General School Website section)

1	The general website (school) Extra-curricular activities for children after school
2	The website should include information on internet safety
3	What's happening in class and what parents could do in order to more proactively help (homework, bullying etc)
4	Dates for days off school (School Calendar is available on the website currently)

Q4

Would you be interested in a parents association newsletter?

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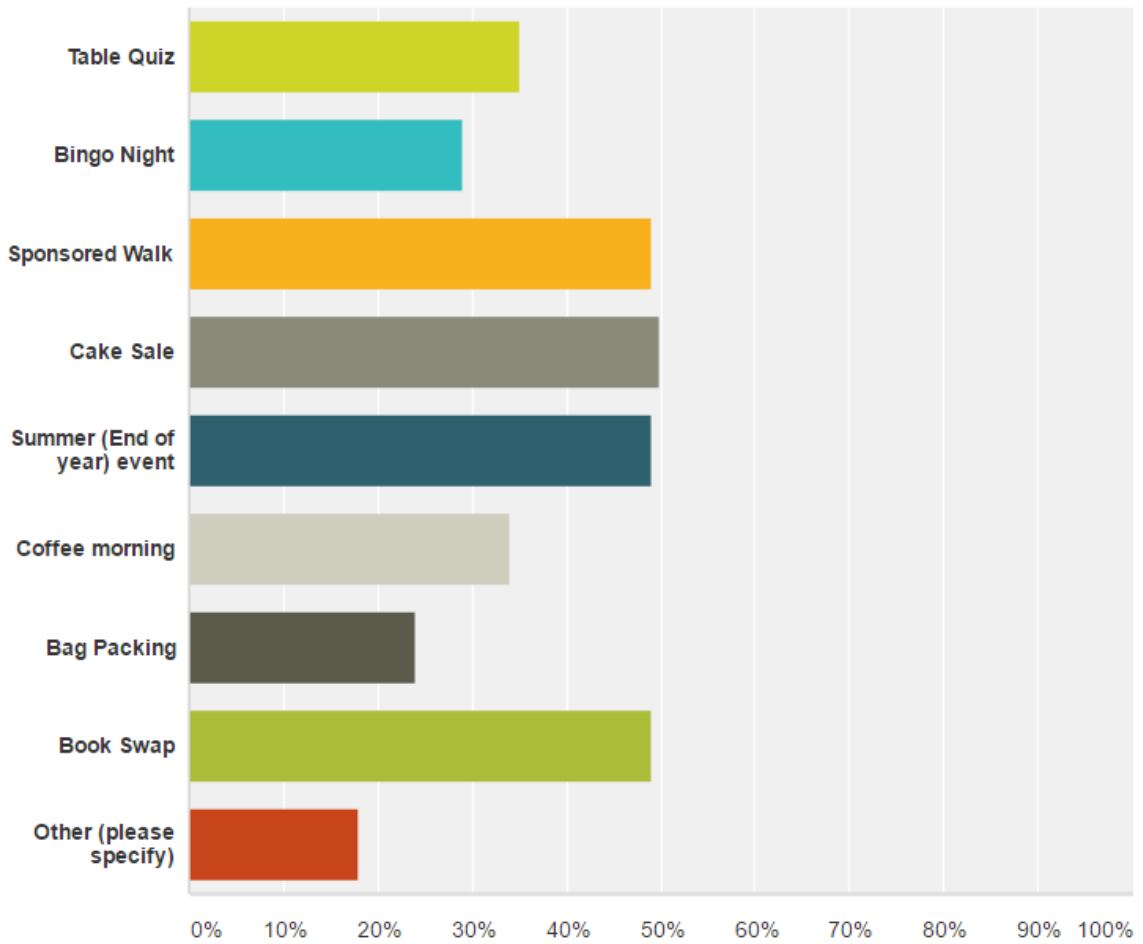


Answer Choices	Responses
▼ Yes	69.00% 69
▼ No	31.00% 31
Total	100

Q5

Would you like the parents association to run the following events ?

Answered: 100 Skipped: 0



Answer Choices	Responses
Table Quiz	35.00% 35
Bingo Night	29.00% 29
Sponsored Walk	49.00% 49
Cake Sale	50.00% 50
Summer (End of year) event	49.00% 49
Coffee morning	34.00% 34
Bag Packing	24.00% 24
Book Swap	49.00% 49
Other (please specify) Responses	18.00% 18
Total Respondents: 100	

Other Responses section / Other Events suggested

1	Golf classic (one was done in girls school and raised 5K)
2	Sponsored walk on a Saturday with parents involved
3	Xmas party (This currently happens every 2 years). Next one is planned for 2018)
4	Sponsored cycle
5	5 KM run
6	Sponsored football blitz
7	Yoga for parents
8	Uniform swap (we already have done this in 2016 and plan to do the same in 2017)

Q6

Would you have suggestions regarding other events not listed above (It doesn't mean you need to get involved or organize it). We are just looking for Ideas!

Answered: 100 Skipped: 0

Detailed Responses

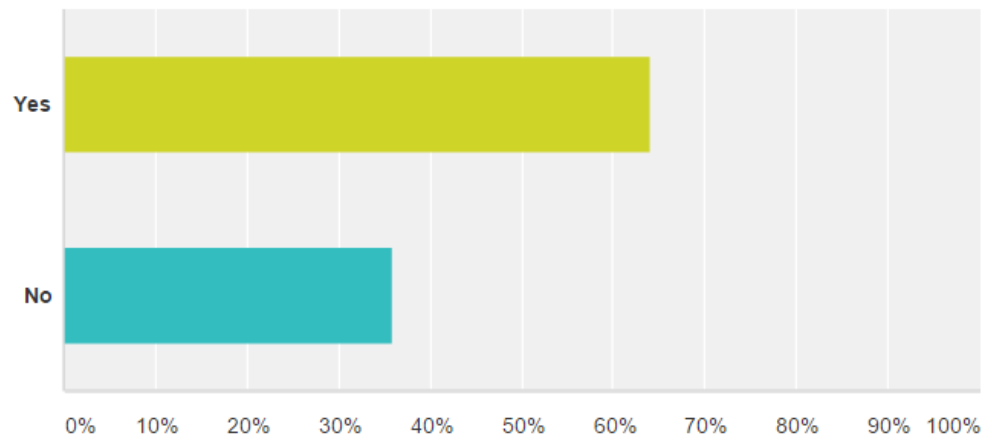
1	Family Sports Day
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2	Uniform Swap Day (we already have done this in 2016 and plan to do the same in 2017)
3	Xmas fair
4	Dinner dance for parents
5	Summer BBQ
6	Sports day in June (5 euro entry, parents race, prizes for winners, novelty races)
7	Parents association involved in other things beside fund raising
8	Sponsored Swim
9	'Boden' party
10	Talks for parents (transition to secondary school, mental health, internet safety, bullying)
11	Parents soccer tournament (5 a side)
12	Loose change drive
13	Family fun day (you buy tickets to attend)
14	Parents morning meeting to discuss tips on parenting
15	Coffee morning for junior infants parents
16	A structure/forum to allow parents with useful expertise contribute to school/PA developmental activities (I would suggest the PA is that forum)
17	Readathon
18	Last man standing fundraiser

Q7

Would you be willing to get involved with the parents association and either attend monthly meetings or help with fund raising events

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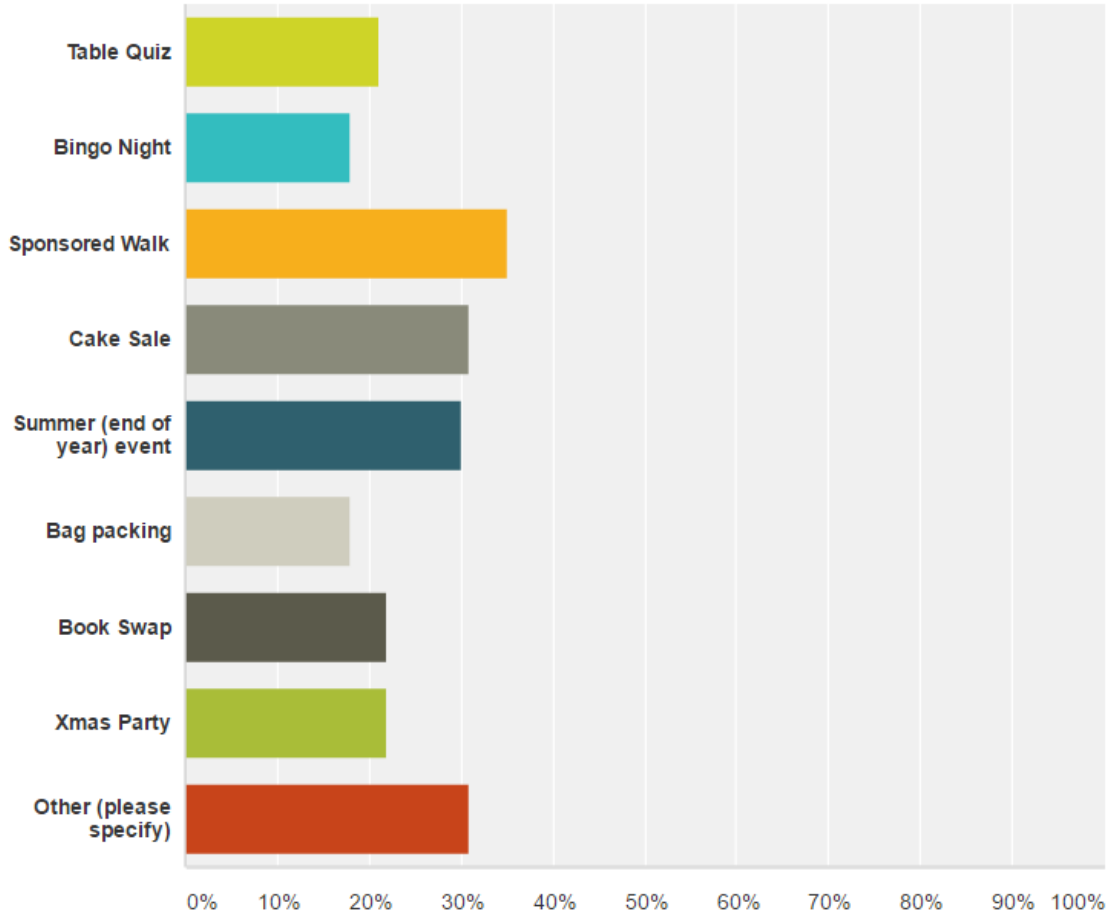


Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	64.00% 64
No	36.00% 36
Total	100

Q8

If you are interested in participating in fund raising what events would you be willing to help with?

Answered: 100 Skipped: 0



Answer Choices	Responses
▼ Table Quiz	21.00% 21
▼ Bingo Night	18.00% 18
▼ Sponsored Walk	35.00% 35
▼ Cake Sale	31.00% 31
▼ Summer (end of year) event	30.00% 30
▼ Bag packing	18.00% 18
▼ Book Swap	22.00% 22
▼ Xmas Party	22.00% 22
▼ Other (please specify) Responses	31.00% 31
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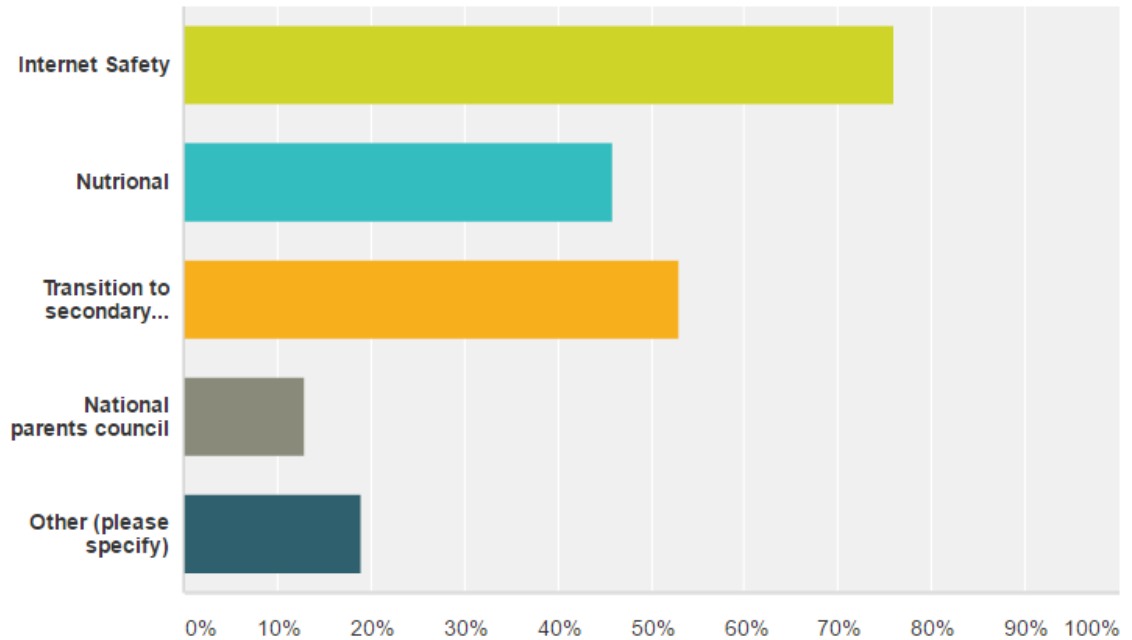
Detailed 'Other' Responses

1	Sports Day
2	Golf classic
3	Cycle
4	5 KM run

Q9:

Are there any information events that you think would be beneficial for parents?

Answered: 100 Skipped: 0



Answer Choices	Responses
Internet Safety	76.00% 76
Nutritional	46.00% 46
Transition to secondary school (6th class)	53.00% 53
National parents council	13.00% 13
Other (please specify) Responses	19.00% 19
Total Respondents: 100	

Detailed 'Other' Responses

1	How to handle bullying
2	Parenting programmes
3	How to raise self esteem in children and deal with tantrums
4	Mindfulness for children
5	Parenting advice and help

6	Getting parents to attend is key in putting events on. Make the events as attractive as possible so they will attend
7	Topics here are too generic and the benefit to parents depends on the content and presenter. Also need to determine if NPC is worth signing up to for any of these events

Q10

Are there any information events that you would be willing to participate in or present to parents?

Answered: 100 Skipped: 0

Detailed Responses

1	Music lessons
2	Psychotherapy
3	Lecture on common issues such as bedwetting, growth etc (paediatrician)
4	Therapy for stressed mums
5	Nutritional awareness
6	Nutrition/dentistry
7	Mental wellbeing
8	Transition to secondary school