Glengurt National School Board Meeting
Agreed Report

Date: 20/01/2026

- The Board of Management ratified the following plans and policies:
- Whole School Maths Plan,
- Attendance Policy and Strategy,
- Digital Plan,
- Emergency Closure Policy,
- Accidents and Injuries Policy,
- Administration of Medicines Policy,
- Flight Risk Policy

- The BoM have sought ministerial support for the opening of a second Autism classroom given the demand for Autism class enrolments for September 2026. At present we have 4 local children who are seeking placement but our class is fully enrolled and will be until September 2030.

- The BoM reviewed and updated the external development plan for the school which sets out our vision for the next 3-5 years.

- The BoM were unsuccessful in their SSE Renewables Community Grant Funding application for 2025/26.

- The BoM have submitted a grant funding application to Orsted towards our Plant and Play Area - Biodiversity and Sensory Garden which forms part of our future development plans.

- The BoM identified the need to replace the fence around the ballcourt. The BoM also approved to install fencing to the front boundary wall and replace the existing entrance gates. The BoM will be hoping to get a local contractor to undertake these works.

- The BoM thanked the entire school community for their ongoing support and most recently for the support received at the Christmas Concert Fundraiser which raised 2,800. The BoM also thanked all the spot prize sponsors and the Hall Committee for the use of the hall on the night.

- The BoM were unsuccessful in our Summer Works Scheme application where we hoped to replace the windows and doors throughout the school.

- The BoM commended the work of the Parents Association with the most recent launch of their calendar.

- The BoM thanked Noelle, Aoife and Denise and all the students for the wonderful Circol ELT submission. Anticipation was high to receive the overall prize of playground rubber matting. Unfortunately we were unsuccessful with in our application on this occasion.

- The students thoroughly enjoyed their annual trip to the Christmas Panto to see Cinderella in UL on Tuesday 16th December 2025.

- The BoM sincerely thanked Tournafulla GAA and Camogie Club for organising coach George Fitzgibbon who undertakes hurling training every Monday with all classes.