





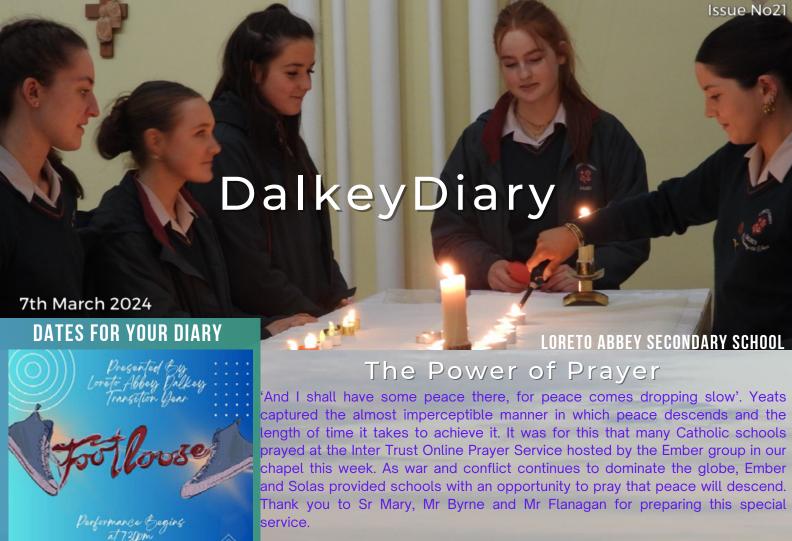
Giving the gift of education is life changing in Rumbek, a place where girls are often valued purely in terms of their dowry. For every €400 raised by our parents on Saturday 2nd March, one student can now be educated for an entire year in the Loreto boarding school established by Sr Orla Treacy in Rumbek. We are delighted to announce that all of the running and walking was well worth it as our parents and students raised over €25,000 for our sister school. That means that over 60 students can now be educated for a year in South Sudan. Thank you to Ms Coyne, Sr Orla Treacy, our Parents' Association, our staff, our TY students and everyone who contributed to a successful and meaningful fundraiser.













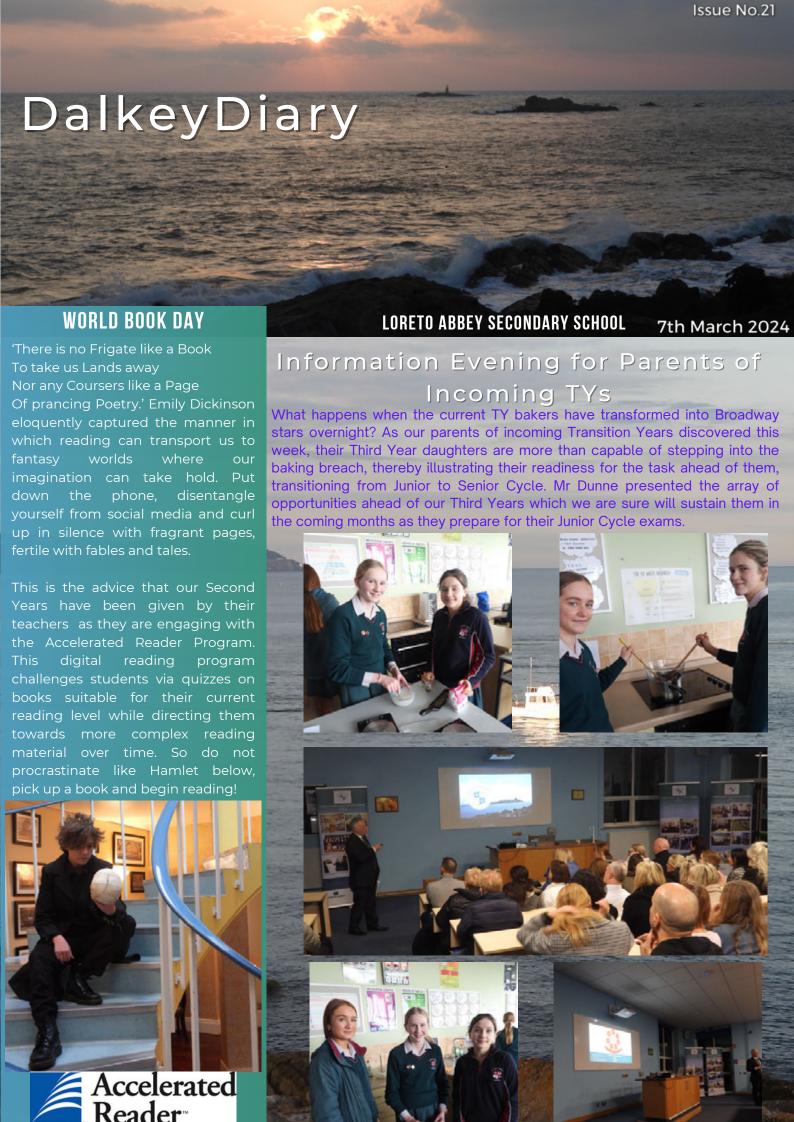


Women We Cherish

'And then I must scrub, and bake, and sweep, Till stars are beginning to blink and peep'. In his poem 'The Song of the Old Mother', Yeats attempts to capture something of what it is like to be a matriarch. Of course, he had yet to encounter the working woman, the multi-tasking taxi, the endlessly patient ATM machine and the agony aunt who can solve all woes. Today, the Ember Team invited our students to the chapel to remember and pray for those women in their lives who nourish them, mind them and inspire them. We also remember and pray for all of those women that we have loved and lost.









Hockey



Well done to our Minor 4s who represented the school in the Leinster Final in Three Rock this week. Thank you to all of the supporters who cheered on our team.

Well done also to our First Years who played in the Semi Final of the Leinster Cup this week.



GAA Champions

Our Junior GAA team made school history this week by becoming Leinster Junior GAA Champions in a fast and furious final. Thank you to Mr Monaghan and Mr Walsh for guiding and coaching our team to such great heights. We wish our Senior GAA team the best of luck in their upcoming Final.





Best of Luck

We wish the best of luck to the following Hockey teams who have progressed to Finals: The Junior 4s in a Leinster Final and the Senior As in the Claudia Tierney Final. We also wish our 1st Year A, 1st Year B, 1st Year D, 1st Year E and 1st Year F teams the best of luck in their upcoming Quarter and Semi Finals.

Finally, we wish Megan Brunt, 3D, success in the All Ireland Cross Country Championships in Tallaght this weekend.

