## Parent's Association

Here in Knocknagree N.S., we are very lucky to have a very active parent's association, they are always available to help us out by organising special celebrations, events, guest speakers, fundraising and lots more. Their contribution is greatly appreciated.

They work with the principal, staff and the board of management to build effective partnership of home and school.

The Parent Association is the structure through which parents/guardians in a school can work together for the best possible education for their children.

Educational research on the involvement of parents in schools shows that children achieve higher levels when parents and teachers work together.

The Parent Association can advise the principal and Board of Management on policy issues and incidents that may require a review of school policy, e.g. Bullying, Safety, Homework, Enrolment, Behaviour problems etc.

Parent Associations can suggest and/or organise extra-curricular activities.

The Parent Association is a support for parents in the school.

The Parent Association can invite speakers to address the parents on issues which are topical or relevant.

