IRISH PRIMARY PE ASSOCIATION

Cumann Corpoideachais Bunscoile na hÉireann



Navigating New Terrain in Physical Education

Saturday 6th March 2021 ★ Live Virtual Conference ★ 10am-1pm

The 18th Annual Irish Primary PE Association Conference will take place as a live virtual conference on **Saturday 6th March 2021.** The theme for this year's conference is '**Navigating New Terrain in Physical Education**' and will have a strong emphasis on learning in outdoor and home contexts.

Join us for three innovative workshops applicable in current times.

Book your place now at **Eventbrite**

VIRTUAL WORKSHOPS

VIRTUAL ORIENTEERING FOR PRIMARY PE (1Presenter: Liam Clohessy IPPEA committee & Bunscoil Rinn an Chabhlaigh 11.00am GEOCACHING AND OTHER APPS ENHANCING LEARNING OUTDOORS (2)Presenter: Tony Sweeney IPPEA committee & Froebel Department, Maynooth University 11.40-12.00: COFFEE, CHAT AND CRAIC (Movement breaks) LET'S GO OUTSIDE! **Presenters:** Pete Lavin **IPPEA committee & Manister N.S Claire Heffernan** IPPEA committee, St. Michaels and St. Vincent's Special Schools Susie Griffiths SS Michael and Peter JNS 12.45pm

12.45pm- 1:00pm A.G.M. (prizes/draw)

WORKSHOP INFORMATION C

1. Virtual Orienteering for Primary PE

This online workshop will introduce participants to virtual orienteering as a means of enhancing pupils' map skills within primary PE. Participants will also explore how digital technology can be integrated within traditional orienteering as a means of enhancing motivation and to support non-contact orienteering in the current times.

2. Geocaching and Other Apps Enhancing Learning Outdoors

Geocaching is a real world global treasure hunt using GPS in the outdoors. This session will look at the cross curricular learning potential of this and some other recent applications. Bring your phone or device and get ready to get hunting!

3. Let's Go Outside!

Pete Lavin, Claire Heffernan, Susie Griffiths

A workshop with three areas of interest:

- European Schools Sports Day: This section will explore a variety of fun co-operative challenges and team events suitable for all levels which can be used for ESSD in September 2021 and also for any school sports day. The various activities shown will use minimal equipment, making it easy for both face to face and remote teaching
- 2. **PE Xpo:** This section will share some PE Xpo primary school PE programmes of work incorporating sample diary entries by children documenting their learning with the head, heart and hands
- 3. *Creative Walkways:* This section will demonstrate how to create and utilise an established walkway around your school grounds to support 'walking' strand unit of the curriculum, incorporating cross-curricular aspects. Focus on creative approach using example of a Fairy Trail in a Junior School

CONFERENCE FEE: €15 Students €5 (includes an IPPEA snood and conference notes) Click here to register via <u>Eventbrite</u>

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