



2009-09-16 007 Raymond Smyth – Shay Murtagh Ltd. Catherine Staunton – Teacher Downs NS Ciaran Murtagh – Shay Murtagh LTd. Derek Butler, Chairman Cumann na mBunscol Angela Farrelly - Principal Raharney NS John Gartland - Rivdal Sports In Front : Children from Raharney & Downs NS

2009-09-11 Cllr John Shaw Derek Butler - Chairman Cumann na mBunscol Ciaran Murtagh - Shay Murtagh LTd. Tom Farrell - Westmeath GAA Raymond Smyth - Shay Murtagh Ltd. John Gartland - Rivdal Sports

## **Hurleys For Schools**

On Wednesday 16th September Shay Murtagh Ltd. launched their new sports sponsorship – **Rain-man** – *Hurleys for Schools*.

The Raharney based company are supporting Westmeath GAA in providing all Westmeath National Schools with a bundle of hurleys and sliotars. Keeping it local the Company are purchasing the equipment from local manufacturer Rivdal Sports.

**Cllr. John Shaw**, a well known and long serving Westmeath Hurler attended and showed his skill with a hurley much to the delight of the young students from *The Downs NS* and *Raharney NS*. Also in attendance was Cumann na mBunscol Chairman Derek Butler and Tom Farrell Chairman of Westmeath GAA.

The Schools sponsorship is under the auspices of Shay Murtagh Ltd. water conservation product Rainman – **The Education Package**. This product is a complete installation and commissioning of a rainwater recycling system into Schools. The rainwater is for non consumption usage eg toilets, allowing them to reduce their drinking water intake and water meter charges which are facing all schools from January 2010.

"GAA is an integral part of Irish life and we hope with the benefit of sports equipment of hurleys and sliotars, schools will maintain hurling as one of the favourite sports" Raymond Smyth Sales Manager

"We are delighted that Shay Murtagh Ltd. have chosen to support Westmeath Schools and GAA games. Their continued sponsorship is welcomed and appreciated" Tom Farrell

National Schools interested in uptake of equipment please make application direct to Shay Murtagh Ltd.