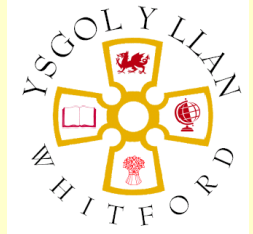




Ysgol y Llan
Friday 1st June 2018

Growing & Learning Together Through Faith, Friends and Fun
Tyfu a Dysgu Gyda'n Gilydd trwy Ffydd, Ffrindiau a Hwyl



Newyddion Ysgol

Summer Term

We return to school on Monday 11th June for another busy, yet final half term of the year.

We hope that you and your families managed to take full advantage of the additional week off during the half term break. We will soon be asking you for some feedback on this additional week and your views on future INSET days.

At the end of last half term, Year 2 - 6 children were extremely composed during the Welsh National Tests and as a treat; they were rewarded with a performance from Pandemonium Theatre, 'Tales of Wales'. Once again, the children thoroughly enjoyed the performance and we had a number of eager participants from school who took part in the show. Da iawn pawb!



Attendance

We are still on track towards our school target of 95%. We need to remain above 96% if we are to climb the table in comparison to similar schools and are currently progressing really well. Thank you!

| School target % | Current school attendance | Class 1 % | Class 2 % | Class 3 % | Class 4 % |
|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 95 | 96.7 | 97.2 | 97.1 | 96.5 | 96 |

Reminders

- Pupils need PE kits in school immediately.
- In hot weather, please ensure that children have sun cream and hats for sun protection.
- HEALTHY fruit and vegetables for snack only. Children can bring in refillable bottles for the water throughout the day.
- Please ensure all payments are made in advance including school meals, breakfast club, school trips and after school club.

Sports Day & Summer Fair

We hope you can join us on Monday 2nd July for our school sports day. In a similar format to previous years, the SUMMER FAIR will follow on from sports day. Please take note of the change of date.

If you can support us in any way, please get in touch with the school office or the Friends of the school committee.

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Diolch/Thank you!





Celebrating Successes

The children had a busy term last term with sporting events such as football, cross-country and tennis. Our teams reached the county finals for tennis and the semi-finals in the John McBrien Memorial Football Tournament.

Three of our pupils were shortlisted to be Young MCs at this year's Healthy Schools and FPSGA (Flintshire Primary Schools Games Association) celebration. Lowri was successful in being awarded the role. All three pupils were supportive of one another and should be very proud.

Dosbarth 3 celebrated during a red carpet event where everyone enjoyed the premier showing of Class 3's animation. Parents, other collaborative schools and the creative practitioners were very impressed.



Messages and Safeguarding

A kind request that you make appointments to see class teachers. Teachers are often busy preparing for lessons first thing in the morning but they are always available at the end of the school day if required.

If you need to pass a message on to the teacher in the morning, please pass this message on via the Breakfast Club staff (Miss C. Davies or Mrs E. Davies). If it is an urgent matter, then the Breakfast Club staff will check if the class teacher is available for you. We are trying to avoid unnecessary adults in the school building.

If dropping your children off at the rear school gate, avoid waiting if possible. Not only will you help promote independence in your children but you will also help staff. We want to avoid adults being present around the side of the school. Staff are encouraged to challenge unfamiliar adults, yet this can be difficult when staff and children are used to adults gathering at the gate. We are requesting this to help safeguard your children.

Thank you in advance!

REQUESTS

- Please make appointments to see class teachers
- Morning messages should be passed on via Breakfast Club staff unless urgent
- Please avoid staying at the school gates after dropping children off so that we can keep these areas clear

Induction Day

Children will move up to their new classes on Tuesday 26th June.

- Class 1 - Mrs Hughes
- Class 2 - Miss Randall
- Class 3 - Miss Roberts
- Class 4 - Mr Williams

During the evening, parents from Reception children (current Nursery, 6.00pm) and new Nursery children (6.30pm) are invited to the classroom to find out more about what your children will experience within the foundation phase next year.

Church News & Christian Values

St Mary's and St Bueno's Church

◦ Family Service at 9.30am, Sunday 1st July

School

◦ Our Christian Value in the final half term is 'Truthfulness'. Children will be exploring this value during collective worship and daily life.

Messy Church

◦ Join in the family fun in the school hall. Date to be confirmed.



Upcoming Events

First day of term

Monday 11th June

Can Sing Workshop (Yr 4/5)

Monday 11th June

Welsh Jambori

Tuesday 12th June

Full Governors Meeting

Tuesday 12th June @ 6pm

Athletics Tournament

Friday 15th June

Digital Awareness Week

Week beginning Monday 18th June

Girls' Football Tournament

Tuesday 19th June

Class Photos (including Year 6 leavers)

Wednesday 20th June (am)

Rounders Festival

Wednesday 20th June (pm)

Bag2School Collection

Thursday 21st June

Class 2 Assembly

Thursday 21st June @ 2.30pm

Induction Day

Tuesday 26th June

Reception/Nursery Induction Evening

Tuesday 26th June, Rec - 6pm, Nur - 6.30pm

Global Citizenship Week

Week beginning Monday 2nd July

Sports Day & Summer Fair

Monday 2nd July

Can Sing Workshop (Yr 4/5)

Tuesday 3rd July

Class 1 Assembly

Tuesday 10th July @ 2.30pm

Health Schools Festival – Young MC

Friday 13th July @ 2.30pm

Leavers' Church Service

Tuesday 17th July @ 9.30am

Leavers' Concert

Tuesday 17th July @ 1.30pm

Leavers' Ten Pin Bowling with staff

Tuesday 17th July, after school (info to follow)

Last day of term - Friday 20th July

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Clwb Ddraig (After School Club)

Please note - activities/days could change

MONDAY - Sports (e.g. rounders, cricket, tennis)

TUESDAY - Gardening Club

Football will continue to be run by an external provider at a charge of £2.50

WEDNESDAY - Cookery (Please BOOK by Tue am) *

THURSDAY - Creative Craft

Please note -

* In order for enough ingredients to be prepared for cookery club, please book by Tuesday morning.

** FRIDAY is no longer part of the ASC timetable as it is not viable.

Lunchtime clubs

Please note - activities/days could change

MONDAY - Rounders Club, juniors, lunchtime

TUESDAY - Coding Club, Year 5/6 only, lunchtime

WEDNESDAY - Choir Club, juniors, lunchtime

THURSDAY - Clwb Cymru Cŵl, Years 2-6, lunchtime

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Thank you for your continued support!

Diolch yn fawr iawn!

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