



Newsletter

October 2019

Meeting for Parents

Your opinions are required. On Wednesday 13th November at 5.30pm, a meeting will be held, in the school hall. There will be refreshments and a crèche facility available. Please make every possible effort to attend.

During the meeting we will be seeking your thoughts on how we can adapt to the reduction in school budget. ESTYN, in their report, said that we needed to try to involve parents more in strategic planning and whole school development and this is one, important way, in which we are trying to address this issue. We will also discuss uniform and parking issues, plus any other issues you may wish to raise, in advance of the meeting. Please come along and do not leave it to others to just have their say.

Mr J Wilkinson

Mrs Haigh

Mrs Haigh will be leaving our school at half term and beginning a new venture. At her request, we have not arranged a special event to mark the occasion. However, she has been a part of our school for many years and we know that she will be greatly missed.

GIFT Team

In the GIFT Team, this first half term, we have been planning and leading whole school assemblies for up and coming events. We celebrated CAFOD Harvest by having a 'Crazy Hair Day', which raised, an impressive, £147. We are also having a Sharing Assembly in honour of Grandparents as part of Wrexham Diocese 'Grandparents Week'. Please join us at our school Harvest Mass, this week - we are still collecting food donations.

Many thanks from The GIFT Team

Cymraeg Campus

Helo, pawb, Criw Cymraeg yma! Criw have already made some changes to our school, this year. Certificates will be awarded for 'Siaradwr yr Wythnos' and winners' names will be entered into a raffle, each week to win a prize (one for Foundation Phase and one for KS2). Our 1st phrase of the week is, 'Beth wyt ti'n wneud?' (*What are you doing?*) Each week, we will be making videos to help everyone with their Welsh. These can be seen on SeeSaw (Cymraeg Campus) and on school Twitter.

Diolch yn fawr gan y Criw Cymraeg



PTA

We recently held our PTA Annual General Meeting. This rounds off an incredible year, in terms of money raised, events organised and support given to our pupils. Posters on the hall windows clearly show the impact that the PTA has, in our school, at a time when funding is very, very tight. **This year, the PTA raised over £18,000.** Thank you to everyone who continues to help organise events and to all in our community who support the school.

Dates for Diary

- Tues 29th Oct – Lego Café in school hall (10am)
- Mon 4th Nov – Return to school after half term
- Tues 12th Nov – Flu Immunisations
- Wed 13th - Fri 15th Nov – Yr 6 Trip to Nant BH
- Thurs 14th Nov – Foundation Phase Mass (9.30am)
- Fri 15th Nov – Children in Need (Own Clothes)
- Mon 18th – Thurs 21st Nov – KS2 DT Days
- Thurs 21st Nov – Choir singing at Theatre Colwyn
- Fri 22nd Nov – Parent Sharing Assembly (1.30pm)
- Tues 26th Nov – Yr 3 Celts Trip
- Thurs 28th Nov – KS2 Advent Mass
- Fri 29th Nov – Own Clothes Day (for Christmas Fair)
- Fri 29th Nov – Yrs 2-6 at Nutcracker Theatre at Rydal
- Sat 7th Dec – Christmas Fair (11am)
- Thurs 12th Dec – Yr 1/2 Concert Dress Rehearsal (1.30pm)
- Mon 16th Dec – Yr1/2 Concert (6pm)
- Tues 17th Dec – Carol Service in Church (6pm)
- Wed 18th Dec – PTA School Disco (6pm)
- Thurs 19th Dec – Whole School Mass (9.30am)
- Fri 20th Dec – Close for Christmas Holidays
- Tues 7th Jan – Open after Christmas Holidays