



Newsletter

Friday 19th January 2024

DYDD SANTES
Dwynwen
Hapus

Weekly School Attendance 91% / Best Class Attendance: Reception (97%)

Welsh Phrase of the week: *Ga i - help, pencil, diod?* (Can I have - help, a pencil, a drink?)

Wear Red for St Dwynwen's Day

A reminder that children can wear non-school uniform and something red to celebrate St Dwynwen's Day next Thursday, 25th January. We will be completing some work on St Dwynwen's Day in class with the children.

Swimming Sessions

A reminder that swimming sessions continue for Year 4 pupils on Monday, 22nd January. Please ensure your child arrives on time on Monday with their swimwear and a towel as the bus leaves at 9am prompt. The pupils enjoyed their session last week and they behaved excellently.

Nursery Open Afternoon

Mrs Hughes and Mrs Green are holding an Open Afternoon on Tuesday, 6th February at 1:30-2:30 pm for parents and children for children aged 3 years by 31st August 2024, and are looking for a Nursery placement for September 2024. We hope you can join us to look at the classroom and the facilities we have to offer.

WOW Project - The Walk to School Challenge

Our school has been chosen to be part of an exciting behaviour change initiative to encourage more children and their families to walk to school. WOW, the Walk to School Challenge is delivered by Living Streets, the UK Charity for everyday walking, to help as many children as possible experience the benefits of walking to school. Thanks to funding from the Welsh Government, our school is one of 172 across Wales to take part in this project.

The pupil led challenge enables children to self-report how they get to school every day. If they challenge actively (walk/wheel, cycle, scoot or park and stride) at least one a week for a month, they get rewarded with a badge.

What are the benefits of walking to school?

- Children feel happier and healthier
- Arrive to school refreshed and ready to learn
- Helps reduce congestion and pollution at the school gates

What if we can't walk to school?

Park and stride to help your child earn their WOW badge. You can park at the MUGA or a 10 minutes walking distance from the school.

Nursery 2024 Online Applications Open

A reminder that Nursery applications are open on the Wrexham County Borough Council website for children who will be aged 3 years by 31st August 2024. Please visit the Wrexham Website and search for Admissions. Admissions can also be contacted by phone (01978 298991) or email (Admissions@wrexham.gov.uk). Nursery 2024 applications closing date is Friday, 16th February 2024.

Free Swimming Years 4-6

A reminder that Active Wrexham are offering free swimming lessons to children who are weak or non-swimmers in Years 4, 5 and 6, on Mondays at 3:30 and 4:00 pm at Plas Madoc Leisure Centre. To register an interest or book a session please email Liam.Jones@wrexham.gov.uk.



Headteacher's Award / Star of the Week (Awarded for being a good learner)

Nursery - Aria	Year 3 - Harvey
Reception - Faith	Year 4 - Alyssa
Year 1 - Olivia	Year 5 - Owen
Year 2 - Hattie	Year 6 - Lily

Cymro/Cymraes Yr Wythnos - Welsh Speaker of the week

Llongyfarchiadau pawb!

Meithrin/Nursery - Oliver	Blwyddyn 3 - April
Derbyn/Reception - Frankie	Blwyddyn 4 - Charlie
Blwyddyn 1 - Frankie	Blwyddyn 5 - Poppy
Blwyddyn 2 - Eli	Blwyddyn 6 - Blake



Super Sports Star Award

Congratulations to the children who have been presented with certificates today. The winners were chosen as they have made the most effort and been a good sport in their weekly PE sessions.



Nursery - Esme	Year 3 - Charlie
Reception - Vincent	Year 4 - Maci and Teddy
Year 1 - Demi-Lea	Year 5 - Emeli
Year 2 - Rogan	Year 6 - Izzy

Safeguarding (Keeping all children safe) is the responsibility of all adults. Everyone has a responsibility to keep children and young people safe.

Have a concern? It needs to be reported to Schools Safeguarding Lead, Mrs Andrea Green, or Miss Eleanor Williams. Directly on 01978 820719 or out of school hours on 0845 0533 116 or 999 in an emergency.