

# **RHIGOS PRIMARY SCHOOL**

## **NEWSLETTER**

**Friday, 09 July 2021**



**"Together we plant the seeds for tomorrow's future"**

**This weeks attendance is very poor 87.2%**



**Website address :  
[rhigosprimary.co.uk](http://rhigosprimary.co.uk)**

### **Seren yr Wythnos**

**Nursery - Meithryn** for super sports.

**Class 1- Jacob** for trying hard with all his learning.

**Class 2- Oliver** for being a kind and helpful member of our class.

**Class 3- Olly** for working hard practicing for the leavers concert.



### **Head teacher's Awards -**

**Class 1 Leishan** for being a sensible pupil and being ready to move to class 2.

**Class 2 Jacob J** for having brilliant balancing skills and being a good sport.

**Class 3 Kian R** for always saying "Diolch yn Fawr" and having beautiful manners.

### **Seesaw Homework Awards**

**This weeks awards for engagement in on line learning goes to**

**Class 1 Milly**

**Class 2 Belle**

**Class 3 Esmae**

**Well done!!**



### **Inset days**

**School will be closed on  
Monday 19th July and  
Tuesday 20th July to all  
pupils.**

**The last day of term is  
Friday 16th July.**

**Pupils return to school on  
Monday 6th September 2021.**

### Breakfast Club Autumn Term Application

Please see below a message from RCT.

If your child requires a place in the Autumn term breakfast club (2nd Sept - 17th Dec) please complete an application form using the following link

<https://www.rctcbc.gov.uk/breakfastclubform>. The form will be available for completion from 7am, Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> July to 5pm, Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> July.



### Disco Thursday 15th July

As part of our celebrations for what has been on time a stressful year we have arranged an end of year disco for the children. Children will remain in their bubbles with their teachers and the disco will be carried out in 3 separate sessions. Drinks and sweets will also be provided to the children. Children can come to school in their party clothes or non-school uniform.

### Sports day

*All the children had a fabulous time and were very proud of their medals. Hopefully in the new academic year we will all be together and as one pupil said "these bubbles will burst " and we will be able to mix again.*

*Here are some photos of the classes.*

**Class 1 had lots of fun**





Class 2 enjoyed themselves.

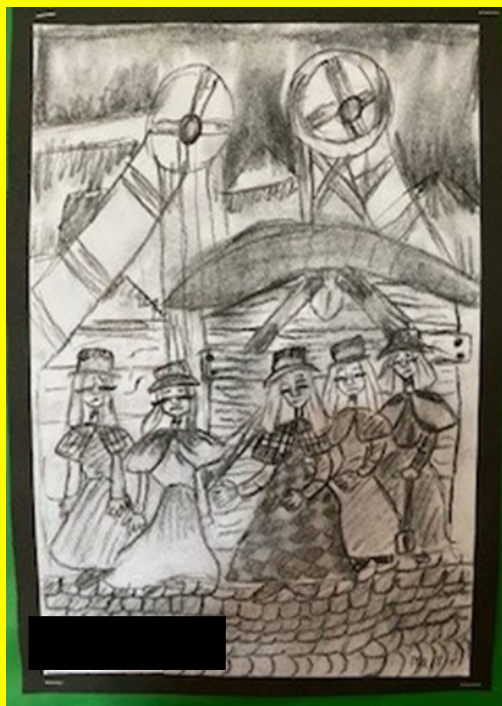


Class 3 having fun

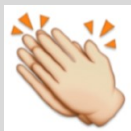




A charcoal sketch by Maisie Y5 in the style of the Aberdare artist Nicholas Evans.



Congratulations to Joshua Y6 for winning a creative challenge for ACS. He received a certificate and a prize that has been delivered to the school. A Transition Champion!



### Health & Safety

When leaving the school grounds please could you hold your child's hand when entering Heol Y Graig to ensure that your child remains safe and cannot run onto the busy road.

Heol Y Graig gets very busy and we ask that parents and families do not park on the pavements or opposite the zig-zag lines outside the school entrances.

Diolch yn fawr



### Holidays in term time

Can I remind everyone that holidays will only be authorised if your child's attendance for the 12 months prior to the holiday application is over 95% and stays above 95% to the date of travel.



### Absence messages

When your child is absent from school a message should be left on the school phone informing us of the illness.

Unfortunately saying "unwell" is not acceptable by the Attendance and Wellbeing Service, so we ask for your support in that a more detailed explanation is given.

If your child has any appointments please provide us with the official letter for our records

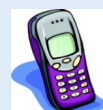


As we continually update our records please could you inform us of any **NEW** allergies that your child may have.



### Pupil contact details

Please can you notify the school of any change of address or contact details as soon as any changes are made for



### Class structure for September 2021

Class	Pupils
Class 1	24 (6 x N; 7 x Rec; 11 x Y1)
Class 2	18 (9 x Y2; 9 x Y3)
Class 3	24 (8 x Y4; 9 x Y5; 7 x Y6)

Teaching assistants will deliver intervention programmes during the afternoon sessions in the Foundation Phase and Key Stage 2 targeting children for additional support with their learning.

Children moving to new classes will have the opportunity to meet their new teachers and visit their classes next week, social distancing guidelines will be followed to ensure that children remain in their bubbles.

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact the school.

The Welsh Government are making Covid-19 testing available to people with a wider range of symptoms such as fatigue, muscle ache or pain, a sore throat, a headache, a runny nose, nausea, vomiting or diarrhoea. This is because some variants and young children do not display the classic three Covid-19 symptoms initially.

The request therefore is for people (including children) to get a test **if they are feeling unwell in any way**. Further details on how to apply for a test is provided at <https://gov.wales/apply-coronavirus-covid-19-test> or simply call the free number 119 between the hours of 7am to 11pm.

**Please see below the make up menu for next week which is the last week of term**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Fish	Cheese wheel	Chicken sausage	Pizza	Ham
Beans or sweetcorn	Beans or Peas	Peas Or Sweetcorn	Beans or Peas	Beans or sweetcorn
Smilies	Herby diced potatoes	Mashed potatoes Gravy	Garlic Bread	chips
Cheese & Crackers	Cheese & Crackers Or Frozen yoghurt	Frozen yoghurt	Home-made cake	Cookie Or ice cream roll
Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
Fruit juice/water	Fruit juice/water	Fruit juice/water	Fruit juice/water	Fruit juice/water

**This menu is subject to change**