RHIGOS PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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

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Seren yr Wythnos

Nursery - Meithryn for a lovely class performance in our Eisteddfod.

Class 1- Whole class for fantastic singing in the Eisteddfod.

Class 2- Troy for amazing Maths work.

Class 3- Ellie F for an all round excellent attitude to her work.

Head teacher's Award -

Caitlin - for sharing her work about the Easter story on the computer with me.

Seesaw Homework Awards

This weeks awards for engagement in on line learning goes to

Class 1 Gracie-Leigh

Class 2 Khloe and Ellis

Class 3 Riley

Well done!!



Browddeg yr Wythnos

Question of the week

Beth wyt ti'n gallu wneud?

What are you able to do?

Dw i'n gallu _____

I am able to ____

Dw I ddim yn gallu _____

I am not able to _____



Mid morning Snack

All children can bring a piece of fruit for a mid morning snack. They can also bring in water in a bottle clearly marked with their name. We kindly ask that your child only brings in water to drink.

If you have any queries please contact

WORLD BOOK DAY

Again thank you for your support. The children looked amazing in their pyjamas and characters from their favourite books. We had a whole range of characters and pyjamas. The children were able to listen to and talk about their favourite characters and stories in class.



Red Nose Day March 18th

We are selling red noses £1.50 each for this deserving cause.



Residential ~ Llangrannog Cardigan Bay West Wales

Class 3

Thank you for your £50 deposits. Please can the second £50.00 deposit be in by Friday 1st April.

The final payment of £30.00 to be paid by Friday 13th May.

The full amount is £130.00 including travel.



HELP FOR HARRI CAMPAIGN



We would like to help raise funds for Harri, a little boy in Aberdare who has been battling leukaemia for most of his 3 and a half years. Harri's family are campaigning and fund-raising in the hope that help can be found abroad. Our School Council have asked that when we raise funds

for Red Nose Day that the donations can go to HELP FOR HARRI campaign as we are already helping RED NOSE DAY by selling the red noses in school. So can our children wear something purple or orange on FRIDAY MARCH 11th 2022.

The campaign would like to turn Wales purple and orange for Harri on Friday 11th March.

Opinitation (s) (11) 201 427

St David's Day Competition



EISTEDDFOD

Thank you all for your support in sending your child to school in traditional Welsh costume or red for St David's Day. They all looked amazing. We held our Eisteddfod in the afternoon. We had singing and our awards ceremony. Certificates from Nursery to Year 6 were announced for the following categories:

Art & Craft Handwriting Writing Family Activity Charing of the Bard

The Nursery performed 'Mr Crocodile ydy I' Class 1 performed 'Lliwiau'r Enfys' and 'Jac Y Do' Dosbarth 2 performed 'Sosban Fach' Dosbarth 3 performed 'Franz Awstria'

We also sang Afal, Oren, Banana, Lawr ar Lan Y Mor and Mae Hen Wlad Fy Nhadau.

And I can say with utmost confidence that with the strength and passion that our children sang, the Principality stadium will be rocking for many years to come!!

Thank you all for the wonderful entries for the family task. We enjoyed looking at the variety of subjects reflecting our Welshness. It was a very difficult choice and the judging was performed by Mrs Davies and Mrs Moon.

The family activity was won by the Smith family (Maisie and Belle).

The Charing of the Bard for the juniors went to Maisie (Y6) and the Bard for the Foundation Phase went to Zac (Y2). Both were very proud of the honour bestowed upon them and especially their celtic mugs.

Dates for your diary

Tuesday 15th March - Dog's Trust visit

Friday 11th March - Wear Purple/orange for "help for Har-

Friday 18th March - Red Nose Day

Friday 8th April - end of term

ri"

We have been asked to share this information with you by RCT Sport

Just Play Football

For boys and girls under 7s (school years 1 & 2) 5-6pm for 10 weeks Mountain Ash 3G / Pentre 3G / Bryncelynnog 3G FREE

To book your space email: sportret@rctcbc.gov.uk
Please see Under 7s **Just Play Football** flyer and information.



ONLINE DINNER PAYMENTS

We have received the following message from RCT to share with you:

In order to meet mandatory payment industry requirements the Council's online payment system has been enabled for 3DSV2 authentication. This means that payments will be subject to more stringent security checks. As a result the wait time has increased on the 'Authenticating payer details' screen. Please see screen image below.

The message displayed has been amended to indicate payers need to allow up to 15 seconds before selecting submit. If payers click submit in less than 15 seconds the payment will fail. We have been made aware of instances of payment failure. In the event of payers contacting schools when having difficulty paying, we would be grateful if you could communicate the requirement to allow up to 15 seconds as directed on the screen.

If you require any further information please contact bankrec@rctcbc.gov.uk.

Thanks for your ongoing support.



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.



Road Safety

In the interest of safety for all our children please do not park on the yellow lines in front of the school and from parking on the pavement opposite the entrance of the school. With the darker mornings and poor visibility during bad weather crossing the road becomes very hazardous when the traffic is increased at the start and the end of the school day.

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 your child.



Please could children bring their reading books every day to school.

