

RHIGOS PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Friday, 14 October 2022

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

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Seren yr Wythnos

Class 1- Jake O for amazing instructions.

Class 2- Milly May for working hard in Maths and always trying her best.

Class 3- Maggie for always giving her best in everything she does.

Head teacher's Award -

Mollie, Ellis and Gracie - for working as a team and helping me fix the netting to our new goal posts.



This week's school attendance is

94.6%

We have regular visits from the AWS (Attendance and Welfare Service) who monitor school attendance to identify any absences that cause concern.

Frequent absences will have a serious effect on your child's progress. If a child misses one day a week, over their whole school career, it will mean that they will miss over two years education. This is very likely to mean they will not fulfil their academic potential.

Please do not hesitate to contact me on **01685 811253** if you are having any difficulties regarding attendance, as the school will be happy to offer you support in this matter.



Criw Cymraeg have decided on

Ymadrodd yr Wythnos

Phrase of the week

Wyt t'in hoffi _____(nofio)?

Do you like _____(swimming)?

Dwi'n hoffi _____(nofio)

I like _____(swimming)

Wyt t'in gallu _____(nofio)?

Can you _____(swim)?

Ydw, dwi'n gallu _____(nofio)

Yes, I can _____(swim)

This week's Welsh speaker is

FLO



Parent Governors

Your child would have come home with a nomination form as the Governing Body has a vacancy for a **parent governor** from 12th November 2022. If you are interested please return the form to the school by 12 noon on Wednesday October 26th 2022. Diolch

Parental consultations

These will take place during the week beginning 14th November 2022.

However, this year we would like to offer you the choice of either:

Telephone consultation

Face to face consultation in school.

Next week we will be sending out letters asking you for your preference. Diolch



Sports Ambassadors

This week Kian and Lola attended Abercynon Sports Centre as representatives of Rhigos Primary School. They learned what it meant to be good sports ambassadors. They learned the rules to new games and then had to explain these rules to other pupils. They had a brilliant time and came home with a sports goodie bag!! Ardderchog Lola and Kian

Rhigos Primary Playgroup

Toddler group is held every **Tuesday** in our school hall from 9.15am to 10.30 am.

£1.00 with refreshments

All welcome

If you know of any parents/carers who have a child coming up to the age of 3 who would like to come to Rhigos Primary please ask them to contact the school office 01685811253 or apply on line for a Nursery place for September 2023.



The school photographer will be here on Tuesday October 25th. Family photos will be taken first from 8am.

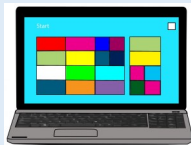


Please could children bring their reading books every day to school.



Home work will be posted online on a Friday to be completed by the following Wednesday.

If you have any problems accessing the homework please let your child's class teacher know.



Halloween disco

Friday 28th October 1.30pm

£2.00 for goody bag and a drink



October

Tuesday 18th last playgroup until after half term

Tuesday 25th School photos -No playgroup on this day

Friday 28th Halloween disco and last day of term

November

Monday 7th pupils back in school

Monday 14th Scholastic book fayre all week

Monday 14th to Wednesday 16th parent/teacher consultations (letter to follow)

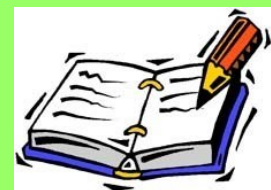
Friday 18th Children in Need day

December

Thursday 8th All school going to the pantomime in Aberdare coliseum Jack and the Beanstalk

Friday 9th Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 23rd break up for Christmas



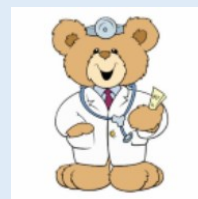
Holidays in term time

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

Following a monitoring meeting with RCT's Attendance and Wellbeing Service, if your child is unwell medical evidence is required otherwise the absence will be recorded as unauthorised.



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 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.



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 home address, email address or contact details as soon as any changes are made for your child.

