

Rhigos Primary School



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Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to thank you for your support throughout the year. It has been a very busy term and the children, as ever, have been a pleasure to be with.

Just a few updates on the week gone by and some housekeeping for the new term:

Christmas Concert

Thank you for your support at this year's Christmas Concert, Law and Order. The children looked amazing, sang beautifully and acting their parts with true professionalism!! We have had lots of lovely comments for members of our community and is a privilege to be able to share these special moments with you.

Carols in the Community

We met in the Community Hall on the evening of Monday, December 19th 2022. Unfortunately, due to inclement weather we were unable to sing around the Christmas Tree and so had a lovely, warm welcome in the Community Centre. A big thank you to the members of the Community Council for preparing the hall and providing refreshments. Also, a big thank you to Mrs Maull for providing the festive cupcakes. An awesome £90 was raised.

RE: Strep A / iGAS assets for sharing

We have received guidance from NHS Wales that they have asked that we share with you: Please see the following link to assets relating to Strep A / iGAS. .
Padlet link: <https://padlet.com/phwcovid19comms/StrepA>

Welsh Government Free School Meal Role Out

Just to let you know that the Welsh Governments aim to provide free school meals will now include pupils in Year 1 from January 2023.

RCT Christmas Card Recycling Challenge

We are part of RCT Her y Cardiau Nadolig / Christmas Card Challenge this year once again. We would be grateful if you could save your Christmas cards so that we support this recycling challenge.

First Week Back

From Monday, January 9th 2023, Class 3 will be receiving a 6 week block of lessons through rugby with Mr Harding, the Community Rugby Officer with Cardiff Rugby. Please can pupils bring their PE kits to school.

Fluoride Varnish

On Tuesday, January 10th 2023 the Community Nurse team will be visiting the school to administer the fluoride varnish to **N/R/Year 1 pupils**.

Swimming for Y3/4/5/6

On Wednesday, January 11th 2023, Years 3/4/5/6 will be starting their swimming block at Aberdare Swimming Pool. Please could children bring their swimming kits in a bag and a packed lunch as the swimming sessions runs from 11.15 to 12.15.

Mr Mathieson

We would also like to thank Mr Mathieson for his support and commitment to the children, community and staff of Rhigos Primary over the last 6 years. We wish him all the very best in the next phase in his career from the pupils, staff and Governors.

Diolch yn fawr Mr Mathieson

May I take this opportunity to wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from all at Rhigos Primary.

I would also like to thank the staff and Governors for their support and commitment to Rhigos Primary.

We look forward to seeing the children back in school on Monday, January 9th 2022.

Yours sincerely,
Janine Mundy
Headteacher

