# RHIGOS PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER Friday, 27 May 2022



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

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### Seren yr Wythnos

Nursery - Aspen for joining in singing our Pirate songs.

Class 1- All the class for a fantastic effort learning about the Queen's Jubilee.

Class 2- Zac for writing a letter to the Queen, able to include a question independently. "How many corgis have you got?"

Class 3- Kayden for excellent problem solving skills.

Head teacher's Award -

Khloe - for being conscientious and keeping our yard in order.

### Seesaw Homework Awards

This weeks awards for engagement in on line learning goes to

Class 1 Mali

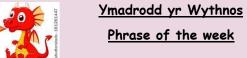
Class 2 Leishan

Class 3 Gracie

Well done!!



Criw Cymraeg have decided on



Ga i ———os gwelwch yn dda?

Can I have———please?



This week's school attendance is 81.3%

May 27th - end of term

May 30th to June 3rd -half term break

June 8th - parents meeting re Margam residential

June 21st - Inset - school closed to pupils

July 6th to 8th - class 3 residential trip to Margam

July 12th - School trip to Folly Farm

July 14th - Sports day

July 22nd - Inset - school closed to pupils



### QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE

It was amazing to see all the children dressed in red, white and blue and regal costumes. The weather stayed fine for us if a little blustery!! We were thrilled to welcome some members of our community who shared a cup of tea and some biscuits. We had party food and party games. Thank you to all our staff and Mr Morris for their hard work for putting on such a special event for our children.









#### After school clubs

Wednesday after school from 3.30pm - 4.15pm.

Please see table of choice below:

Focus	Member of Staff	Ages
Media	Mrs Murphy	Year 2 - Year 6
Creative	Miss Harris	Year 2 - Year 6
Sport	Mr Mathieson	Year 3 – Year 6

### PE days

CLASS	DAY	WHAT TO WEAR
Nursery	FRIDAY	White ten and black should be sized in a fraction of
Class 1	FRIDAY	White top and black shorts/leggings/jogging trousers
Class 2	THURSDAY	
Class 3	WEDNESDAY	

If you have any queries please contact the school or see your class teacher. Diolch

A new curriculum has been developed for schools in Wales and will be used throughout Wales by September 2022.

As part of this new curriculum, would like to create a new motto/vision for our school that truly reflects our children and community.

We would appreciate you and your children's views.

Your child has come home with a letter and if you can take some time over the half term to put some ideas down on paper and return them to school it would be appreciated, or you can email your ideas. admin@rhigosprimary.rctcbc.cymru

We will then have a vote on what will be our new school motto going forward.

Some mottos can be made up of the letters of our school i.e.  $R\ H\ I\ G\ O\ S$ 

Or R P S (Rhigos Primary School)

Others are aspirational such as:

Live, Learn, Love

Believing, Achieving, Succeeding,

Every Child, Every Chance, Every Day

Education for All

Where Every Child is a star

Always be the best you can be

Giving our children the roots to grow and the wings to fly

Please return your ideas to school by Friday, June 10<sup>th</sup> 2022. We look forward to receiving them.

### Best Breakfast Club in Wales Kellogg's Award

We have had a lovely letter from Vikki Howells, Member of the Sennedd for Cynon Valley congratulating us on being 'crowned the best Breakfast Club in Wales'!!

Mrs Howell's has asked if she could come and visit our 'fantastic breakfast club' and we have replied saying that we would be delighted!!

We have set a date for Friday, June 10<sup>th</sup> 2022



# Residential ~ Margam Discovery Park for Class 3

Wednesday, July 6<sup>th</sup> to Friday, July 8<sup>th</sup> 2022.

We would like to invite parents and carers to a meeting after school at 3.30 on Wednesday, June 8<sup>th</sup> 2022 in Mr Mathieson's class.

May we take this opportunity to wish you a lovely half term.

We look forward to the second half of the summer term that looks set to be very busy!!

Class 3 are going on their residential to Margam Discovery Park.

We have our whole school visit to Folly Farm.

Fingers crossed for good weather for our sports day.

We have class assemblies and our leaver's concert, dates to be confirmed.

We have end of year reports and y6 have the opportunity to visit their comprehensive schools.

Just to name a few!

I'd like to thank the children, all the staff, governors and our families and community that make working in Rhigos an absolute privilege.

With very best wishes

Mrs Mundy

### Rhigos Primary Playgroup

Playgroup is held every Wednesday morning 9.15 to 10.30

This week the children enjoyed hand painting, singing time and general play.

Next week is messy play.



## 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 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.

