# 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 - Arthur and Reuben for working together designing racing tracks.

Class 1- Jake W for trying hard all week.

Class 2- Jacob for amazing maths work using mental arithmetic.

Class 3- Caelen and Oliver for being amazing, helping out in school this week.

Head teacher's Award -

Jake W - for drawing fantastic bees during breaktimes at our drawing table.

Lyncon - for always being so thoughtful and kind around school.

# This week's school attendance is 92.9%

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 they 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

Beth wyt ti'n hoffi wneud?

What do you like doing?

Dwi'n hoffi wneud

I like doing



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Phrase of the week

July 12th - School trip to Folly Farm.

July 14th - Sports day pm weather permitting

July 15th - Class 1 and Nursery assembly 9.15am for class 1 and nursery parents only



**July 19th -** Class 2 assembly 9.15am for class 2 parents only

July 21st - Leavers assembly 9.30am for class 3 parents only.

July 22nd - Inset - school closed to pupils

#### Leavers' Concert

Our year 6 Leavers' Concert will be held on Thursday, July 21<sup>st</sup> 2022 at 9:30am in the school hall. Parents and carers of class 3 are welcome to join us.





#### Sportsday

Sports day will be held on the field, weather permitting on the afternoon of Thursday, July 14<sup>th</sup> 2022 starting at 1:30pm. Further details to follow. Fingers crossed for fine weather!!



#### Residential Trip

Class three have had a wonderful stay at Margam Discovery Centre and the weather has been beautiful. We have had daily updates and lots of photos have been posted on our Twitter account. We look forward to having them back and they should be arriving back at school at about 1:15pm.

## Folly Farm Visit ~ Tuesday, July 12th 2022

Your child will come home with a letter with just a few final arrangements. Please can children be in school promptly at 8.45 on Tuesday of the trip.



Class 1 have settled quickly into the routines of the lower playground at lunchtimes. Here are Peighton, Annabelle and Avah May enjoying our 'quiet area' with some wonderful drawings



#### Nursery at Rhigos Primary

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 01685 811253.

# Today is your day! Your mountain is waiting, so ... get on your way! -- Do Seoss

You're off to great places!

### Rhigos Primary Playgroup

Playgroup is held every Wednesday morning 9.15 to 10.30

This week the children stamped letters and numbers in the paint and learnt colour and shape recognition.

Next week is "Come to the Beach" day.

£1.00 weekly and refreshments are available.



#### 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

#### 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.



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.

school day.



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



#### Ready for School in Warmer Weather

As we are moving into summer time please could you ensure that your child is protected from the sun with sun screen.

Also, a sun hat and a water bottle is advisable. Please can we kindly ask that your child comes to school in school uniform - <a href="summer dress/shorts">summer dress/shorts</a>; white t-shirt; black shorts. Also, if your child wears sandals to school please can they wear socks for protection as we find that they graze their toes and stones find their way under the soles of their feet. Diolch