

Newsletter 21st February

Happy Half Term!

We would like to wish you all a very happy half term. We look forward to seeing you on Monday 3rd March.

Parent Consultations

If you have not yet signed up for an appointment for Parent Consultations, the calendars are still accessible in the entrance of Upper School. You can write on these during the Parent Share visits this afternoon.

Eisteddfod Entries

A reminder to all families that we will be holding our annual Eisteddfod on TUESDAY 4th MARCH. On this day, we invite our pupils to wear St David's day themed clothes or just wear something red! Next week pupils will begin learning poems for their performances and all classes will produce some work for our handwriting competition.

We would like ALL pupils to produce a creative piece of work linked to the theme 'What I Love About Wales'. This is to be completed at home and returned to school on MONDAY 3RD MARCH for judging. This can be a painting, a drawing, a model, a sculpture, a collage, a piece of sewing or weaving, a poem, a song, an illustration, a piece of digital art (NOT A PHOTOGRAPH). Your child can be as creative as they wish! We have told the pupils about this today, so they have plenty of time to complete. Pob lwc!

Disco Thank You

A huge thank you to our PTFA members and volunteers for their efforts in making our disco such a success last night. £472 was raised!

Changes in Staffing

There will be a change in our staffing structure after Easter. Sadly, we will be saying goodbye to Mrs King after many years working at our school. Miss Wilce will be returning to Year 2 as her Welsh sabbatical training comes to an end. Mrs Williams will be moving into Reception and will move back into her substantive role as Teaching Assistant and HLTA. Mrs Dunn will also be returning to her substantive role as Teaching Assistant and cover supply teacher.

Book Fair

Usborne Book Fair will be in school on Wednesday 5th March - Thursday 6th March in the US hall as part of the World Book Day celebrations. Pupils will be able to browse and buy the books on these days & parents will also be able to do the same on both Parents' Evenings. Payments can be made by card or cash. World Book Day tokens can also be used - these will be given to pupils this week (the tokens give £1 off the cost of a book). In previous book fairs we have been able to restock our class libraries with up-to-date titles using the commission we make on sales so we are looking forward to selling lots of books.

Road Safety at Breakfast Club

Please can I ask all families of pupils attending Breakfast Club to ensure your child(ren) are walking down the pavement into school. As you are aware, staff are entering the site and the

double gates are unlocked and locked by individual staff as they arrive in their cars. However, staff are reporting pupils walking in front of their parked cars and also running down the driveway rather than walking on the pavement. This is a real concern. Please can you talk to your child over the break and remind them of the rules. Many thanks.

Maths Madness

A reminder to all of our 'Maths Madness' sessions for families which begin on Wednesday 12th March at 3.30pm. These are fun sessions for you and your child where they can have fun with maths, playing games and learning with you! There is no need to book, just turn up and join the team in the Lower School Hall. All ages are welcome!

Medicines in School

Please can we remind families that medicines should not be brought in to school and kept in pupil bags. All medicine needs to be labelled with your child's name and the time of administration and given to the class teacher or to Mrs Kift in the School Office.

School Lunch Menu

Dydd Llun/ Monday- Fish fingers OR salmon fingers OR vegetable country bake OR filled jacket potato

Dydd Mawrth/ Tuesday- St David's Day menu- Welsh beef burger in a roll OR plant-based burger in a roll OR filled jacket potato

Dydd Mercher/ Wednesday- Roast beef OR quorn roast OR filled jacket potato

Dydd Iau/ Thursday- Meatballs OR plant balls in tomato sauce OR filled jacket potato

Dydd Gwener/ Friday- Cheese and tomato pizza OR cheese and vegetable fritata OR filled jacket potato