



YSGOL Y WAUN - NEWSLETTER

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MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING AND CAKE SALE

The grand sum of £778.10 was raised from the coffee morning and cake sale held last Friday in support of Macmillan - thank you all for your wonderful support!

Year 5 Trip to Nant BH & Year 6 Trip to York

A reminder to Year 5 & 6 parents - If you have not already sent your consents and deposits for the above trips, please send them in next week.

The Year 5 trip to Nant BH will take place 12th to 14th March 2018 and requires a £30 deposit.

The York trip takes place 13th to 15th June 2018 and requires a £35.00 deposit - thank you

HEALTHY SNACK TIME

As we are members of the Wrexham Healthy Schools Scheme we ask that you **all** please send a piece of fruit in with your child each day for them to enjoy during morning break.

Please do not send snack items other than fruit.

It would be much appreciated if Chapel Lane children's fruit could not be sent in a named sandwich bag / box please.

World Book Week

Thank you all for dressing up as your favourite book character yesterday to celebrate World Book Week.

We have some very creative mums, dads and grandparents who have been very busy making costumes - well done you!

Our staff also deserve a mention - my word haven't you all been inventive too!!

HEALTH & SAFETY ISSUES

May we please remind you that in the interest of keeping our children, parents and other family members safe from accidents please ensure that your child does not ride their bike or scooter on the school grounds.

Please also be considerate to others when parking outside the school grounds - thank you.

HEADLICE

Once again we ask if all families would check their child's hair weekly and treat as appropriate if any signs of headlice are found.

Everybody's co-operation in this issue would be much appreciated - thank you.

DINNER MONEY

Would all parents please ensure that there is always enough money on their child's School Dinner account for any school dinners that are required - accounts should always have a credit balance.

Details of large debts are forwarded to Wrexham's School Dinner Debt Collection Service for chasing up.

HEADTEACHER AWARDS

BEECH – Finnley Parkinson for an excellent investigation about rocks and fantastic discussions about which rocks we use for which purpose

CEDAR – Hollie Price for outstanding work in science class. Da iawn ☺

CHERRY – Rob Birch for using P.E.E in his comprehension work – Fantastic!

HAZEL – Teara Faulkner Brereton for amazing fraction work in Maths and for never giving up.

OAK – Ella James for being an excellent worker in all areas of the curriculum. A pleasure to teach!

SILVER BIRCH – Maisie Morgan for being an excellent role model and for an amazing attitude to everything she does

MAGNOLIA – Lydia Whitley for an excellent oral retelling of the Lighthouse Keeper's Catastrophe. Bendigedig!

WILLOW – Archie Griffiths and Archie Williams for inventing a very creative board game based on odd and even numbers – great team work boys!

EBONY – J J Roberts for being an amazing Helpwr Heddiw sorting "Pwy wyt ti?"

SYCAMORE – Ffion Carter for being an excellent Year 1 pupil – a great week Ffion – well done!

MAPLE – Louie Nash and Henri Hardman for using their Welsh at home with their families. Dal ati!

JUNIPER – Liam Williams for following instructions to make a jam sandwich to take to our Teddy Bear's picnic. Well done Liam!

PINE – Amelia Edwards for helping to tidy up the "Home" area – da iawn Amelia and Poppie Taylor for excellent reading of "We're going on a Bear Hunt" – ardderchog Poppie!

KEY DATES -

Our **Harvest Festival** will be held on Thursday 26th October – details to follow.

Our Parents Evenings will be held on –

Wednesday 25th October 3.30pm – 7.00pm

Thursday 26th October 3.30pm – 5.00pm

There will be an additional Evening for Nursery on Tuesday 24th October 3.30pm – 5.00pm

Further information on booking times will be sent nearer the time.

Flu Immunisation – Reception, Year 1, 2, 3 and 4 children on 27th October

Half Term Holiday – School closes Friday, 27th October and re-opens Tuesday, 7th November (please note Monday 6th November is a Staff Training Day).

EXTERNAL ACHIEVEMENTS

Fflur Edwards – has passed her Wave 2 Swimming Award – da iawn Fflur!

Ruby Lewis has passed her Wave 1 Swimming Award – keep up the good work Ruby!

Chirk under 9s Man of the Match this week – **Austin Edwards** for great goalie hands and **Stanley Jones** for some epic goalie saves!

Siôn Needham has passed his Wave 4 Swimming Award, Da iawn Siôn!

Connor Hopwood has achieved his Brown/White stripe belt in MD Warriors – Well done Connor!

Finnley Parkinson entered 'Trek Coed y Brenin Enduro 2017' on Saturday, the ride covers 10km on blue and red graded trails. Finnley decided to enter the event to raise money for the RNLI and has raised a brilliant £73.00 – well done Finnley!

WELSH PHRASE OF THE WEEK

Please encourage your children to use these Welsh phrases whenever possible – diolch yn fawr!

"Pwy wyt to?" – Who are you?

"Beth ydy dy enw di?" – What is your name?