



YSGOL Y WAUN – NEWSLETTER

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CRIW CYMRAEG WEEKLY UPDATE!

The Criw Cymraeg will be organising a “Santes Dwynwen Activity Day” on Monday, 25th January, when the children will engage in activities to promote this Welsh saint of love. This term, as part of the Welsh Curriculum, Chapel Lane children will be learning about Welsh culture by listening to the music of Charlotte Church when they go into the hall for service. Please would you help your child look up information about this popular Welsh singer to bring into school so that they can share what they have learnt with others.

This Welsh Phrase of the Week is “Tyrd yma” – come here.

THEMED SCHOOL DINNER

There will be a St Dwynwen’s Day themed school dinner on the 25th January when lamb meatballs or cheesy leek pasty with chips, peas and gravy or beans followed by a white chocolate mega cookie will be on the menu. Normal school dinner prices apply.

SCHOOL VACANCIES

We are looking to recruit two new Midday Supervisors and two Relief Cleaners this term. Full details and Application Forms can be found on the Wrexham website – www.wrexham.gov.uk/jobs.

READING QUESTIONNAIRE

Mrs Rodgers and Mrs Morgan have put together a Reading Questionnaire for parents this week. Your responses will help us to plan future reading developments and possible Parent Workshops. Please return your completed questionnaires to school at your earliest convenience – thank you.

SCHOOL PARKING

May we please remind parents that both school car parks are for use by staff members and school visitors only. We need to keep our entrances / exits safe for parents and pupils at the beginning and end of the school day. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

ABSENCES

May I please remind parents that all absences (illness, appointments, special circumstances etc) need to be phoned through to the school on **01691 770530 (option 1 for Chapel Lane absences and option 3 for Lloyds Lane absences) before 9 a.m.** and a message left giving details of the reason for absence to enable us to keep an accurate and up to date record on our Registration System. Thank you!

HEADTEACHER AWARDS / SPECIAL AWARDS

Awards Assemblies begin again this week. Headteacher Awards and Special Awards are updated to our school website every Friday afternoon.

RECEPTION CHILDREN

Please would all Reception parents ensure that they have completed and returned their child’s **Reception Medical Questionnaire** (sent home last week in a brown envelope) ready to be collected by the School Nurse - thank you.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES!

- **Mon 4th February** – Year 6 trip to Dangerpoint – letter to follow.
- **Friday 22nd February – St Davids Celebration Day.** Children may come to school either in traditional Welsh costume or dressed in the colours of the Welsh flag (red, green & white).
- **Friday 22nd February – school closes for half term and re-opens on Monday 4th March**
- **Thursday 7th March – World Book Day** – children may come to school dressed as their favourite book character.