



# YSGOL Y WAUN – NEWSLETTER

Friday 2nd July 2021  
[www.ysgolywaun.co.uk](http://www.ysgolywaun.co.uk)



## Jambori

Chapel Lane children - don't forget to come school dressed in the colours of the Welsh Flag (red, white, green) for our Virtual Jambori next Tuesday, 6<sup>th</sup> July, to make the festivities all the more special and colourful!!

## Health and Safety

Once again we urge all parents, grandparents and family friends to avoid parking on the Zig-Zag areas outside the school grounds in order to keep our children and family members as safe as possible. Please be extra careful when walking through the school car parks and always make sure that your child is safely kept by your side.

We also ask that you be considerate to others when parked outside the school grounds by not leaving your engines running polluting the air for those queueing by the school gates.

Thank you all for your co-operation in these matters.

## PARENTPAY

May we please remind parents that **ALL School Dinners, whether they are Paid Dinners or Free Meals Dinners need to be booked by parents at home through Parentpay.** We have a small number of families who are still not doing this.

Your co-operation is much appreciated. Thank you.

## RACE FOR LIFE

Ysgol Y Waun pupils have supported Cancer Research UK with great enthusiasm by taking part in various Race for Life Sponsored Events this week.

Thank you all for putting your hearts and souls into your Race for Life events - you have made us all at Ysgol Y Waun very, very proud - da iawn pawb!!!

Please return your sponsor forms and money to school as soon as possible for us to forward to the charity.

**Please note that we will not be collecting money through Parentpay for this event.**

Diolch yn fawr!!

## FLU IMMUNISATION

Flu Immunisation letters have been sent home with children from Nursery up to Year 5 this week. If you wish for your child to have their Immunisation when the Flu Team visit on the 6<sup>th</sup> October please complete the form and return to school at your earliest convenience in the envelope provided.

If you have mislaid your form please request a copy from either of the school offices. Thank you.

## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES FOR THE NEXT SCHOOL YEAR**

### **AUTUMN TERM**

**Wed 1st September 2021 – Training Day for Teachers**

**Thursday 2nd September 2021 – Training Day for Teachers**

**Friday 3rd September 2021 – School Opens for Autumn 1st Half Term**

**Friday 22nd October 2021 – School Closes for Autumn Half Term Holiday**

**Friday 1st November 2021 – School Opens for Autumn 2nd Half Term**

**Wednesday 22nd December 2021 – School Closes for Christmas Holiday**

### **SPRING TERM**

**Thursday 6th January 2022 – Training Day for Teachers**

**Friday 7th January 2022 – Training Day for Teachers**

**Monday 10th January 2022 – School Opens for Spring 1st Half Term**

**Friday 18th February 2022 – School Closes for Spring Half Term Holiday**

**Monday 28th February 2022 – School Opens for Spring 2nd Half Term**

**Friday 8th April 2022 – School Closes for Easter Holiday**

### **SUMMER TERM**

**Monday 25th April 2022 – Training Day for Teachers**

**Tuesday 26th April 2022 – School Opens for Summer 2nd Half Term**

**Monday 2nd May 2022 – School Closed for May Bank Holiday**

**Friday 27th May 2022 – School Closes for Summer Half Term Holiday**

**Monday 6 th June 2022 – School Opens for Summer 2nd Half Term**

**Tuesday 19th July – School Closes for Summer Holidays**

## YSGOL Y WAUN

1<sup>st</sup> July 2021

**Dear Parents,**

**Please see below guidance that we have received from Wrexham today.**

LFT (Lateral Flow Test) tests should not be used when symptoms are present in a child.

Anyone with Covid Symptoms should book a PCR test.

If anyone, including children, has Covid symptoms they should book a PCR test and they and members of their household should self-isolate until the test result comes through.

**You should not use a lateral flow test if you are experiencing Covid symptoms.**

If the PCR test comes back negative, there is no need to continue to self-isolate.

If it comes back positive, you will need to continue to self-isolate. You can find out here how long for: <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/self-isolation-and-treatment/how-long-to-self-isolate/>

What's the difference between a PCR Test and a LFD test?

· PCR test are for those who have Covid symptoms. You can book a PCR test either online or by telephone. (<https://gov.wales/getting-tested-coronavirus-covid-19>)

LFD tests are for those who do not have Covid symptoms. It's a test that looks for presence of Covid-19. It is a rapid test and designed to be used by individuals with no symptoms. The tests are quick and easy to do.

Thank you,

John Roberts  
Headteacher

06/2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Please keep this letter as it contains the date of the session and contact details for the school nurse.

The school nursing team will visit your child's school **06/10//2021** to offer a nasal spray flu vaccine to all the children in your child's school year. Your child probably received this vaccine last year in school or if they were younger at their GP surgery.

A consent form and an information leaflet will be sent to you via your child's school.

1. Please read the information sheet about the flu vaccine so you are aware of what is being offered to protect your child.
2. Then complete the form stating that you either agree to vaccination or you do not agree to vaccination.
3. Return the form in the envelope to the school to inform the school nurse of your decision as soon as possible. This will help the school nurse make the necessary arrangements
4. To help make sure the vaccine is suitable for your child please take time to read the information.

Help keep your child well this winter, make sure they have their flu vaccine. This year efforts are being made to significantly increase flu vaccination coverage and achieve a higher uptake across all children in primary schools. Visit the website: [www.beatflu.org](http://www.beatflu.org) and also the Patient Information Leaflet: [www.medicines.org.uk/emc](http://www.medicines.org.uk/emc) and type in Fluenz.

After you have returned the consent form to the school, if anything changes with your child's health before the vaccination session or your child becomes wheezy or their asthma medication increases, please contact the school nursing team on the number below.

Yours faithfully

School Nurse: Janet Hill / Sandra Eastwood

Contact No: 01978 821204 / 03000 858666 (2)

[BCU.ImmunisationTeamEast@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:BCU.ImmunisationTeamEast@wales.nhs.uk)

\* There are a very small number of children who should not have the nasal flu vaccine, this includes children who: have severe asthma taking high dose inhaled steroids; have had a recent course of oral steroids; have been wheezy or needed to use their reliever inhaler more often in the previous 3 days; have previously required intensive care for a severe allergic reaction to eggs; have a weakened immune system; or are in close contact with someone who has a severely weakened immune system (nursed in a protective environment).