



YSGOL Y WAUN – NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents,

WELCOME BACK

We are very pleased to see the return of all our pupils this week. Our junior pupils have settled back into school well and our infant pupils are back into well – established routines.

We hope that **new changes to our risk assessments** including **staff wearing face masks** when working with groups of children and **twice weekly lateral flow tests for staff members** will help us to keep everybody safe and help to avoid further closures resulting from COVID-19 outbreaks.

You can also help us by **maintaining social distancing** when on school grounds and by **wearing masks at pick up/ drop off** times. It is also helpful if you can **say a quick goodbye** to your child/ren and **move away from the entrance gates** in order that we can maintain **2 metre social distancing**.

PARKING ISSUES

Please can we ask that you **do not park in our staff car parks** when picking up/ dropping off. Please also **avoid parking on zig zag and double yellow line markings** by our school entrances. Many parents and children are entering/ leaving the school grounds at these times and there have been some near misses reported to school by parents. **If you are struggling to park then please consider 'Park & Stride'** by parking further away in a safe side street and walking the rest of the journey to school. Thank you.

COMIC RELIEF

All of our pupils looked fantastic today, wearing red to support Comic Relief! **Your kind donations have raised over £305 towards Comic Relief!** Well Done Everyone!

STAFF TRAINING DAYS

Two additional training days have been added to the school calendar which were missed back in September when school staff were preparing for re-opening. School will now be closed to pupils on **Friday 30th April and Monday 7th May**.

SCHOOL DINNER PAYMENTS SYSTEM

The **school dinner payments system** which was introduced by Wrexham Council a few years ago will **finish on Friday 26th March**. All credit/ debit amounts will be forwarded to your new 'Parent Pay' account. Details of how to access your account will be sent to you either by letter or by email in preparation for our return after Easter.

HOME LEARNING

After 14 weeks of home learning we just wanted to say a **'BIG THANK YOU'** to all of our parents who have supported their children with home learning tasks! You have done a brilliant job!

Yours sincerely,

J. Roberts

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

EASTER

Friday 26th March – School closes for Easter Holidays

Monday 12th April – School Closed for Staff Training

Tuesday 13th April – School re-opens for pupils

HALF TERM

Friday 28th May – School closes for Half Term

Tuesday 8th June – School re-opens for pupils

TRAINING DAY 1 – POSTPONED IN SEPTEMBER

Friday 30th April – School closed for Staff Training

TRAINING DAY 2 – POSTPONED IN SEPTEMBER

Monday 7th June – School closed for Staff Training

CURRICULUM TRAINING DAY

Friday 25th June – School closed for Staff Training

SUMMER HOLIDAYS

Friday 16th July – School closes for Summer Holidays