

NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents / Annwyl Rieni

This week the Governing body had their first meeting of the new academic year. One of the items on the agenda was to review the annual Governor Report to parents which has been approved and is available for you to download and read on our website by clicking [here](#). Also on the governor section of our website is information regarding the members of our governing body and their roles and responsibilities.

PC Mark Williams and PC Karen Bennion visited Year 5 this week to interview children who had applied for North Wales' mini police initiative, with 39 applicants and only 20 places I know it will be incredibly difficult to select the final group and I wanted to pass on to you the high praise from both officers for all those who took part.

Finally, with the new speed restrictions having been introduced in Wales please allow extra time for your journey to school as we recorded an increase in children arriving late to school this week.

I hope you have a nice weekend.

Yours sincerely / Yn gywir,
Mr Richard Monteiro



Classroom Call

Blwyddyn 5 have had a busy start to the term! We started our work on The Tudors - an Age of Change and Discovery by designing our own personal Coat of Arms, chronologically ordering a timeline of Wales and taking part in a Tudor quiz - some of the answers really surprised us! Roald Dahl day produced some fantastic work - we created our own Marvellous Medicines; designed our own version of Dahl's writing shed; worked out what some of his made up words actually mean and followed an online lesson using Adobe Express to create an online front cover and advert for James and the Giant Peach. We have also been improving our



Other News

Ysgol Eirias Open Evening

Please find attached to this weeks newsletter an invitation to an Ysgol Eirias open evening for parents of children in Years 4, 5 and 6. The open evening is on Wednesday 27th September between 4.30pm and 7.30pm.

Learning2Bee

Attached to this week's newsletter are details regarding Learning2Bee's holiday club. To visit their booking page please click [here](#)

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Please find attached to this weeks newsletter a flyer for a free weekly club at Ysgol Y Creuddyn every Thursday, 5:30pm - 7:00pm starting on the 28th of October for parents and children interested in practicing their Welsh in an informal setting. Sessions are for children aged 5 – 11 and include games, various activities, clog dancing and more, all through the medium of Welsh.

PTA AGM Monday

25th September 7.00pm in the school staff room

rugby skills in PE lessons as well as studying the countries playing in the World Cup in France.

The main focus in Cymraeg has been learning 'Yr Wyddor' and spotting the main differences between the English and Welsh alphabets.

We have been lucky to have taken part in a new North Wales Police initiative project called Mini-Police. Thirty nine Year 5 pupils chose to send in an application to Mark and Karen, our local PCSOs and were interviewed in the hope of being chosen as one of only twenty places on offer! They then had to take part in some team-building exercises on the MUGA for the officers to see the candidates challenging themselves and working as a team. Only fourteen schools in the whole of Wales have been invited to take part, working alongside the local Police force. Look out for the Mini-Police Officers around school soon!



Attendance for last week

Attendance (1 day = 20% ½ day = 10%)

| | 100% | 90% | 80% | 70% or less |
|------------------|------|-----|-----|-------------|
| Number of pupils | 390 | 14 | 23 | 21 |

We are aiming for all our pupils to achieve an average of **97%** attendance a year (6 days absence).

| Dates for your diary | 2nd Oct | 17 th & 18 th Oct | 19 th Oct | 20 th Oct |
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| | Whole school photograph | Parent Evenings | Tempest Family Photos | Tempest Individual Photos |
| | Weather Permitting | | | |