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Lythys - Newsletter - 24th May 2019

This half term our value is

"Respect"

Annwyl Rhieni, Dear Parent/Carer, Diary Dates/Forthcoming Events

Monday, 27th May – Whitsun Holidays until Friday, 31st May Sports day Foundation Phase- Thursday, 13th June am Sports day KS 2- Friday, 14th June pm Friday, 28th June – Blenheim Bomber Walk Wednesday, 3rd July – Y6 – Rollover Day – 5-7pm Leavers Prom and Phase Discos –Thursday 11th July YR 6 leavers concert-Tuesday 16th July – 1.30pm Friday, 19th July 2019 – last day of Term

Good News Assembly for **Key Stage 2** is held on <u>Thursdays</u> 9.15am and Foundation Phase <u>Fridays</u> at 9.15am. Parents/carers welcome to attend to celebrate their children. **Pupil of the Week**.

Foundation Phase		KS2	
Dosbarth 1 Miss Carrol	Ellis	Dosbarth 7 Mrs Rogers	Leila
Dosbarth 2 Mr Key	Amelia C	Dosbarth 8 Miss Grimas	Cian
Dosbarth 3 Miss Bones	Finley M	Dosbarth 9 Miss Lloyd	Jacob G
Dosbarth 4 Miss Brooks	Oli O	Dosbarth 10 Mrs Messore	Jack
Dosbarth 5 Mrs Attewell	Riley	Dosbarth 11 Mrs Lee	Yesim
Dosbarth 6 Mrs Ally-Perrett	Liam	Dosbarth 12 Miss Williams	Rhys
		Dosbarth 13 Mrs Parker Evans	Riley
		Dosbarth 14 Mr Phillips	Cellum

<u>Attendance</u>

Our **Attendance Winners** last week were Dosbarth 6 in Foundation Phase with a fantastic 99.3% and Dosbarth 14 in KS2 with 98..4% Well done everyone. The overall attendance last week was 94.2 bringing our yearly attendance so far to 95%.

Welcome and Information for September 2019

Parents and Pupils will be informed early next half term of classes which pupils will be in in September 2019. Your children have been given a pupil voice on who they work well with and this information is being used to form classes for September with at least one of their nominated learners in each class. After half term we would like to welcome back Mrs Ngwenya and Mrs Lewis from maternity leave, and we also look forward to continue working with Miss Bones, Miss Hudspeth and Miss Paske.

MAT Raising Aspiration Visit to Exeter University

Reminder: We are looking forward to Visiting to Exeter University with invited parents and pupils on Wednesday 5th of June 2019. We will be departing at 7:30am from the main entrance of Abersychan Comprehensive School, Incline Road and will be back at approximately 7:30pm.

An exciting opportunity for parents

Calling all parents who would like to take part in a little singing adventure. On Thursday, 6th of June at 2.45pm we will be making a recording of the Welsh National Anthem and The World in Union and would love for you to come and sing with us.

<u>Class News</u>

Reception – Dosbarth 1 & Dosbarth 2

Da iawn everyone for a great half term! Thank you for the donations of seeds and plant pots ready for our new term! We can't wait to get growing once we return from the break! A reminder that Foundation Phase sports day is on the 13th of June and we have already started practising! Please ensure children have suitable attire for sports day practise when we return. Have a lovely and safe week and see you all soon!

Dosbarth 3 - Miss Bones & Dosbarth 4 - Miss Brooks

Miss Brooks would like to say a huge thank you for all your support with your children learning their lines for their assembly. We are three very proud teachers and they were all amazing. A reminder that PE kit in every Tuesday. Have a lovely half term and we will see you all when you come back.

Dosbarth 5 - Mrs Attewell and Dosbarth 6 - Mrs Ally-Perrett

Well done to everyone for working hard and creating a fantastic half term. We have started practising for Sports day on 13th June. A polite reminder for everyone to bring in their PE kits. Have a lovely week off!

<u> Dosbarth 7 – Mrs Rogers</u>

Parents and Careers are invited to watch our class assembly on 5th June at 9.15am in the hall. We would like to wish everybody a happy half term.

Dosbarth 9 - Miss Lloyd & Dosbarth 10 - Mrs Messore

Well done everyone for all your hard work this half term! Please remember to bring in PE kits and suitable footwear for outdoors as lots of our sessions will be taking place outside! Enjoy your half term ③

Dosbarth 12 – Miss Williams

Da iawn to everyone in Dosbarth 12 for all of your hard work this term! You are all superstars! Please remember PE kits and suitable footwear next term as we will be having lots of sessions outdoors. Have a lovely half term!!

<u> Dosbarth 13 - Mrs Parker - Evans</u>

A huge congratulations to Connor as he will be our new Football Team Captain for the summer term! Well done Connor!

Dosbarth 14 - Mr Phillips- Dosbarth 11 - Mrs Lee

Well done to our fantastic Football Team winning yet another trophy at the Blaenavon Tournament. The team beat Cwmffrwdoer in the final 5-1 after an exciting penalty shoot-out in the semi-final against George Street. Well done all! Another big well done to our Year 6 cyclists who have had a great start to the cycling proficiency. By the end of the term, they will all be super cyclists. If anyone has any helmets they can donate, we would be really grateful. Thank you Also well done to our amazing F1 in Schools teams who picked up two awards at the South Wales Finals for Best Portfolio work and Best Pit Display. Bendigedig!

Have a lovely half term with a lot of sunshine and plenty of rest. We see you all on Monday, 3rd of June 2019.

Kind regards, Mrs 5 E Roche & all the Staff at Garnteg