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Lythys - Newsletter - 4th October 2019

This half term our value is

"Trust and Unity"

Annwyl Rhieni,

Dear Parent/Carer,

Diary Dates/Forthcoming Events

Monday, 14th October 2019 - Pupil Photos

Monday, 28th October 2019 - Friday 1st November 2019 - October Half Term

Monday 4th November 2019 - INSET DAY

Monday 14th October 2019- School Photos

Thursday 24th October 2019- Foundation Phase 4pm-5pm / KS2-5:15pm-6:15pm

Good News Assembly for Key Stage 2 is held on Thursdays at 9:15am. Foundation Phase is Fridays at 9:15am.

Parents/carers are welcome to attend to celebrate their children having pupil of the week.

Foundation Phase		KS2	
Dosbarth 1 Miss Carrol	Athena H	Dosbarth 7 Mrs Lewis	Seth
Dosbarth 2 Mr Key	Faye	Dosbarth 8 Miss Paske	Bethany
Dosbarth 3 Miss Bones	Toby	Dosbarth 9 Mrs Rogers	Logan
Dosbarth 4 Miss Brooks	Theo H	Dosbarth 10 Mrs Messore	Livi-Mai
Dosbarth 5 Mrs Attewell	Charlie	Dosbarth 11 Miss Grimas	Eva
Dosbarth 6 Mrs Ally-Perrett	Ollie O	Dosbarth 12 Miss Williams	Caydie
		Dosbarth 13 Mrs Parker Evans	Abbie
		Dosbarth 14 Mr Phillips	Hollie

Attendance

Our **Attendance Winners** for last week in Foundation Phase were **Class 6 with 97.9%** & KS2 winners were **Class 11 with 99.6%**. The overall attendance last week was **94.7%** bringing our whole year attendance so far up to the magic **95.9%**. **Well done everyone!**

Harvest Festival

Our Harvest Festival will be held on Wednesday 9th October at 9.15am. Dosbarth 14 (Mr Phillips class) will be leading the assembly. We will once again be making a collection of food to share in the local community. Can any donations be brought into school next week, please. Thank you for your support

Garnteg Bake off

On this special occasion we are welcoming all parents to come to our bake off sale in the school hall on Thursday 24th October at 3pm. All proceeds from the cake sale will be donated to Cancer Research

Early absences

There has been a high number of children being picked up between 2:50pm and 3:10pm for various appointments. As you can imagine this is a busy time of the school day with staff settling children to get ready to go home. **Please can appointments be made after 3:30pm.** We understand there sometimes may be times where this is not able to happen if so, we will ask to see the child's appointment card. Thankyou.

Girls only Football Programme

We are now running a girls only programme, to be held on Thursdays from 3:30-4:30pm and is available to girls from years 4,5 and 6. The programme will run for four weeks with links to Fairfield United Girls FC

Admissions to Secondary School September 2020 - How to Apply

Parents/carers should have received a letter indicating their child's UID number explaining how to apply online. you do not have to enter the UID number in order to submit your application. If you have not received a letter a copy can be obtained by contacting Kath Worwood (01495 766915). Please note it is your responsibility to ensure an application is submitted by the closing date, any late applications could affect the placement.

Should you wish to apply via a paper copy of the application form these can be obtained by contacting Kath Worwood or can be downloaded via the Torfaen website: www.torfaen.gov.uk/en/educationlearning, click on Schools and colleges and the School Admissions.

ALDI Vouchers

School will be collecting Aldi vouchers, if you collect any vouchers, please hand them in at the school office. Thank you.

Nursery

A polite reminder that all items of clothing need to be clearly labelled with your child's name. Please can children's toys be left at home as they may get lost or broken.

Dosbarth 3 & 4

Reminder that PE kits need to be in school ready for PE every Tuesday. Can Dosbarth Tri please bring in their favourite book for our display.

Dosbarth 5 & 6

A polite reminder that PE kit needs to be in school. Class 5 PE is every Monday morning and class 6 is every Tuesday afternoon. Spelling Tests are every Friday. Diolch!

Dosbarth 7 & 8

Reminder that PE kits are needed on Friday for lessons. Please make sure jumpers and cardigans are labelled with names so they aren't lost. Diolch.

Dosbarth 9 & 10

A polite reminder that PE kits need to be in school for PE on Monday and Homework to be completed and returned on a Friday. Spelling test is on a Friday morning. After school clubs will be running as usual next week. Diolch!

Dosbarth 11 & 12

Can pupils please remember PE kits on Monday (Miss Williams) or Thursday (Miss Grimas). Reading books and homework logs to be returned to school on a Friday. A massive well-done to all the Year 5 and 6 pupils who represented the school in a football tournament this week, you have made us all very proud with your superb sportsmanship! Da iawn!

Dosbarth 13 & 14

Dosbarth 14 will be leading the Harvest Festival Assembly on Wednesday 9th October in school at 9.15am. Parents of pupils in Dosbarth 14 are invited to attend the assembly.

Well done to all the pupils who represented the school at the EFL Kids Football Cup this week.

Kind regards,

Mrs S E Roche & all the Staff at Garnteg