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...Together we achieve.....Cyflawni gyda'n gilydd...



Friday 21st February 2025

Annwyl Rhieni

The final week of this half term has been a very productive one, with lots of various activities going on across the year groups.

URDD Girls TAG Rugby Tournament

This week, we took our Girls Tag rugby team to the URDD tournament at Rhyl Rugby club. The girls performed fantastically well and managed to get through to the Semi Finals! Their attitude and their level of skill was so good that many people from the URDD and the rugby community commented positively about their standard of play. Da iawn pawb!

Year 3 Bakery Visit

On Tuesday this week, Year 3 had the opportunity to attend Henllan Bakery and have a tour of Bakery 2. The children enjoyed the opportunity to go behind the scenes and see how some of their favourite sweet treats were made! The children also found about the bakery's Muffin project and how they are trying to change their packaging to make it more eco-friendly and use less single use plastics. Thank you to all at the bakery for making us so welcome.

Denbigh Cluster Eisteddfod

Today, we have taken children over to Denbigh High to compete in the Denbigh Cluster Eisteddfod. The children behaved very well and performed exceptionally well too! These performances were planned alongside the artistic competitions and it has been wonderful to see so many perform to their best and develop their creative, artistic and performing skills.

St Davids Day parade

On our first day back after half term, Monday 3rd March, our Criw Cymraeg pupil voice group will be taking part in the Denbigh St David's Day parade. Separate letters have been sent out to Criw Cymraeg members already with further details.

World Book Day

On Thursday 6th of March it is World Book day and we will be celebrating again this year. Children are welcome to come to school dressed up as their favourite book character on this day. There will not be a cost



for this privilege. We will also be having a Bring and Buy Book sale on the same day. If anyone has any modern children's books which are in good condition that they no longer need and are happy to donate to the school then please bring them in on Thursday 6th March. We will then be selling these books for £1 and all money raised will go towards buying more reading resources for the children here at Frongoch.

Out of school behaviour- reminders and advice [including online behaviour]

Recently, we have been receiving a higher than usual number of calls from parents reporting concerns involving pupils from our school which are happening outside of the school grounds/hours.

I would like to take this opportunity to remind parents/carers that it is parental responsibility to ensure the welfare of their child when they are not at school.

- If any member of the public has any concerns about a child's welfare they are asked to report the matter to Denbighshire County Councils' Children and Family Support Gateway on the following number: 01824712200
- If any member of the public has any concerns about potential harassment/ bullying, including the use of devices they are asked to report the matter to the police on the following number: 101 [North Wales Police]
- If any member of the public has any concerns about a child's behaviour online, please report the matter to the police on the following number: 101 [North Wales Police]

We work very closely with the above agencies and try to support families and children as much as possible. The pupils are taught and reminded about expectations and standards of behaviour at school and beyond but we are aware that we cannot control what happens when pupils are not in school. We regularly remind parents/carers and pupils about age appropriate apps, games and how to stay safe online and also expected standards of behaviour in the community. However, it remains parental responsibility to monitor and supervise their child's online behaviour, including the use of apps and social media.

We adopt Denbighshire County Councils Engagement and Behaviour policy, and this policy is due for review soon. We always welcome feedback. Please contact the school office if you would like to offer any feedback which can be considered when we come to review this policy.

With very best wishes

Dylan Thomas

Pennaeth / Headteacher

