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



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Annwyl Rhieni

Another busy week has flown by here at Frongoch and we have a busy few weeks ahead of us this Summer term. Dates for Sport Days have been finalised now and further information is below.

Year 3 Denbighshire Music Co-operative Workshop

At the start of the week, our fantastic Year 3 children had their termly Music Workshop which is delivered by Denbighshire Music Co-operative. This time all of the children had the opportunity to learn some notes on the recorder. Gwych Blwyddyn 3!

Year 4 Chester Zoo trip

On Wednesday, our wonderful Year 4 children went to Chester Zoo. A fabulous time was had by all and luckily everyone arrived back safe and sound at school! The children behaved impeccably and participated in a workshop about nutrition. Da iawn Blwyddyn 4!

VE Day Celebration Thursday 8th May

To celebrate the 80th anniversary of Victory in Europe Day on 8th May, we had a great day dressing up in blue, white, red or in the clothing of the period yesterday. The weather was kind which allowed us all to eat outside together to have our own 'Street Party'. Everyone also received a cup cake to celebrate the occasion. Thanks to everyone for making such an effort for a very historic occasion.

Don't Drink Think

Yesterday, all of the children took part in the 'Don't Drink, Think' programme which is a specialist drug and alcohol education programme delivered by experienced and skilled members of the Adferaid group. The programme is tailored to each school, is age appropriate and is delivered sensitively and with inclusivity in mind. The children learned of the dangers of alcohol and how alcohol can affect people.

Girls URDD Netball Tournament

Our girls Netball team are off to the National URDD Netball tournament this weekend, having won the Denbighshire County URDD competition earlier this year. We wish them all the best for the tournament in Aberystwyth this Sunday. Pob lwc pawb!



World of Work week beginning 19th May

We will be hosting a World of Work week again here this year after the great success of last year's World of Work week. We have already booked some members of the local community to come into school for this week. If you would like to volunteer to come into school during this week to speak to the children about your work and the skills needed for your work, please contact the school office to arrange a convenient time.

Transition Activities

Transition activities have continued between Year 2 and Year 3 this week. Year 2 have joined us for some singing and playtime which was fun for all. Several of our Year 6 pupils went down to Ysgol y Parc and taught the Year 2 pupils some Cymraeg Playground games. It was lovely to receive such high praise from the Year 2 teachers about how well the Year 6 pupils interacted with the younger children.

Sports days

Again this year, we will be heading over to Denbigh High School and using their Athletics Field for our sports days.

These will take place on the following dates:

Wednesday 11th June 1-3pm Year 4 and 5

Thursday 12th June 1-3pm Year 3 and 6

Year 6 dates

Wednesday 9th July 4-5:30pm - Leavers Party. Theme TBC.

Friday 11th July 1:30pm - Leavers Service (Max 2 people).

Attendance, Punctuality and term time holidays

As you know, Good Attendance is vital for your child to make the most of their time in education. We monitor attendance closely and try to work closely with families to support any child whose attendance is of a concern.

Traditionally, the Summer term sees a rise in Holidays being taken during term time. Please note that for any absence parents/ carers need to complete an absence request form – please contact the office for one. No term time holidays will be authorised. Should the school have any concerns about your child/ren's attendance we will make contact with you early to discuss a support plan, in order to improve their punctuality/attendance.

A Fixed Penalty Notice Warning letter may be issued at 5 days unauthorised absence, and the Fixed Penalty Notice may be issued at 10 days unauthorised absence.

When filling out Absence Request Forms, it is important for parents/carers to add as much information as possible. An example would be for family weddings- please add where the wedding is to take place and the day of the wedding as this informs decisions regarding any potential authorised/unauthorised days.

It is also worth noting that the school day starts here at Frongoch at 8.45am and Good Punctuality is essential in allowing your child to come into school settled and ready for the school day ahead. Any child arriving after 9.15am [ie 30 minutes late] is marked down as an Unauthorised Absence.

With very best wishes

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