

Friday 25th September 2020 – Week 4

News from the headteacher

The children continue to do well working in their new routines. I thank you all for your support in getting them to their right gate within the right timeframe, and picking them up at the allocated slot.

The addition of a spare pair of shoes routine which I refer to later, is evidence of another change that they are handling very well.

I have created a short pupil wellbeing survey which the children will complete online or by a show of hands, depending on their age range. Most have the necessary IT and reading skills, but some of our younger children will be asked to vote by their class teacher, after the questions and options have been read out to them. I will share the responses with you all, and this will help re-assure you of how they are feeling being back at school. I understand some parents are more anxious than their children. I understand that. We know the children are happy being back in school and we are doing all that we can to ensure their safety. The building is filled with noise and laughter and lots of exciting activities. The photos are just a very small snapshot of what has been taking place.

We have allocated areas around the school so that every child has a safe space for their spare shoes. With the rain this week finally arriving, we must have alternate footwear in school please. Children are taught about Human Rights in general lesson activities. One of these is the right to play. We fully support this of course. It does come with a health warning to your washing machines. We monitor that children do not deliberately get muddy, but please accept that sometimes they may come home with a bit of dirt on their uniform.

Regards, Mr Rogers

Breakfast Club

Please make the £1 per day payment on Parent Pay

Can I also ask you to remember to socially distance at the front of school when waiting to come in for Breakfast Club? This has been followed well on sunny mornings, but with wet weather, children are eager to get in as soon as possible. I have reminded them all they need to wait, safely, in line to avoid coming into contact with other children.

Seren Yr Wythnos

DM- Kai Prewit
DD – Madison Bland
B1 – Jacob Williams
B2 – Tiffany Williams
B3 – Rhys Neild
B4 – Brooke Mellor
B5 – Elin Jones
B6 – Sophie Lees

Dog Fouling

Some parents had reported the dog mess in the path way to school. We are always grateful of this as that path serves as an entrance and exit to school for 50% of our children. They run the risk of walking in mess, as do their brothers and sisters, and also parents with buggies using the path. The Council sent two men on Tuesday. The footpath had already been cleared and the bin had also been emptied. That's all great news.

Please download the AppConwy / Conwy App. The Council men said this is the best way to log an issue / concern / complaint. They assured me all issues go into a queue and all are responded to. The Report button is the tab to refer to and use for such issues.

News from the kitchen

Please take a look at the whole array of school dinners next week. Our theme is based on European Day of Languages, so Gemma has been very creative with her meal planning.

Monday is Spain, with Omelette and Patas Bravas (diced potatoes), Tuesday is Greece, with Flat Bread Pizza, Wednesday is Italy with Meatballs, Spaghetti and Garlic Bread, Thursday is France, with Ham and Chips and Crepes (pancakes) and we close with British Fish & Chips on Friday. It will be a fantastic week of varied dinners! Menu attached.

Attendance 14th – 18th September

D/D: 75.56%	BL1: 81.67%
BL2: 85.71%	BL3: 86.25%
BL4: 92.50%	BL5: 81.92%
BL6: 81.92%	

Parents/carers need to report absences to the school office by 9am on the first day of absence. You will need to inform the school office of the reason for the absence and the expected date the child will be returning to school.

Contact details for the School Office: phone 01492 517326, text 01492 233101 or email swyddfa@cynfran.conwy.sch.uk

Cymro/Cymraes Yr Wythnos

DM- Khloe Jones & Layla Stafford
DD – Peter Jones
B1 – Euan Towlson
B2 – Maddison Mellor
B3 – Tyler Jones
B4 – Charlie Pye
B5 – Summer Murray-Winn
B6 – Jordan Jenkins



Important Dates

26 Sept

European Day of Languages
Themed lunches every day – menu attached

2 Oct

World Smile Day

5 Oct

Staff training day.
School closed for pupils

16 Oct – 2 Nov

Half-term

13 Nov

Nasal flu vaccination

W/C 16 Nov

Anti Bullying Week

22 Nov

Deadline for applications for Reception class 2021

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Bl1. Ronald Dahl. Measuring and making dream jars.



Council workers helping to keep the paths clean

Children are now managing to store their spare shoes in a designated year group only space so they can go out to play and then return to a dry pair of shoes. This life skill is an important example of them showing greater independence, tidying up after themselves, and keep their classrooms dry and safe.



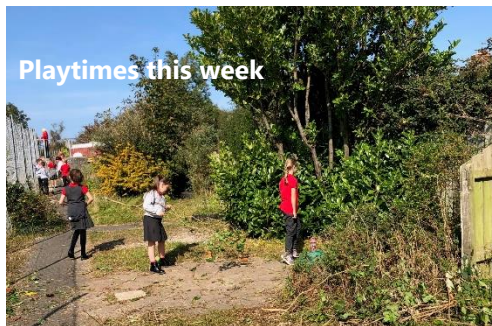
Hand sanitising taking place throughout the day.



Children in Bl. 1 & 2 returning from dinner time play.



Dosbarth Derbyn making wands



Playtimes this week



Blwyddyn 4 - Yoga



Penblwydd Hapus

