

Ysgol Yr Esgob
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Weekly Bulletin – 15th July 2016

A Message from Mrs. Clisham –

Many thanks to parents, grandparents, friends, governors and community members for all your support this year. Many of you have helped with transporting children to events and without this support we wouldn't be able to give our pupils such an excellent diet of activities! Your help is greatly appreciated.

Thank you for encouraging our children by attending events and supporting them with their reading and homework.

Thank you for all the kind donations you have sent in over the year. Next year our School Council have decided upon a charity of their choice to support – it will be Glan Clwyd Special Care Baby Unit. As many of you will know baby Daniel Ready, brother of Gracie, Callum and Alicia spent quite a lot of his early weeks there and our children want to say a special thank you and raise some money for them.

Many thanks for all your help with fundraising events such as the Summer Fair and the hamper raffles.

Good luck to Mrs Booth and Mrs Gerrard-Novelli as they start their maternity leave. We will all be waiting for news over the summer and into the beginning of next term. All the “aunties and uncles” here in school are looking forward to their first cuddles!

And finally, good luck to Phoebe, Arthur, Charlie P, Charlie G and Caitlin as they move up to high school. We are so proud of you all. You are wonderful young people and you all have so much to offer. Staff and pupils wish you all the very best for the future. Good luck also to Alana who is leaving us to take her place in Bryn Coch.

Well done to all the children for their hard work and determination throughout this school year. Di iawn pawb.

We look forward to welcoming Mrs. Sarah Dunn to Foundation Phase and Mrs. Sarah Parry to Year 2 and 3 in September. Mrs. Dunn will be sharing the Foundation Phase class with me and Mrs. Parry will be covering Mrs. Booth's maternity leave until probably around Easter time.

Just to let you know over the summer we are having new flooring, lockers and storage in the Junior corridor.

Joint winning houses this week are **TRYFAN** and **SIABOD**. Overall winner for this half term is **TRYFAN**. They have received an extra playtime this afternoon.

Message from Mrs Booth & Mrs Gerrard-Novelli

Mrs Booth & Mrs Gerrard-Novelli would like to say a big thank you for all the kind donations and gifts that they have received. Together we bought them a pampering gift set, Mothercare vouchers and of course chocolates!.

Dinner Money – All dinner money for the last 3 days of this term and any outstanding debt must be paid on Monday 18th July.

The cost is £2.05 per day, £6.15 all week (3 days). Dinners cannot be taken if they are not pre-paid.

School Council – Sweet Stall

At 3.00pm on Monday and Tuesday next week the School Council will be selling sweets/crips outside school to use up the left overs from the Summer Fair. All money rased will be for school funds. Please send your child with some small change on these days and or come along and stock up yourselves for the summer holidays!

Leaver's Service

The Leaver's Service will take place on **Wednesday 20th July at 9.15am** in St Michael's Church. You are all welcome to join us as we celebrate achievements and say our goodbyes.

Toy Day – Wednesday 20th July

Children may bring in a board game of their choice to play during the afternoon on Wednesday.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club will remain the same in September and will be open from 8.00am to 8.15am for those who pay £1.50. Below is a reminder of how the club operates -

Please remember that if your child is using Breakfast Club between 8.00am and 8.15am, a charge of £1.50 per day needs to be paid in advance for the coming week. If you do not know in advance what days you will be using the club then the odd day can

be paid on the morning that your child is in the club. Any one who arrives up to and including 8.15am will be charged. Free club runs from 8.16am with breakfast served until 8.30am. Thank you for your co-operation.

New Email Address

Our email address is now yemail@hwbcymru.net. Please use this address as the old system is no longer available.

Foundation Phase Snack Money

Snack for the first term back in September will be **Monday 5th September to Friday 21st October** will be **£1.00 per week, £7.00** for this half term. Please send the money in a clearly marked envelope and post it in the 'red post box' in the foyer as soon as possible. *Late payers make it difficult for us to provide snack for the children.* Thank you.

Friends of Ysgol yr Esgob & St Michael's Church

A big thank you to all those who helped to organise and support the Summer Fair last Saturday. Despite the weather the event was well supported and raised £700 for school and the church.

P.E. Lessons

P.E. lessons for all pupils will be held on the following days. All children will need to bring in their P.E. kit (white t-shirt, black shorts and black pumps) on a Monday and take them home on a Friday for washing. **Please ensure that everything is clearly labelled.**

Reception & year 1 – Wednesday morning – Dragon Sports
Thursday morning - Dragon Sports
Year 2 & 3 – Wednesday afternoon – Dragon Sports
Friday morning – Mrs Parry
Year 4, 5 & 6 - Wednesday afternoon – Dragon Sports
Thursday morning – Dragon Sports

Bonus Ball

The bonus ball number on **Saturday 9th July was No. 12. There were no winners.** We still have numbers available. You do not have to be a parent, grandparents, neighbours and friends are welcome to join the draw. Please contact either the school office or Mrs Clair Austin for further details. It really is very simple and can be paid by direct debit. **Please remember to let us know if you have cancelled your direct debit.**

St Michael's Church Sunday School

St Michael's Church, Caerwys Sunday School will be on **Sunday 17th July** from 10.50am to 12.00 noon. Meet at the church at 10.50am then the children will come over to school and join the church service later. The Sunday School is for children from reception through to year 6. It will run on the third Sunday of each month. Any queries contact Elizabeth Lord, 721103.

Please remember that the Caerwys Chronicle has an announcement section for any special events. Please contact 'sevanscaerwys@gmail.com'. The deadline for publication is the 20th of each month.

School Holiday Dates & Training Day - 2016/2017

Autumn Term – 2016

Training Day – Thursday 1st September

Training Day - Friday 2nd September

School Opens – Monday 5th September

School Closes (**Half Term**) – Friday 21st October

School Opens – Monday 3^{1st} October

Term Closes – Friday 16th December

Spring Term – 2017

Training Day – Tuesday 3rd January

School Opens – Wednesday 4th January

School Closes – (**Half Term**) – Friday 17th February

School Opens – Monday 27th February

School Closes – Thursday 6th April (Easter)

Training Day—Friday 7th April

Summer Term – 2017

School Opens – Monday 24th April

School Closed (May Day) – Monday 1st May

School Closes (**Half Term**) – Friday 26th May

School Opens – Monday 5th June

Training Day - Friday 30th June

Term Closes – Friday 21st July