

# **Ysgol** Tanyfron

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15<sup>th</sup> December 2022

# <u>School Update – 15th December 2022</u>

Dear Parent/Guardians,

As we approach the end of term, I wish to share with you a few updates on events, which will be taking place before the Christmas holidays.

## Monday 19th December – Rec-Year 6 cinema trip

Thank you to all those families who have returned their paperwork and payment for the annual trip to the cinema. Could any outstanding forms please be sent into school tomorrow. Pupils can bring with them a small number of sweets/treats for the show whilst school will be providing each pupil with a drink. Our performance time is 10.30am therefore our estimated return to school is 12.30pm. As a result, can we please ask all pupils to bring with them to school a packed lunch. Mrs Halliwell will be able to provide a packed lunch option but due to timings there will be NO hot meal provision.

## **Christmas concerts**

We are very much looking forward to welcoming you to our concerts next week. As we go through our final rehearsals, I wish to share with you the arrangements for parents/guardians.

# Our morning performance will start at 10.00am, doors will open from 09.45am, and our afternoon performance will start at 1.00pm with doors opening at 12.45pm.

As noted previously with Brymbo Sports & Social club having more capacity there will be no need to purchase tickets in advance. However, as we have done in previous years we will be asking all attendees for a £2 contribution to cover the hire of the venue and to raise funds for school. I am also pleased to say that we will also see the return of the traditional PTA Christmas raffle.

The pupils will be staying at Brymbo Sports & Social club between shows and therefore we are asking all pupils to bring a packed lunch for the day in a carrier bag, which can be easily disposed of. For pupils wishing to order a hot dinner this option will remain. School will transfer all meals between sites.

At the end of the afternoon performance, we are more than happy for pupils to go home with family members to stop everyone having to return to school. Further details of which exits we will use will be shared on the day.

### Reindeer Run – Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> December

Our chosen charity for Christmas 2022 is Nightingale House Hospice. We will be supporting this wonderful charity by taking part in their Rudolph Run. Our run will take place in and around the grounds of Brymbo Sports & Social club whilst Nursery pupils will be walking around the local community. On this day we would like pupils to wear suitable footwear, jogging bottoms and their Christmas jumper.

Whilst appreciating the time of year and current challenging times we have decided not to ask each pupil to find and raise sponsorship but instead donate £2.00. Further information about the charity can be found below.

Dear Parent & Carers,

#### The Rudolph Run 2022

Ysgol Tanyfron have registered to take part in this year's Nightingale House Hospice - Rudolph Run (Kindly Sponsored by Excell Supply) on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> December

We are grabbing our antlers and jumping into the festive spirt to raise money for Nightingale House Hospice by holding our very own Rudolph Run.

Nightingale House Hospice offers special palliative care and family support services free of charge to those in our community living with a life-limiting illness. This care is provided 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 day a year. Additionally, Nightingale House Hospice also offer free child bereavement services to children in North East Wales who have lost a loved one, regardless as to whether they have a prior connection to the hospice. In 2022 it will cost over 4 million to fund these services, equating to £11,073 per day.

We are asking each child taking part in this festive FUNdraiser to raise sponsorship for patient care at Nightingale House Hospice. In return for their donation each child will receive their very own Rudolph antlers!

*If you have any questions about the event, please do not hesitate to contact Nightingale House Hospice on 01978 314292 or contact your school directly.* 

It is because of events like the Rudolph Run that Nightingale House Hospice can continue to provide the vital care to those within our community who need it the most.

Thank you in advance for your support. It really is much appreciated.

Kindest Regards Samantha Amis Events Fundraiser, Nightingale House Hospice

### **School Training Days**

As noted in previous correspondences please see the remaining training days for the academic year are -

- Monday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2023
- Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023
- Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2023 Still to be confirmed by the Welsh Government
- Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2023

**Please note** – these remain provisional so any changes will be shared via future correspondences and class SEESAW.

Can I thank you for your support and understanding to date and should you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact us in school.

Yours sincerely

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Mr D. Lloyd Headteacher