



# Ysgol Tanyfron

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Dear Parents/Guardians

Firstly, thank you to all parents who attended parents evening last week, and thank you to all our pupils for their hard work in what has been a busy half term. As we approach the half term break, I would like to keep you updated with the following information:

## **Dates for the Diary**

When we return to school after half term there are two key events in the first week back. I would like to provide you with information in relation to both of these.

### **1<sup>st</sup> March 2023 – St. David's Day**

As a school we shall be celebrating St. David's Day by holding our own Eisteddfod. Information in relation to this event and the competitions that pupils are able to enter will be sent out by Mrs Evans-Jones this week. On the day itself pupils are able to come to school in traditional Welsh costumes or wearing something red.

To extend this celebration into the evening and our local community, school will be participating in Wrexham's Lantern Parade. All families are invited to join us, and/or make a lantern at home to utilise during the parade. Further information with regards to meeting points etc. will be sent out when we return to school after half term.

### **3<sup>rd</sup> March 2023 – World Book Day**

We shall also be celebrating World Book Day this week. As the proposed date for the postponed strike is the 2<sup>nd</sup> March, school have decided to move our World Book Day celebrations to Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> March. Children are welcome to come to school on this day dressed as a character from a book should they wish to do so. We shall be celebrating this event with school activities which will be shared with you via our digital platforms.

## **Extra – Curricular Clubs**

Extra-curricular clubs will return as normal this week. They will not run on the first week back after half term. During this week we will be releasing our new club timetable for the half term and allowing time for pupils to register to ensure that all clubs are appropriately staffed/resourced etc.

## **Parental Feedback and New Curriculum for Wales 2022**

Just a gentle reminder that the opportunity for parents to express any feedback they may have for school, and to opt for how best suits parents for our new curriculum information to be shared is available via the below link:

[https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=Ug4\\_TzS3ZEGUCRtgHRR5k-DTl6LMr41NnFhmeK2y63NUQjINSzdXR0lXRjg4RUM2VTYxQk80NFQwNc4u](https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=Ug4_TzS3ZEGUCRtgHRR5k-DTl6LMr41NnFhmeK2y63NUQjINSzdXR0lXRjg4RUM2VTYxQk80NFQwNc4u)

All feedback provided will be anonymous and both positive and constructive comments will allow me to work with staff to ensure the opinions of all parents are heard and accounted for. The link will be live for the remainder of this week, and I would like to thank you in advance for your responses.

### **Staffing Update**

As we come to the end of our school half term, I wish to inform you of a slight staffing change within the Reception / Year 1 class. Unfortunately, we shall be saying goodbye to Miss J. Griffiths as she embarks on another opportunity within her career – we wish her all the very best for the future. In her place will be Miss C. Williams who will be working alongside Miss Harris on a Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. We are excited to welcome to Miss Williams to our Tanyfron family.

### **Drop off and Pick Up Time**

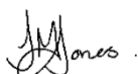
Could I please take this opportunity to remind all parents about being mindful during drop off and pick up times. Whilst we appreciate that parking is extremely difficult around school can we please remind drivers of the following issues/concerns –

- Please DO NOT park on the yellow zig zag lines at any point throughout the day including after school when picking up from Dragons. The lines are there to provide a passing point and keep traffic moving.
- Please do not block the driveways of local residents both on Tanyfron Road and St. Albans Road.
- Please be mindful at the top of Tanyfron Road where the pavement comes to an end. Please ensure that parents/guardians have appropriate access to continue their journey in the safest possible manner.
- Please be mindful of where and how you park your vehicle and ensure all parents/guardians are able to continue on their journey in the safest possible manner.

I would also like to communicate to all parents, that should there be any issues arising from parking or access that is causing a health and safety issue during drop off and pick up times, please inform a member of staff in school. As a school we would like to ensure that all matters are dealt with appropriately and avoid any confrontation between parents moving forwards.

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,



Mrs J. Jones  
Headteacher