



# Ysgol Yr Holl Saint All Saints' School

*A Voluntary Aided Church in Wales School*



## Cylchlythyr – Newsletter – 08.11.2024

Dear parents and carers,

It has been a pleasure to welcome our pupils back to school after the October Half Term break. We have set eagerly to work across our classes and one or two Christmas songs have started to be learnt in advance of our Christmas performances later in the term.

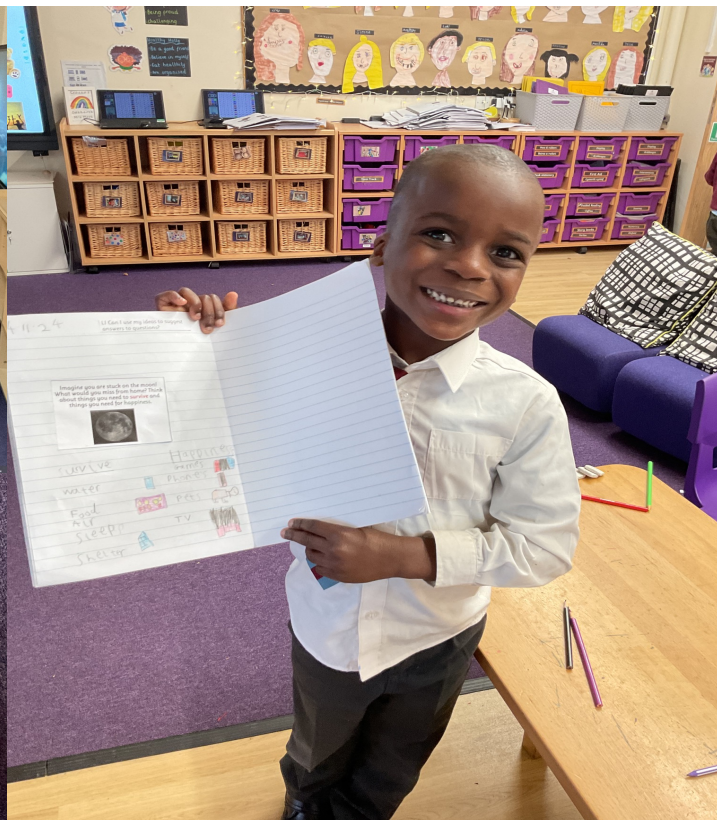
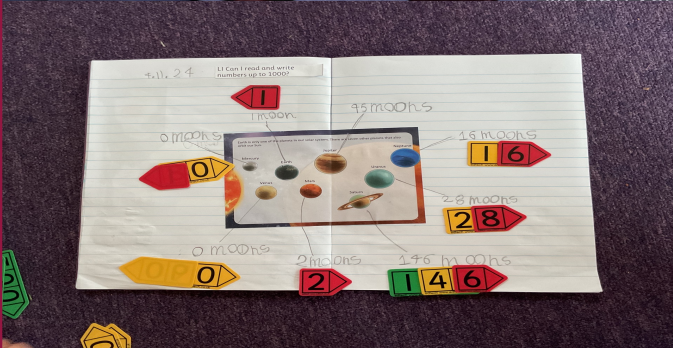
I will be sharing our Christmas Planner towards the end of next week which has all of our key Christmas dates on for your records, these are all also loaded onto our school calendar. With so much going on across our school, it can be hard to keep up with everything, so please so subscribe to the website calendar so you don't miss anything.

Our **Eco Day of Action** is taking place today and we are incredibly grateful to everyone who has volunteered to come along and help make our school campus an even nicer place to learn and play.

I am away from school at the start of next week undertaking an inspection of another school. Please do not hesitate to contact Mr Holmes in my absence through the school office should you require any support at all. I hope you have a lovely weekend. **Diolch, Mr Hatwood**

### Blwyddyn 1 & 2- Space

This week we have continued with our space topic. We have found out how many moons each of the planets have and have represented these numbers using place value cards. We have also been thinking about what we would take with us into space and how we can keep healthy.



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## Blwyddyn 3 & 4- KiVa Session

Children in Year 3 and 4 have been learning about the KiVa rules that the school follows. They have worked in groups to come up with scenarios and then thought of ways they could support each other.



## Derbyn - Firework themed activities

Reception have been busy this week with firework themed activities such as making and tasting bonfire toast.



## Reception-Bonfire Night

This week in Reception we have been finding out about bonfire night. We enjoyed creating firework pictures and toasting marshmallows in Forest School. We have been busy making firework toast using different food colourings. It was fun to make and very delicious!







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## Blwyddyn 3 & 4- Fencing

Dosbarth Beaumaris had a fantastic opportunity to learn about the sport Fencing. We had Mike and Cora show us the equipment used and have a demonstration. We all loved being able to see how fencing is played and enjoyed playing some games to test our speed.



## The Big Toddle'

This week our Adventurers, Explorers and Discoverers went on the 'Big Toddle' walk! It was great fun for everyone!



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## Blwyddyn 3 & 4- Street Dance

Linking with the class text of Boudica's Army, the children in Year 3 and 4 have been learning a Boudica themed street dance. They have showed excellent team work and determination for this very fast paced performance!



## Meithrin -Diwali and Bonfire celebrations

Nursery have been busy making bonfire and firework pictures. To celebrate Diwali, they have also made Diva lamps.



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## Blwyddyn 5- Cardiff Trip

Pupils in Year 5 have had a wonderful visit to Cardiff. They have visited the 'Big Pit' and Aberfan as part of their studies on the way to the Urdd Centre in Cardiff. We extend a big thank you to the staff who have given up their time to make the visit possible and for giving the children this excellent opportunity!



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### Blwyddyn 6- Bikeability

Our year 6 pupils have had the opportunity to take part in cycle training this week. They have been learning road safety skills and have been riding safely on the roads around the village. All of the children were very sensible and showed great skills - well done Year 6!



### Blwyddyn 1 & 2- Counting on

Children in Year 1 and 2 have been working hard on counting in 2's.



### Fundraiser

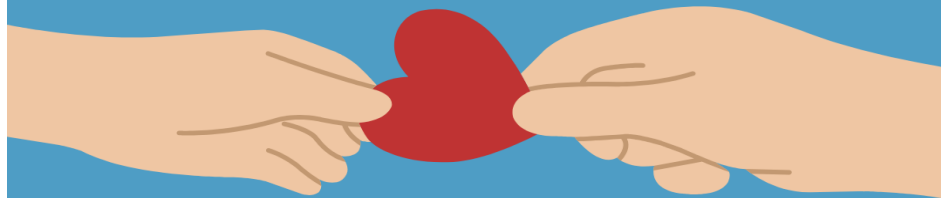
We are incredibly grateful to Freddie Pritchard's family for donating the amount of money the school needs to purchase a new defibrillator. This very generous donation to the school will make a huge difference to our community.

In view of this very generous donation, we will still hold our non-uniform day on **Friday 22nd November 2024** to raise funds to purchase an outdoor case and storage unit for the new defibrillator. This will widen access and make the defibrillator available 365 days of the year, 24 hours a day.



## DEFIBRILLATOR FUNDRAISER

**Our school defibrillator has come to the end of its life and we are fundraising to replace this. We need to raise £900.**



**NON UNIFORM DAY - ALL SAINTS' SCHOOL**

**FRIDAY 22ND NOVEMBER 2024**

**DONATIONS VIA PARENT PAY OR IN CASH**



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### Blwyddyn 5- Cardiff Trip

More pictures from our trip to Cardiff!



## Breakfast & Teatime Club



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Bookings for Breakfast and Teatime Club for next week close **at 10am on a Friday for the next week**. Please make sure you book and make payment for places before bookings close, late bookings received will not be accommodated. **Due to a very high number of requests, we are no longer able to amend or cancel/credit bookings, so please do book carefully.**

Bookings must be made online using the online booking and payment system and **payment must be made at the time of booking**, unless using the 30 Hour Childcare offer to pay for your child's place. Staff will be completing final matching of payments weekly on Friday just after 10am and any payments not received will result in bookings being cancelled. **These will not be able to be rebooked.**



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## Christmas Activities

We are delighted to share news of our Christmas activities for pupils and the community! A highlight of the festive season is always our Quiz and Stew Evening which will take place this year on **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2024** from 6pm - 8pm.

Pupils will be bringing raffle tickets home this evening for our Christmas Raffle which will be drawn on the same evening. Our top prizes this year include a PlayStation 5 and a signed Wrexham Football Club Top! The Wrexham top was kindly donated by Freddie Pritchard's family and we are very grateful for their kindness in donating this excellent prize. Other prizes will include hampers and cash prizes! You have to be in it, to win it!



## Attendance and Punctuality

Attendance has dipped this week and issues of pupils arriving late have increased. We are working with the Local Authority and will be writing again to parents and carers where attendance is causing concerns to develop plans to support pupils in attending school regularly, and on time.

Class	Attendance	Punctuality
Nursery - Miss Williams	100%	0 sessions
Early Years - Mrs Parker	94%	2 sessions
Early Years - Mrs Baker	95%	5 sessions
Year 1/2 - Mrs Coombes	89%	2 sessions
Year 1/2 - Mrs Mort	96%	2 sessions
Year 1/2 - Mrs Speed	92%	3 sessions
Year 3 - Miss Sedgwick	90%	5 sessions
Year 3/4 - Mrs Wright	95%	0 sessions
Year 4 - Mrs Shelmerdine	94%	2 sessions
Year 5 - Mr Holmes	96%	1 session
Year 6 - Mr Szymura	91%	1 session
Year 6 - Miss Jones	87%	0 sessions
Whole School	93%	23 sessions



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