



Cylchlythyr – Newsletter – 02.02.2024



Dear parents and carers,

We have had a very enjoyable week in school with some excellent learning taking place across the school. On Wednesday, the Furious Flames made it through to the National Finals of the F1 in Schools competition. We are incredibly proud of them.

Could we ask for your support in ensuring all absences are reported daily to 01978 852342 or attendance@allsaints-pri.wrexham.sch.uk.

We move forward towards half term next week and look forward to our Year 5 visit to Glan Llyn, we hope pupils will have a wonderful time.

Have a lovely weekend,

Diolch, Mr Hatwood.

Healthy Snacks

Unfortunately, we have seen a big increase in the number of unhealthy snacks coming into school for morning breaktime. Could we ask for your support, from Monday, in ensuring only healthy snacks are sent into school for breaktimes and that pupils bring water into school for their drinks. There is a legal duty from Welsh Government to ensure schools promote healthy eating in schools.

Fruit and vegetables should be the only snack at break times in primary schools because:

- they are a good source of **fibre, vitamins and minerals**;
- they are naturally low in calories, helping to **maintain a healthy weight**;
- eating a variety of fruit and vegetables can help to **prevent a range of health issues** such as bowel problems, cardiovascular disease and some cancers; and,
- consumption of fruit and vegetables is below recommended levels, of at least **5 portions per day**.



Breakfast & Teatime Club



Breakfast and Teatime Club / Holiday Club

Bookings for Breakfast and Teatime Club for next week close **at 10am on a Friday for the next week**. We are pleased to announce that our capacity across the setting has now increased meaning we can cater for up to 100 children across the site in Breakfast, Teatime and Holiday Club.

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. **February Half Term bookings are now also open and close on Thursday 8th February 2024 at 10am.**

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Superheroes - Blwyddyn 1 a 2

Pupils in Year 1 and 2 been busy exploring real life superheroes this week as part of their unit of work. They used ICT and other clues to help find out and present their findings to the rest of the class.



We extend a big well done to Esme for winning
Gymnast of the Year Award!

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Reception – Mr Wolf and the Three Little Pigs

As part of their current unit of work, pupils in Reception have been building houses ready to test, to find out which is the strongest and which Mr Wolf won't be able to blow away! Some excellent team working – well done!

TOP 3 PUPILS BASED ON... MOST MINUTES PLAYED OVER THE LAST 7 DAYS

OUT OF EVERYONE IN

DOSBARTH BEAUMARIS, DOSBARTH BODELWYDDAN, DOSBARTH CAERGWRLE, DOSBARTH CHIRK, DOSBARTH CONWY, DOSBARTH CRICCIETH, DOSBARTH DINAS BRAN, DOSBARTH GWYRCH, DOSBARTH PEMBROKE, DOSBARTH POWIS, DOSBARTH

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Year 5 & 6 - F1 in Schools Regional Finals

Our F1 in Schools teams enjoyed competing in the Regional Finals in Denbigh this week. All pupils worked very hard, developed some excellent pit displays and spoke very well in their presentations. After a very competitive day, the Furious Flames finished in third place for the region, earning them a spot in the National Finals in Rotherham next month!

The project gives pupils scope to develop so many skills, from numeracy, team working and agility to communication, investigation and design. We are incredibly proud of every pupil who took part in the school and regional events, giving every child the opportunity to take part is at the centre of our philosophy and we look forward to the next round of the competition.



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Nursery
Admissions
September 2024

School Admissions

Applications to join our **Early Education provision in April 2024** for those pupils who turn three during the Spring Term are now open, please contact playgroup@allsaints-pri.Wrexham.sch.uk for further information.

Applications for admission into **Nursery in September 2024** are also open and details of our Open Days are available from the school office, mailbox@allsaints-pri.Wrexham.sch.uk

The Governing Body will be soon applying the school Admissions Policy to Reception admissions and making offers in line with the Local Authority Offer Day on **16th April 2024**.

We look forward to welcoming you to our school family



Blwyddyn 1 & 2 - Forest Schools

Pupils in Year 1 and 2 had an enjoyable session in Forest School this week developing lots of new team work and problem solving skills - well done Year 1 and 2!



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Blwyddyn 5 - Chess

Pupils have continued to enjoy their chess sessions in school this week and have played very well. The sessions have helped develop problem solving skills and we look forward to a competition with Llay School very soon!



TOP 3 PUPILS WITH THE HIGHEST IMPROVEMENT IN ACCURACY

OUT OF EVERYONE IN

Dosbarth Abertawe, Dosbarth Beaumaris, Dosbarth Bodelwyddan, Dosbarth Caergwrle, Dosbarth Conwy

IN THE LAST 7 DAYS ARE...

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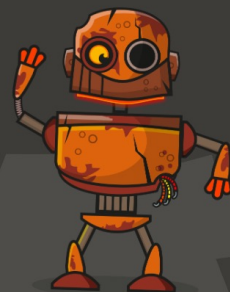
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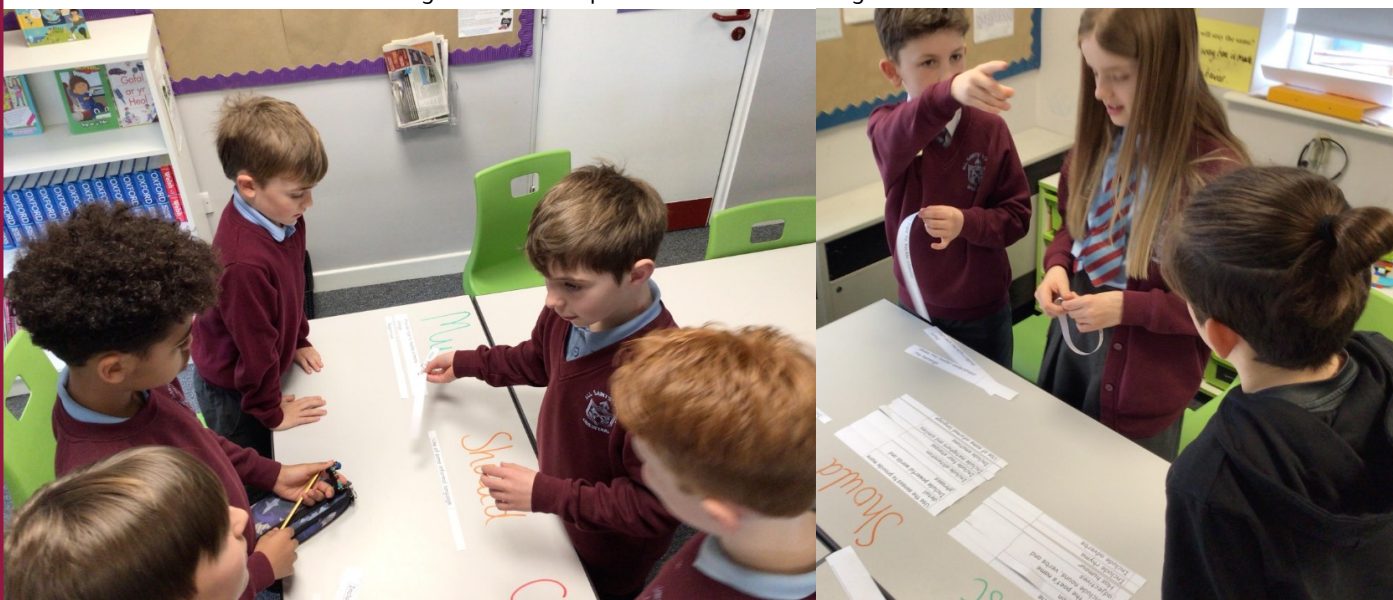
Blwyddyn 3 & 4 - Expressive Arts

Pupils have continued their Expressive Arts work on John Dyer and took part in a 'Paint along with John' from The Eden Project. They focussed on applying generous amounts of acrylic paint and making different leaf patterns to build a rainforest scene with bats in the background. During the session John talked about the habitat of the bats and the importance of protecting our rainforests for the future.



Blwyddyn 5 - Mr Phormula

Pupils in Year 5 have followed up their workshops with Mr Phormula last week to work in groups to generate success criteria to use when writing their own rap about Climate Change!



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Blwyddyn 3 & 4 - Conditions to Grow

Pupils wanted to find out what grows in a rainforest. To help answer this question they are learning about the conditions of growth for plants. Earlier this week, pupils planned an investigation to see what are the best conditions for cress seeds to grow in. They have given one set of seeds no light, one no water and one no heat. There is also a control set so that pupils can observe and make comparisons.



Blwyddyn 1 & 2 - Cymraeg

Pupils have been busy writing dialogues in Welsh and then practising these with friends - da iawn chi!



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Careers and Work Related Education

As part of the Curriculum for Wales it is important that all pupils learn about careers available within certain sectors. All year groups will focus on introducing careers within their topic lessons. To make this authentic, we would like to ask parents / carers if they would be willing to talk to children about their career or job role and what it entails.

If you would be willing to share your experiences with the children about your role, please complete the following questionnaire. If you know someone else who might be able to help, please can you share the following link:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=Ug4_TzS3ZEGUCRtgHRR5k0640nsM13xOloISiB5-G1FUNONSSkU3QURMNDFXNVhJRNHRzdOQTJWRS4u



Attendance and Punctuality

We are now tracking punctuality using the electronic sign in system and have written to parents/carers where concerns exist. We have seen a big improvement in punctuality this week, with a reduction in sessions late to school. Let's keep the focus up on getting to school on time!



Class	Attendance	Punctuality
Nursery - Miss Williams	100%	0 sessions
Early Years - Mrs Parker	97%	4 sessions
Early Years - Mrs Speed	96%	3 sessions
Year 1/2 - Mrs Mort	94%	0 sessions
Year 1/2 - Mrs Coombes	95%	4 sessions
Year 1/2 - Mrs Wright	98%	3 sessions
Year 3 - Mrs Baker	95%	1 session
Year 3/4 - Miss Sedgwick	97%	0 sessions
Year 4 - Mrs Shelmerdine	97%	0 sessions
Year 5 - Mr Holmes	95%	3 sessions
Year 6 - Mr Szymura	85%	2 sessions
Year 6 - Miss Jones	97%	1 session
Whole School	95.7%	21 sessions

Equates to:



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