## Newsletter 18 - 3rd March 2024

Please see the following latest news:

## 1] Sponsored Walk - Forms tomorrow

We are looking to raise some money for EXTRA trips for each of the 3 classes. Money raised will be split equally between them and 20% will be given to Parkinsons UK.

## 2] Our St David's Day Eisteddfod

Thank you for the fantastic support today. The children performed very well through song, dance, recitation also their art and craft.

The **GREEN / GWYRDD** team had the most points and won the cup. **Pictures to follow this week.** Thank you to Mrs Whilding for organising and Miss John for making and leading the refresshments, assisted by year 6 pupils and Mrs Woolhouse.

## 3] Saturday - URDD Eisteddfod in Llanfyllin

Well done to Alfie P. for perfroming his recitation so well.

Congratulations to William, Katherine, Ruby, Ted, Ralph, Jeffrey, Anthony, Freddie, Alfie P., Neive, Oliver W. and Esme who were a credit to themselves and their parents, singing in a group. Although they did not get in the top 2, they were fantastic! Massive thanks to Mrs Woolhouse for preparing them over the weeks and conducting, ably asisted by Mrs Whilding. Grateful thanks to the parents for bringing their children on what was a very long afternoon.



<u>This week</u>

Monday 4-8th Student teachers return for a week in classes 2 & 3

**Tuesday 5th** Class 3 are having visitors to talk about tree planting.

Criw Cymraeg visit Arddleen School with Mr Jones and Miss Parker - permission details link below (only the parents of Criw Cymraeg children - Callum, Alfie, Olivia, Max S., Magenta and Joseph). https://forms.office.com/e/HCw0es4tL9 Please reply by 4pm on Monday.

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> Classes 2 & 3 are all invited to Ysgol Llanfyllin to take part in the Cross Country (weather permitting). All of the pupils in class 2 & 3 will go, to run or cheer the runners on. Please can you send £1 into school on Monday or Tuesday towards the bus cost. They will be travelling by bus and away from 9:30am – 12:50pm. They will have school dinners as usual. They will just need a water bottle, snack and to wear warm sports clothes with their yellow school top to run in.

Permission details for classes 2 & 3 on the link below. <a href="https://forms.office.com/e/6ydTSriYpD">https://forms.office.com/e/6ydTSriYpD</a>
Please fill in permission link here by 12pm on Tuesday.

Thursday 7th World Book Day - Dress as a book character of your choice.

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> BINGO @ 6pm - Class 3 are holding a bingo in The Village Hall - If you have a raffle of bingo prize you would like to donate, then please could you send it in on **Monday or Tuesday** this week. Thank you.

Sun 10th March - Mother's Day

Wed 13<sup>th</sup> March – Swimming Gala morning at The Flash (Welshpool) – As we have not swam this school year, we will be speaking to the children about this (classes 2 & 3) tomorrow. Confident deep end swimmers who can swim at least 50metres will be needed to make our team. Please fill in the form below by 12pm on TUESDAY, to tell us, if your child fits these criteria and is interested in going to compete. <a href="https://forms.office.com/e/bnsMApCFYA">https://forms.office.com/e/bnsMApCFYA</a>

We are looking to book swimming lessons, for all pupils, in the summer term.

Thur 14th March - Fluoride Varnish (Class 1) & Mr Huw Ellis IMPACT Assembly

Fri 15<sup>th</sup> March - Red Nose Day - The School Council will be organising activities.

Mon 18th March - National Library of Wales visit for Class 3 to Aberystwyth.

Thur 21st March – Sponsored Walk (See above)

Easter – Saturday March 23<sup>rd</sup> – Sunday April 7<sup>th</sup>

Easter Sunday is March 31st

Parents Evenings – First week after Easter Mon April 8th – Fri April 12th

Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> April – Outdoor Education – Bala for class 3

Half-term (Sat 25<sup>th</sup> May – Sat 2<sup>nd</sup> June) Wales Finals of Eisteddfod @ Mathrafal (Meifod)