

# Ysgol Meifod Newsletter 18 – 29<sup>th</sup> March 2025

- 1. Wheelathon 2025** - This was a GREAT success. Thank you to those who have sent in the money already. **Please could those who have yet to do this please send in any remaining money by Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April.**



- 2. Swimming Galas**

Mrs Whilding would like to congratulate the following children for taking part and swimming so well, in the swimming gala today, only one of the children had taken part before:

Class 1 - Ewan, Kiera, Zosha, Lyla

Class 2 - Joseph, Max S., Jaicee, Edward

Class 3 - Ted, Freddie, Ralph, James, Tom, Hughie, Arthur, Anthony, Issa

There were heats, and 3 other galas to complete the 4 areas. Although no-one got through this year, they were all swam well and were a credit.

- 3. Funerals**

**Wednesday** - There is a funeral in the village and the village hall and carpark will be used in the afternoon. The funeral is of a well-known local family member.

- 4. Gymnastics**

A MASSIVE congratulations to ALL of the children who took part in the School's gymnastics competition at Border Counties in Oswestry today.

Your behaviour was exemplary and commented on by others there. You had fantastic enthusiasm and were so supportive of each other – those nerves soon disappeared!

We had some absolutely brilliant results:

Ysgol Meifod White – Ella, Georgie, Anthony, Freddie – Team 3rd place! 🏅

Ysgol Meifod Red – Lyla, Sienna, Rosie, Edie, Magenta – Team 3rd place! 🏅

Ysgol Meifod Green – Penny, Georgia, Jaicee, Lilly, Kiera – Team 3rd place! 🏅

Ysgol Meifod Yellow – Lenny, Alfie, James W, Ewan, Issa – Team 1st place! 🏆 plus a shiny trophy! 🏆

We also had individual medals:

James W – 2nd 🏅 Anthony – 3rd 🏅 Lenny – 4th Ewan – 5<sup>th</sup> Freddie – 6th

What a brilliant day – GO TEAM MEIFOD 🏆 Thank you to those who supported us to enable this to happen!





We have never committed to this with more than 3 children before. We are delighted that so many put themselves forward and took part so brilliantly today! We are trying to give as many opportunities as we can.

Thank you to Mrs Whilding and Lyla's Mum for helping with the training and taking the children, assisted by Mrs K.



A massive THANK YOU to Joey's parents for sourcing and printing the T-Shirts, which we can use for Team Events from now on.

Tiny Tots playgroup very kindly sponsored the £100 entry for the teams. They also gave each gymnast a gift for taking part. A big THANK YOU to Tracey Frost and the Tiny Tots.

## 5. Partial Eclipse

**Partial Eclipse on Saturday** between 10am and 12pm.

Kiera's mum has ordered and got a pair of special glasses for each child to use on Saturday. Thank you ever so much.

Feeding back / finding out about an eclipse will be homework this weekend.



## 6. Book Fair is here

– The book fair was a great success yesterday. Thank you to all who supported it.

It will still be with on Monday and Tuesday if anyone missed it. Card only payments. Thank you to Mrs Woolhouse and Mrs K for sorting out the fair.

### This week

Monday 31<sup>st</sup> March at 3:30pm in class 3 - **Friends of Ysgol Meifod meeting**

Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April **Parent's Evenings** – Final sheet attached – A few names not showing will be seen at a separate time.

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April **Parent's Evenings** – Final sheet attached – A few names not showing will be seen at a separate time.

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April - **Spring Fair** 2:30pm in the Village Hall – All welcome.

### Dates for your diary:

4 Mar 24-29 <sup>th</sup>	24 <sup>th</sup>	25 <sup>th</sup> Swimming gala (Llanfyllin)	26 <sup>th</sup>	27 <sup>th</sup> Schools Gymnastics Competition	28 <sup>th</sup> Book Fair	Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup> Eisteddfod (Newtown)
5 Mar 31- Apr 4 <sup>th</sup>	31 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup> <b>Parent's Evening (1)</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup> <b>Parent's Evening (2)</b>	4 <sup>th</sup> <b>SPRING FAIR</b>	
6 Apr 7-11 <sup>th</sup>	7 <sup>th</sup>	8 <sup>th</sup> Swimming gala (4 areas)	9 <sup>th</sup> Huw Ellis IMPACT assembly	10 <sup>th</sup> Powys Cross Country	11 <sup>th</sup> Friends of School <b>Easter Bingo at COBRA POSTPONED</b>	

### Summer Term

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April to Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May

Bank Holiday (Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May)

Half-term

Non-pupil day (Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July)

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June to Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July

Swimming: **Thursdays 1<sup>st</sup> May, 8<sup>th</sup> May, 15<sup>th</sup> May, 22<sup>nd</sup> May**

New Date for our next fundraiser, more information to follow after the meeting on Monday. If you'd like to help or have suggestions for the fundraiser it would be great to see you there.



FRIENDS OF YSGOL MEIFOD

9<sup>th</sup> May

COBRA

Tuesday June 10 <sup>th</sup>	Our school sports afternoon 1:15pm
Friday June 13 <sup>th</sup>	Cricket Years 5 & 6
Friday June 27 <sup>th</sup>	Year 4 – Outdoor Education day at Red Ridge <a href="#">Redridge Centre - Home</a>
Thur/Fri July 3/4 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 – Llanfyllin High Transition Days
Monday July 7 <sup>th</sup>	Non-pupil day
Tuesday July 8 <sup>th</sup>	Leavers Assembly
Mon/Wed July 14-16 <sup>th</sup>	Class 3 – Outdoor Education day at Bala