

# Treowen Primary School

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**NEWSLETTER #1** 

Medi/September 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,



A very warm welcome to you all - for some a 'welcome back'.

The first week back has seen pupils settling well into classes, sharing of holiday news and planning of new topics. Our topic 'launch day' is Monday 12<sup>th</sup> September - you should have received information about this directly from class teachers. We have been busy updating our class email contact lists. A test email will be sent to each class by the end of the week. If you have not received the test email for your child's class by Friday, please provide us with an updated email address. You may have noticed a new structure on the front yard - a pod! This will be developed as a sensory pod over the next half term, providing a suitable space to meet pupils' sensory needs. The next step is to connect it to the electricity supply. Thank you, Team Treowen

### **Breakfast Club**



Now has its own FB page!
£1.50 per session per child for arrivals before 8.20am (via ParentPay)
Bookings via the online link shared on FB and sent regularly via email.
Bookings to be made by Friday for the following week, or in a block for the half term.

There is no charge for those entitled to free school meals regardless of arrival time.

Please support breakfast club – use it or lose it!!

## School Uniform

It's great to see our pupils looking smart and ready to learn in uniform. If you require any items, including PE kit, please contact the school office.

Please label all items!

#### **PHYSICAL EXERCISE**

Pupils are requested to wear PE kits on the necessary days for the present, this is currently under review: Dinas – Wednesdays
Ceiriog – Thursdays
Gelli – Tuesdays
Colwyn – Mondays
Cledan – Wednesdays
Dosbarth Colwyn will start swimming on Tuesdays from next week.



# Holiday dates for 2022 - 2023

School term dates for the 2022 - 2023 year are on the Powys County website

https://en.powys.gov.uk/article/1166/School-Term-Dates

Please aim to book holidays during school holidays. If you wish to apply for authorised absence during term time, request a form from school and return it 4 weeks before the dates requested. Each request will be considered on a case by case basis based on previous attendance and the reasons for the request.

#### **Pupil Medications**

If your child has a medication regularly available (e.g. asthma inhalers, anti-histamine, epipens), please ensure these items are in school and within their expiry date.

**Short term medications** (e.g. antibiotics) can be given if they are prescribed by a pharmacist or GP, are required during school hours and a medication request form has been completed.

#### Class Names

Just a reminder of the new class names as voted for by pupils:

Dosbarth Dinas - reception and year pupils with Miss Davies (M+T) and Mrs Green (W+Th+F)

Dosbarth Ceiriog - year 2 and 3 with Mr Picken and Miss Williams (F)

Dosbarth Gelli - year 3 and 4 with Miss Gibson

Dosbarth Colwyn - year 5 and 6 with Mrs Jones and Mrs Owen (W)

**Dosbarth Cledan** – year 5 and 6 with Mrs Williams



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## **Contact information**

This is VITAL for if we need to contact you in an emergency, and to keep you up to date with school information and news.

Please ensure that all changes to contact details are shared with school immediately.

## Dates for the term... (and advance warning of events and possible costs)

Tues 13th Sept: Y6 poetry workshop at Powis Castle in the morning – fully funded

Mon 26th Sept: Outdoor week (Mon – Colwyn, Tues – Dinas, Wed – Gelli, Thurs – Ceiriog, Fri – Cledan) –

please send your child in suitable clothing for the day

Fri 30th Sept to Wed 5<sup>th</sup> Oct: Book Fayre open after school to 4pm in the Hall

Fri 30th Sept: Macmillan Fund Raiser – cake stall (donations from home gratefully received)

Fri 30<sup>th</sup> Sept: Christmas Card orders open (designs to be sent home for viewing)

Mon 10th Oct: Cluster INSET day – school closed to pupils

Thur 20th Oct: 2.30pm Harvest Service with parents/carers – each class to perform an item, donations to

Food Bank welcomed.

Fri 21st Oct: Show Racism the Red Card Day

Week of Monday 24th Oct – Parent/Carer evening week – appointments will be provided

Fri 18th Nov: Children in Need – further information to follow

Thur 1st Dec: Winter Fayre – after school – class stalls, get some Christmas presents!

Mon 5<sup>th</sup> Dec: Chaplins Theatre presenting 'Goldilocks' at the school for 3+, Rec, Y1 and Y2 – fully funded.

Thurs 8th Dec: 1.15pm Theatr Hafren (Demon Dentist) for Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6 - fully funded.

Wed 14th Dec: 2pm and 6pm Christmas concert performances for Dinas, Ceiriog and Gelli (in school)

Thurs 15th Dec: 2pm and 6pm performances for Colwyn and Cledan (venue and date to be confirmed)

**Friday 16**<sup>th</sup> **Dec**: Christmas Jumper day - £1 donation to Save the Children

**Mon 19th Dec**: afternoon – Christmas parties

Tues 20th Dec: Christmas Dinner Day

Wed 21st Dec: Carols Around the Tree - parents/carers invited, time to be confirmed

