



Ysgol Comins Coch



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Dear Parents,

Monday, 12 May 2008

It is hard to believe that it is only two weeks to Whitsun and the Year 6 children are reaching the end of their time here in school. They have just enjoyed a wonderful few days in Glanllyn, Bala and they were a credit to themselves, the school and their families. Thank you Year 6!

Congratulations also to the children who achieved great success in the Urdd National Cross Country Championship last week. All children who competed ran exceptionally well but special mention to Matthew Jones (1st) Rhys Norrington-Davies (2nd) and Emily Thomas (2nd) in all Wales. Well done!

Congratulations also to the "Book Quiz" children who won second in Ceredigion Libraries Welsh Books Quiz last month.

It is lovely to be able to praise such achievement by the children however we do have some other information that we need to share with you regarding activities over the coming weeks.

Following interviews held at school recently Miss Elen Huws has been appointed as the new Teacher for Dosbarth Derbyn. Miss Huws is currently teaching in Ysgol Penrhyncoch and we look forward to welcoming her to our staff in September.

As last year, the school will be fully involved in the Local Education Authority Trochi project where children will be increasing their use of Welsh over the last half term of the year. This year all classes will be increasing their use of Welsh in all lessons providing the opportunity for children to use their Welsh. The project is aimed directly at increasing children's confidence to speak Welsh and to use the Welsh they have already got. Please feel free to speak to the class teachers or Mr Fanning if you have any questions regarding the project.

Following discussions with the School Council arrangements have now been made for the annual School Trip. The trips will take place on Tuesday 15th of July; Derbyn, Year 1 and Year 2 will be going to Fantasy Farm in Llanrhystud; Years 3,4,5 & 6 will be going to Oakwood. Details and costings are on the slip below.

PTA have arranged a "Pamper and Shopping Evening" for this Thursday 15th in Penglais School. This is a new activity and there seems to be a little apprehension with slow ticket sales thus far. I have been asked to assure you that it has been organised as a social evening for ladies which should be a little fun and enjoyment for all you Mums. On a personal note I can vouch that all recent PTA activities have indeed been good fun and your support for the school would be very much appreciated. Sorry Dads, ladies only!

May I also remind parents that children who are in school before 8.45am must be in Breakfast club in the Hall and not on the yard or in classrooms.

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions you may have regarding these or any other matters.

Yours sincerely,
Tom Fanning

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