



## YSGOL GYNRADD A MEITHRIN STRYD SIORS GEORGE STREET PRIMARY & NURSERY SCHOOL

Wainfelin Road, Pontypool, Torfaen NP4 6BX

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Dear Parents/Carers

### YEAR 1 TRIP TO THE BEACH

This week, Year 1 thoroughly enjoyed their first coastal school experience! The children were in their element searching for and collecting creatures in the rock pools and learning all about them from Mrs Jones. Ask them to tell you what they now know about star fish and crabs.



### YEAR 5 SAFE CYCLING PROGRAMME

Year 5 are starting their safe cycling course on the 24th June. Letters have been sent home this week including all the information you need. Children will be completing 8 sessions and will then undertake a theory task and a practical test (5.7.24) which are assessed. Children will receive a certificate if they pass. Consent forms need to be handed back to teachers as soon as possible.

### DOGS ON SITE



I need to remind you that dogs are not permitted on school grounds (guide dogs excluded). This includes our outdoor areas, such as the school yards, field and pathways. Thank you for your cooperation.

### PEDESTRIAN SAFETY



After sharing a traffic incident in last week's newsletter, I find myself having to do the same again this week. I have received complaints about cars stopping and parking on the newly painted zig-zag lines outside our main entrance at the front of the school as well as the entrance on Conway

Road. Unfortunately, there has been a near miss this week which is unacceptable. Yellow zig-zag lines signify a strict no-stopping zone. This means you can't park there at all – even if the engine is still running. Bear in mind that this would be considered a waiting offence which, if you're caught, could land you with a penalty charge.



## **HEADTEACHER CERTIFICATE**

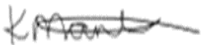
The headteacher certificate goes to leuan Donovan from Year 1. He is always super polite, always has a smile on his face and his enthusiasm for being in school is outstanding!

### **DIARY DATES**

<b>May 2024</b>	
17 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 4 Forest School Trip
22 <sup>nd</sup> May	Year 5 Picnic in the Park (parent event – more information to follow)
24 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 4 Forest School Trip

Have a wonderful weekend.  
Mwynhewch eich penwythnos.

Kind regards



K.Manley

