



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

Wainfelin Road, Pontypool, Torfaen NP4 6BX

Friday 17th May 2024

Dear Parents/Carers

This week, I had the pleasure of meeting a group of year 5 children to talk about the learning they have been taking part in. They spoke very passionately about the year group topic, Wonderful World. They were particularly passionate about littering and the negative impact it is having on the environment.

We also welcomed our School Improvement Partner, Mrs Nutall, to school on Tuesday. Myself, Mrs Ralph, Mr Taylor and Mrs Nutall visited year 5 and 6 to take part in literacy lessons. It was a very enjoyable morning, and it was wonderful to see the children having fun in their learning and working together.



OUT OF THIS WORLD HELPER

We were incredibly grateful for the invaluable assistance of a family helper last week, who dedicated time and creativity to work with our Year 2 students on crafting space models. They turned out magnificently and only cost us a cup of tea! This sort of family engagement highlights the power of community collaboration in nurturing the next generation of enterprising, creative contributors.

WALK TO SCHOOL WEEK

Walk to School Week UK is celebrated May 20th every year. This campaign encourages families to make every effort to walk all or some of the journey to school for the week. Please help us celebrate this campaign next week by walking to school as much as possible.

#LEAVERS2024

Attention has shifted to our leaver's assembly for our year 6 children. We have decided to add an additional concert date for extended family members. Please note: 4th July concert will be for extended family and 5th July is for parents/carers.

HEADTEACHER CERTIFICATE

The headteacher certificate goes to Logan Ivany from year 6. He understands why it is important to raise awareness of additional learning needs and is very keen to focus on ADHD. He is extremely mature and an asset to our school!

COMMUNITY LINKS



Hedgehog Helpline

will be at our school on Tuesday, 21st May, to talk about all things hedgehog as part of our Nature Festival.

Can you help?

By Donating:

- kitten, cat or small dog food (wet or dry)
- (e.g. Felix pouches, Tesco's dry kitten food)





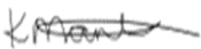
DIARY DATES

May 2024	
22 nd May	Year 5 Picnic in the Park (parent event)
24 th May	Year 4 Forest School Trip

June 2024	
6 th June	Year 2 Coastal Trip (SL's class)
7 th June	Year 2 Coastal Trip (SB's class)
14 th June	Year 2 Dads and Others Day Event (more information to follow)
17 th June	Year 1 Dads and Others Day Event (more information to follow)
19 th June	Reception New Intake Meeting at 9:15am
20 th June	Nursery New Intake Meeting at 9:15am Year 4 Coastal Trip
21 st June	Year 4 Coastal Trip
26 th June	Reception Parent Event – Come and Play (Bluebell) at 2:00pm
27 th June	Design to Smile 2 nd Fluoride Application for Foundation Phase
28 th June	Year 6 Leavers Assembly – including Year 5 (more information to follow)

Have a wonderful weekend.
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Kind regards


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