

YSGOL RHOSTYLLLEN

NEWSLETTER

APRIL 2025



WELCOME/CROESO

Dear Parents and Carers,

That's another term done! I can't believe it is the Easter holidays already. It feels like just moments ago we were starting the new school year, and now we're gearing up for our last term.

In today's newsletter, you will find important dates for your diary, detailing the various school summer events we have lined up.

As always, I would like to extend my thanks for your ongoing support towards the school. It genuinely makes a difference and creates a nurturing environment for our children to thrive.

I wish you all a lovely Easter break! Let's hope the lovely weather stays with us as we look forward to welcoming our students back for the final term of the year.

Diolch,
Mr H Rowlands

DATES FOR THE DIARY

- **Easter Holidays** - School closes Friday 11th April and re-opens on Tuesday 29th April.
- Training Day for staff on 28th April - School closed for children.
- School closed Monday 5th May - Bank Holiday
- Year 2 - Chester Zoo - May 14th
- Year 6 Cardiff - May 21st - May 23rd
- Year 5 - Class Assembly - May 23rd
- Year 4 - Class Assembly - June 6th
- Sports Day - Foundation Phase - June 10th 9am-12pm
- Sports Day - KS2 - June 11th 9am-12pm
- Year 3 - Class Assembly - June 13th
- Year 2 - Class Assembly - June 20th
- Meet the Teacher - June 23rd - Nursery, Reception, Year 2, 3, 4 & 6.
- Meet the Teacher - June 24th - Year 1, 3, 5
- Year 1 Class Assembly - June 27th
- Reception Class Assembly - July 4th
- Children Pupil Reports - July 11th
- Year 6 Night Out - July 14th
- Leavers Concert - July 17th 1:30pm
- July 18th - End of School Term

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EXTRA-CURRICULAR CLUBS

Extra-Curricular Clubs **will continue after half term.** A new round of clubs for different year groups. The club for Year 5 & 6 will be confirmed soon

Active Sports - Wednesdays - Year 5 & 6 - 3.15pm-4.15pm

Modern Foreign Languages - Wednesdays - Year 3 & 4 - 3.00pm-4.00pm

Lego Club - Wednesdays - Year 1 & 2 - 3.00pm-4.00pm

BOOK FAIR

Thank you for your wonderful support with our recent book fair. We are thrilled to announce that we raised an incredible £914.38! This fantastic amount means we can invest a brilliant £500 on new books for our school library.

URDD

A huge congratulations to all our fantastic pupils who took part in the regional finals at William Aston Hall on Saturday, April 5th! We're thrilled to share that out of three competitions, our school bagged an impressive first place in two of them! 🎉 A special mention goes to Charlotte from Year 2 and Tiana from Year 4, who will be proudly representing us in Port Talbot, South Wales. We wish them all the best.

A massive diolch to Heidi, Erin, and the Parti for their exceptional effort as well. Coming second in their competitions is no small feat, and we're proud of you all! It's wonderful to see such talent and determination from our pupils.

Keep up the amazing work, everyone, and let's continue to support each other as we aim for even greater heights ahead!

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ATTENDANCE

Fantastic whole school attendance total of 97.5% for this week. That is absolutely brilliant.

Overall attendance for the whole school since September is 94%

PTFA

I just wanted to take a moment to express my gratitude to the PTFA for all their hard work in organising the bingo night – it was a fantastic success! It was wonderful to see so many of you there, enjoying the evening alongside the children.

A massive thank you as well for your efforts in selling the raffle tickets; it certainly paid off! I'm thrilled to share that the PTFA raised an **incredible £1371.19** from the night, which will greatly benefit our school community.

As I've mentioned in previous newsletters, the spirit here at Ysgol Rhostyllen is absolutely brilliant, and it's events like these that truly bring us all together. Thank you once again for your unwavering support and enthusiasm. Here's to more fantastic events in the future!

SCHOOL COUNCIL

As you might remember, our school council did a fantastic job in securing water bottles for each pupil. After the half term, we'll be distributing these bottles to the children, and they'll be able to use them for water in the classroom and out of the classroom if they wish. We'll be ensuring that all bottles are washed at school, so they'll always be clean and ready for use. A special thank you to Hafren Dyfrdwy for their contribution!