

Ysgol Gynradd Gatholig St Anthony
St Anthony's Catholic Primary School
Newyddlen Tymor y Hydref- 24 Tachwedd 2017
Newsletter - Autumn Term - November 24th 2017
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NEW Website address:- www.stanthonyscatholic.co.uk

GAIR YR WYTHNOS/PHRASE OF THE WEEK:-

Wyt ti'n mwynhai ysgol?
Do you enjoy school?



STARS OF THE WEEK - SEREN Y WYTHNOS



DA IAWN/WELL DONE!

Class 1 - Aidan De Guzman
Class 2 Logan Davies
Class 3 - Taylor Sansom O'Connor
Class 4 - Sian Collinson
Class 5 - Katelyn Jell
Class 6 - Kieran Collinson



English

Class 1 - Lawson Woods
Class 2 Nathan Edwardson
Class 3 - Cody O'Gorman
Class 4 Alfie Parker
Class 5 Isla Cumming
Class 6 Sophie Gray-Barnes



Maths

Class 1 - Bobby Harvey
Class 2 - India Minicki
Class 3 - Robertson Ngwa
Class 4 - Corey Bailey
Class 5 - Kensy Colegate
Class 6 - Josh Nuttall



Welsh

Class 1 Jedidiah Silverson
Class 2 Elijah Arends
Class 3 Imogen Green
Class 4 Fletcher Belton
Class 5 Billy Ellis-Reid
Class 6 Ethan Davies-Keilty



Attendance scores from last week of term

From 13/11/17 to 17/11/17 are;

Class 1: 91.8%
Class 2: 85.2%
Class 3: 94.8%
Class 4: 87.7%
Class 5: 90.4%
Class 6: 95.4%



Our target is 95%

Our attendance scores have been very low recently. Please do not take holidays in term time. Prolonged absence from school does affect academic performance. Mrs Rathbone recently sent out very important literature about having good attendance. If your child does not regularly attend school (over 95%) their school work and attainment is very likely to be hindered.

Let's cycle to London and back!!!!

Please keep the 9th December in your diaries to help St Anthony's with this huge fundraising scheme with the help of Nike, Broughton Park.

Please find attached our sponsorship form so you can ask friends, family and neighbours to help us raise funds for our school.

IMPORTANT - Please could parents let Mrs Edwards in the office know what time you plan to be at the Nike Store in Broughton Park on the 9th December 2017 so she can arrange times that people can pedal on the bike.



CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY THURSDAY 14TH^T DECEMBER (CHRISTMAS DINNER DAY) - ALL PROCEEDS TO SAVE THE CHILDREN

All children are welcome to wear a Christmas Jumper on the 14th December. Please be kind enough to bring in a donation for Save the Children.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION - ADVERSE WEATHER CONDITIONS - The facility to receive information via mobile phones/PC's etc. informing parents of emergency school closures is now available. Please register using the following address: - www.flintshire.gov.uk/schoolclosureregistration - Please also find attached other means of finding out information as to whether the school will be closed.

GLAN LLYN - YEAR 6 ONLY - Please keep those deposits coming in to secure a place for your child. All deposits need to be in by **Thursday next week**.

FREE SCHOOL MEALS - If you think you are entitled to free school meals then please contact the office so you can fill out the relevant forms. If you do not complete these forms then you will receive a lunch bill. **DID YOU KNOW?????** The more families we have receiving Free School Meals, the more funding we will receive for our school so keep sending those forms in!!!!

NEW RECEPTION 2018 - If you know of anyone who wants to join our new Reception in 2018 please ask them to contact the school office. However, the closing date for all applications is today but as we are a voluntary aided school and deal with all applications ourselves we may have some leeway. Nursery applications will go out in the New Year (apologies for the confusion as we previously advised that all Nursery applications needed to be in by the 24th).

MUSIC - Please send in your £45 for this term, there are still parents who have not paid.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!!! - The Friends of St Anthony's require help from parents in fundraising and helping out. Please e-mail:- friendsofstanthonys@hotmail.com if you can support the friends.

TRAINING DAY - There will now be a training day on **Friday 22nd December**. Therefore, school will close on Thursday 21st December for the Christmas holidays. There will also be another training day on **Monday January 8th 2018**

BUY A BRICK - Sponsorship is running and a paper copy of all the details were sent out this week. Thank you to those parents who have already sent their money in we appreciate it very much!



CHRISTMAS REINDEER - The Friends of St Anthony's are busy helping our school at present. Father Christmas has replied and the Reindeer has provisionally been booked to arrive at St Anthony's on Wednesday December 13th from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm.



SALTNEY PARADE - Foundation Phase will again have a stall at the Saltney parade on 12th December - More details to follow!

CHRISTMAS PANTOMIME - The children voted for a Christmas Pantomime called Aladdin over Goldilocks and the Three Bears. This will be performed by a travelling theatre company in school. This will be subsidised by the Friends of St Anthony's. This has been booked for December 6th, 9:30 am start.



BAGS TO SCHOOL - Please send in your unwanted clothes/shoes to school. We need all clothes in by next Thursday, thanks.

DRAMA CLUB - The last drama session this term will be Thursday 30th November. Drama Club will re-start on Thursday 25th January

SCHOOL PLAYGROUND - Unfortunately the painting of the green shed did not go to plan. Although it looks very colourful it is still unfinished. The Friends of St Anthony's are working really hard to try and rectify this. If you are artistic in anyway and would like to help make our shed look finished then please either contact the office or one of the Friends of St Anthony's.

CLASS 5 SWIMMING - Unfortunately the children were unable to go swimming this week as the bus was stuck in traffic on the A483 and was too late to take them. We will add another lesson on the end so they will still get their 8 week programme.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

24th November - All applications must be in for new Reception 2018

Thursday 30th November - Bags to school collection day.

Thursday 30th November - all deposits to be in for Glan Llyn

December 6th - Christmas Pantomime

9th December - Cycle to London with Nike at Broughton Park

12th December - Saltney Parade

December 13th - Foundation Phase trip to Loggerheads to see Mrs Clause

Christmas Reindeer visiting school

December 14th - Christmas dinner for the children (not the 13th as originally advised) - Christmas Jumper Day!!!!

Foundation Phase Concert:- THESE DATES HAVE RECENTLY CHANGED, SORRY

Friday 15th December - Dress rehearsal

Monday 18th December - 10:15am Performance

Tuesday 19th December 2017 - 10:15am Performance

Wednesday 20th December 2017 - 10:15am Performance

KS2 - Years 3 to Year 6 - Christmas concert - St Anthony's Church - Tuesday 19th December at 6:00pm

20th December - School Disco

21st December - Own Clothes Day - School finishes for Christmas!

22nd December - Staff Training Day

**** BWYDLEN - MENU **** Week beginning 27th November 2017 Week 1 NEW MENU				
Dydd Llun Monday	Dydd Mawrth Tuesday	Dydd Mercher Wednesday	Dydd Iau Thursday +	Dydd Gwener Friday Training Day
Spaghetti Bolognese or Assorted Deli Wraps	Fish Fingers or Cottage Pie with Gravy	Roast Chicken Stuffing & Gravy or Macaroni Cheese	Homemade Pasty or BBQ Chicken Fillet	Hot Dog or Homemade Pizza Slice
Homemade Garlic Bread	Mash	Roast & Creamed Potatoes/Garlic Bread	Jacket Wedges	Chipped Potato
Coleslaw/Garden Peas	Peas	Fresh Seasonal Vegetables	Broccoli/Baked Beans	Vegetable Sticks
<i>J a c k e t P o t a t o e s , P a c k e d L u n c h a n d s a l a d s are available daily on request to the Kitchen</i>				
Fruit Shortbread	Chocolate Pudding	Raspberry Bun	Carrot Cup Cake	Orange Cookie
<i>Yoghurt, Fruit Salad and Fresh Fruit available daily</i>				

PRICES: Infants & Junior's £2.15 a day (£10.75 a week)These prices increase next week and will stay until further notice****

Please ensure that all cheques are made payable to Flintshire County Council
 Diolch - Thank you John Morgan 27 November 2017



If you would like your child/children to enjoy a Christmas lunch on Thursday 14th December then please complete the form below to let us know what pudding they would prefer so that the Kitchen staff can pre-order. Christmas dinner will be charged at the normal rate, £2.15.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH THURSDAY 14TH DECEMBER 2017



NAME OF CHILD:-----CLASS-----

I do/do not wish for my child to have Christmas Dinner on
WEDNESDAY 14TH December 2017.
 Please choose one of the following:-

Christmas Snowman Ice Cream (see below)



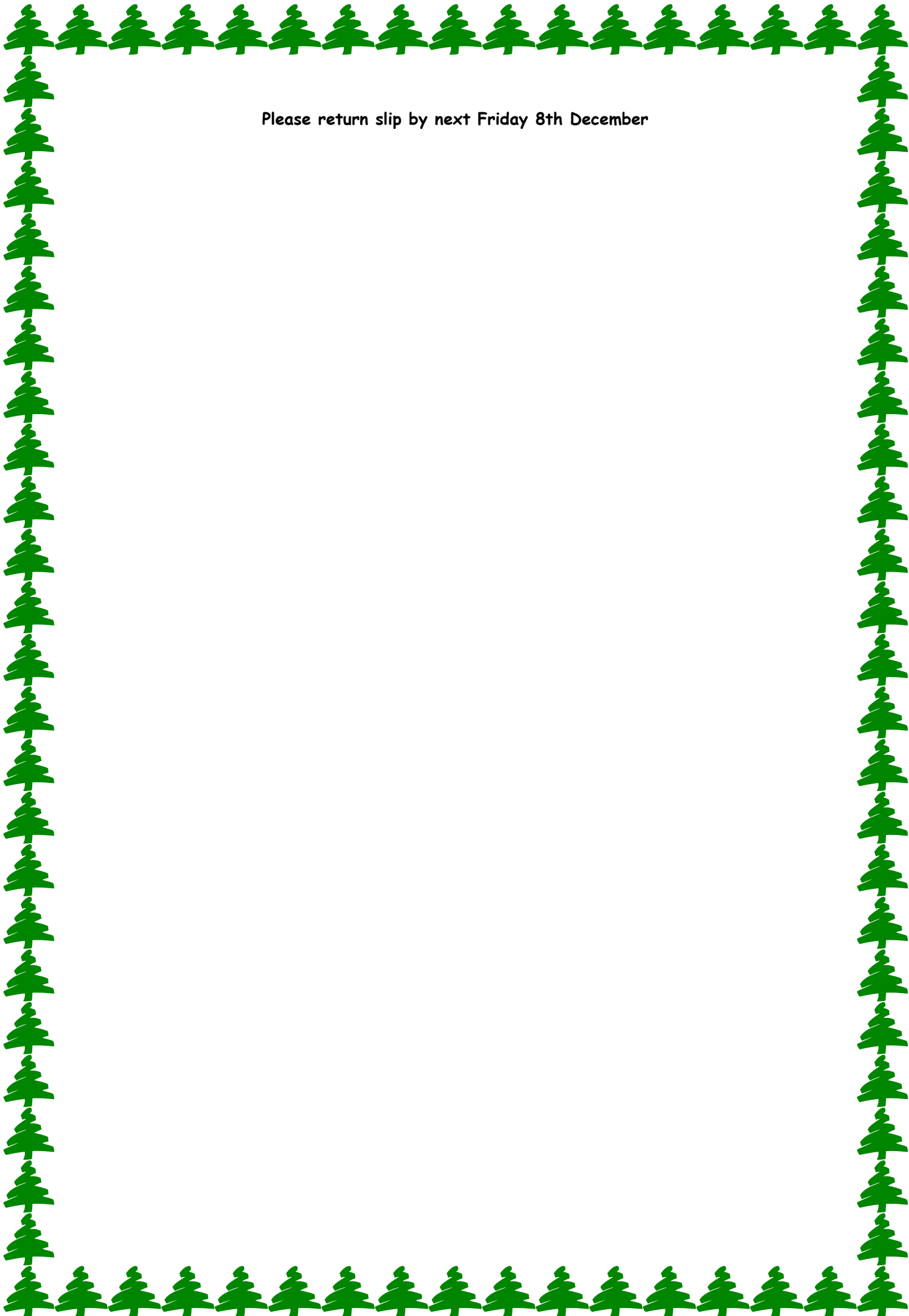
Christmas Pudding with custard



Christmas chocolate log



Mince Pie



Please return slip by next Friday 8th December