



**Ysgol Gynradd Gatholig St Anthony
St Anthony's Catholic Primary School
Newyddlen Tymor y Gwanwyn-Mehefin 23 2023
Newsletter - Spring Term -June 23rd 2023**



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ATTEND AND ACHIEVE! - Whole school attendance for this week is:88.9%
Please remember to phone school when your child is off to let us know or it will be recorded as an unauthorised absence. **Our school target is 96%.**



STAFF NEWS

After many outstanding years of service to St Anthony's Catholic Primary school, Mrs Durcan will be leaving at the end of the term. We all thank Mrs Durcan for her hard work, get up and go attitude. Mrs Durcan has put 100% into the life of St Anthony's over this time and we wish her good luck for the future.

Mr Davies will be leaving at the end of term. He has gained promotion and will become the assistant headteacher of Ysgol Trefnant in Denbighshire. Mr Davies has proven to be a very popular member of staff and we thank him for all his hard work especially for taking sporting teams.

Miss Pritchard is presently on maternity leave and officially leaves at the end of September. We wish her all the best for the future and thank her for her time at St Anthony's.

CLASS ORGANISATION FOR SEPTEMBER 2023

We have made a few changes to staffing positions for next year. Some teachers have been in the same year group for many years and it is good to have a refresh.

Foundation Phase

Mrs McNamee Mrs Mulgrew
Miss Franco (HLTA) Mrs Depono
Mrs Sullivan-Jones Miss Williams

Juniors - Years 3/4

Mrs Drew
Mrs Jones Mrs Penlington
Miss Williams Mr Morgan PPA

Juniors - Years 5/6

Mrs Gibbons Mrs Mulgrew
Mrs Penlington Mrs Jones

Additional needs support

Mrs McNamee - ALNCO and Senior teacher.
Miss Crocombe - Throughout the school. Elsa Support, Social groups, Friends Resilience and RILL Project.

SCHOOL TRIP - On Wednesday we had a lovely time at Blue planet Aquarium for our school trip.



RAFFLE WINNERS - The winners from the sports day raffle are;
Maisie ticket number 416 to 420 and Mr McCabe ticket number 376 to 380.
Please collect from the school office.

YEAR 6 LEAVERS - Next Friday, 30th June the year 6 leavers photo will appear in the Flintshire evening leader.

ENTREPRENEURSHIP - Years 3 and 4 will be holding their entrepreneurship day next Friday, 30th June. All pupils are invited to bring in some pennies to spend on the stalls - there will be games galore and everything will be no more than 30p a go.
(Can children bring small change please - no notes.)

YEAR 6 LEAVERS BOWLING - July 13th Mrs Drew is currently finalising details and will be in touch in due course.

YEAR 6 LEAVERS MASS - Will be Wednesday 19th July held at 10am in St Anthony's church. Parents/guardians and family members welcome.

GENTLE REMINDERS

- Mr Davies class has outstanding swim payments - please check school gateway and update accordingly - thank you.
- Mrs Drew's class - Swimming on Thursdays. Payments via school Gateway or cash to school.
- Juniors fruit club - every day before playtime. 20p per day.
- Foundation Phase snack payments - there are still some outstanding. Please get in touch if you are not sure what you owe. Thank you.

HOT WEATHER - During this hot spell please provide your child with a hat or cap to protect them from the sun and I suggest you apply some sun cream on them before school. The children can bring their own but they must be able to reapply it. Please also ensure they have a water bottle in school. We have a water fountain available in the resource area if refills are needed.



Week 1 Menu				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Jumbo Fish Finger or baked veggie nuggets with mash and beans.	Beef Bolognese and pasta or veggie pasta bolognaise both in tomato sauce with peas and garlic bread.	Roast Dinner Or Veggie roast dinner.	Chicken Curry or Vegetable Jalfrezi with rice, peas and naan bread.	Beef Burger or vegan burger in a bun Chips + veg sticks with chips. Or Salmon Fillet with chips and veg sticks.
Yoghurt and fresh fruit.	Mixed fruit sponge with cream and fresh fruit.	Lemon Oat Bar and fresh fruit.	Fresh fruit and yoghurt.	Cocoa Cookie and fresh fruit.
Fruit and water made available daily.				
A choice of sandwiches, pasta pots and Jacket potatoes with a choice of fillings are also available daily.				

If you think you may be entitled to free school meals please follow the link for more information. <https://www.flintshire.gov.uk/en/Resident/Council-Tax-and-Benefits-and-Grants/Free-School-Meals-and-Uniform-Grants.aspx>

For those who may be interested Chester city baths are having a summer swim course for children, details below.



The Chester City Baths Summer Intensive Swim Course

Venue: Chester City Baths

Course Dates:

Monday 24th July – Friday 28th July
Monday 31st July – Friday 4th August
Monday 7th August – Friday 11th August
Monday 14th August – Friday 18th August
Monday 21st August – Friday 25th August

Times:

08:50 - 09:20
09:20 - 09:50
09:50 - 10:20
10:20 – 10:50

Cost: £37.50

Children aged **4.5 years+** can attend.

There will be **beginners** and ***improvers** classes (subject to an assessment).

***Improvers Classes** - Please do not book your child onto the improvers class, unless they can do the following:

- Swim in deep water where they cannot stand up.
- Swim 25m on their front and back (without aids).

How to Book:

Email: chester.swimming.association@hotmail.com

or

Telephone: 01244 320898

