



Ysgol Bryn Clwyd Newsletter

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Dear Parents / Annwyl Rieni

I hope this week's newsletter finds you well. Please read the message below from our Chair of Governors, Dr Bethan Atkinson:

As Chair of Governors, I am thrilled to be able to formally announce the appointment of a new Headteacher - Mr Ben Lindquist. After a very rigorous selection process, the panel were unanimous in their choice (thanks again to the parent governors who served on the panel). Mr Lindquist is a very personable, dynamic and enthusiastic person who I believe will be an asset to both schools in the Federation. It is an added bonus that Mr Lindquist already has knowledge of the Federation, having previously spent a number of years as a teacher in Ysgol Bryn Clwyd.

I believe that Mr Lindquist will be a very committed Headteacher who will work with staff, parents, governors and the community to raise the profile of both schools and build on the excellent base which he inherits from Mr Monteiro and his team.

I would like to end by thanking Mr Monteiro for his fantastic work over the last few years - it has been an absolute pleasure to work closely with Richard in my years as a governor and especially as Chair.

Gobeithio eich bod i gyd yn cadw'n iawn. Darllenwch y neges isod os gwelwch yn dda gan Gadeirydd y Llywodraethwyr, Dr Bethan Atkinson:

Fel Cadeirydd y Llywodraethwyr, rwy'n hapus i allu cyhoeddi'n ffurfiol penodiad Pennaeth newydd - Mr Ben Lindquist.

Ar ôl proses drylwyr iawn, roedd y panel yn unfrydol eu dewis (diolch eto i'r rhiant lywodraethwyr am eu gwaith, ar y panel).

Mae Mr Lindquist yn berson deinamig a brwdfrydig iawn, bydd dwi'n credu, yn ased i'r ddwy ysgol yn y Ffederasiwn. Mae'n fonws ychwanegol fod gan Mr Lindquist wybodaeth am y Ffederasiwn yn barod, ar ôl treulio nifer o flynyddoedd fel athro yn Ysgol Bryn Clwyd yn y gorffennol

Credaf y bydd Mr Lindquist yn Bennaeth ymroddedig iawn a fydd yn gweithio gyda staff, rhieni, llywodraethwyr a'r gymuned i godi proffil y ddwy ysgol ac adeiladu ar y sylfaen ardderchog y mae'n ei etifeddu gan Mr Monteiro a'i dîm.

Hoffwn orffen trwy ddiolch i Mr Monteiro am ei waith gwych dros y blynyddoedd diwethaf - mae wedi bod yn bleser gweithio'n agos gyda Richard yn fy mlynnyddoedd fel llywodraethwr ac yn enwedig fel Cadeirydd.

Yours sincerely / Yn gywir, Mr Richard Monteiro, Pennaeth

Friday 12th May / Dydd Gwener Mai 12^{eg} 2023

* Achievers *



Seren Yr Wythnos

Llongyfarchiadau to Amelia E and Scarlett for being awarded our Seren yr Wythnos Certificates for all your hard work in class. Miss Sharpe was awarded our Criw Cymraeg sticker – da iawn!

Amser Cinio - Mrs Tynan has awarded this week's Amser Cinio Award to Maisy - da iawn!

Attendance for the week

	Attendance (1 day = 20% ½ day = 10%)			
	100%	90%	80%	70% or less
Number of pupils	35	2	3	2

We are aiming for all of our pupils to achieve an average of 96% attendance a year (9 days absence).

* What We've Been Up To *

THE INFANTS

This week we have been learning to present and collect data. Here we are doing a traffic survey.



Non-uniform days

- 19/5/23- bring £1 for our final collection for Angie.
- 26/5/23 – bring a raffle prize for our coffee morning fundraiser.
- 16/6/23- bring some type of chocolate for a chocolate tombola at our coffee morning fundraiser.
- 23/6/23 – bring £1 to raise money for the summer fayre.
- 30/6/23 – bring £1 to raise money for the summer fayre.

We've been using lots of ICT skills this week including coding microbits and using imovie, apple clips and garage band on the ipads to record our own nature documentaries.



OTHER NEWS

Dates for your Diary

- Friday 26th May** – PC Llinos visit to school
- Friday 26th May** – school closes for half term
- Monday 5th June** – Staff Training Day
- Tuesday 6th June** - School re opens
- Thursday/Friday 8th/9th June** – junior trip to Gulliver's World
- Tuesday 13th June** – Junior trip to Danger Point
- Saturday 17th June** – Coffee morning and open day fundraiser (come along and meet our new head teacher).
- Wednesday 21st June** – y6 Brynhyfryd PE transition afternoon.
- Tuesday 4th July** - Sports nights/summer fayre 5pm
- Friday 7th July** – Y6 Brynhyfryd transition full day & End of year reports out to parents.
- Monday 10th July** – drop in parents evening if you wish to discuss your child's end of year report.
- Wednesday 12th July** – summer show 5.30 pm
- Thursday 13th July** – whole school trip to the seaside.
- Wednesday 19th July** – School closes for summer.

Extra Curricular Clubs this half term

Lego club with Miss Sharpe on the following Mondays: 15/5, 22/5

Film club with Mrs Lyon on the following Tuesdays: 16/5, 23/5.

Football club with Mrs Jones on the following Wednesdays: 17/5, 24/5.

School Photos

Have you ordered your school photos yet? The closing date for free delivery back to school is next **Thursday, 18th May 2023**. Order through the Tempest website using your unique link or visit www.tempest-orders.co.uk

If you need any assistance in ordering your photos, feel free to contact Tempest on 01736 751555 (option 3).