



ADS

Weekly News -

Newyddion Yr Wythnos



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Dear Parents, Carers and Friends,



ASH WEDNESDAY – The day after 'Pancake Day' - Shrove Tuesday, is Ash Wednesday, the beginning of the 40 days of Lent. This is an important time in school to prepare for the happiness of Easter. In school we have 'special' Ash Wednesday services in the Studio and you are very welcome to come.

Best Wishes, Father Stephen, the Rector.

ASH WEDNESDAY CHILDREN'S SERVICES - in the Studio:

- 10.40 - 11.00 Nursery & Reception
- 11.00 - 11.20 Years 1 & 2
- 11.20 - 11.40 Years 3 & 4
- 11.40 - 12.00 Years 5 & 6



We are delighted that we have won the Welsh Category in the Primary Language Awards 2012. We will receive our award at the Education Show held at the NEC on Friday 16th March. Diolch yn fawr pawb - Cadwch dysgu a siarad Cymraeg.

Wythnos Cymraeg - WELSH WEEK



From Monday, 27th February until Friday, 2nd March we will be celebrating our Welshness!! For the whole week, children may come to school in traditional Welsh costume or Welsh Rugby shirts or any other appropriate clothes to celebrate.

FAIR TRADE FORTNIGHT - starting 27th February for 2 weeks, we look forward to inviting guests and taking part in lots of activities led by Mrs. Claire Freeman and our ECO committee - watch this space.....

YEARS 3 & 4 MARGAM RESIDENTIAL TRIP - there is to be a Parents' meeting on Wednesday, 22nd February at 2.30pm. If your child is going on the trip and you want to find out information, we would be pleased if you could attend the meeting.

EUCCHARIST - Please join us in our school Studio on **Wednesday 29th February** at 10am for our family service. This week Mrs Fran Roberts Year 5 and Miss Thomas' Year 2 classes will join the service.



Star of the week - The Star of the week is Catrin Daniels who joined St. Thomas' church choir last Sunday and follows in the footsteps of her late grandfather, Donald Coleman, CBE, who was the Member of Parliament for Neath. Congratulations Catrin from all of your family.

PTA Meeting - Our next PTA meeting will be on Thursday, 8th March, at 6.30pm, it would be lovely to see as many of you as can make it.

Milland Road Gymnastics - Mr Morgan's Year 6 class and Mr Dummer's Year 3/4 class, will be visiting the Gym every Wednesday after half term - because we need to provide transport we rely on a contribution of £5 per child for the entire half term. Please send your contributions in.



INSET Day - School will be closed for pupils on **24th February**. All staff will receive further training on how to make mathematics even more interesting and effective.

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