

# St Mary's Weekly Newsletter



## MESSAGES FROM MRS ACTON

Date:- 15.10.21

### Friends of St Mary's

## 'All things Autumn' Dress up/ 'Own Clothes Day' Thursday 21st October

Please support the Friends' of St Mary's celebrate autumn on Thursday 21st October. Donate £1 and come to school dressed as anything that reminds you of autumn: a woodland animal, a pumpkin, an acorn, in autumn colours or just in your own clothes. This year we are raising money to buy new reading books / class library and reading area books across the school.



Collection buckets will be on the gates.

Please help us. Diolch



## Remote Parents' Evening

The link to the Microsoft Bookings page where you can book a 8-10 minute appointment with your child's class teacher via TEAMS on Tuesday 16th/ Thursday 18th November between 3:45 pm and 5:45pm **will be provided before half term.**

Please accept our apologies, there has been an issue with the system so we are still unable to share the link this week.

Once live, please ensure that you book an appointment with your child's teacher only. Thank you.

## Gwenfro class assembly

What a super fun assembly today. Diolch Dosbarth Gwenfro for leading our assembly all about fairy tale characters and advising us not to judge 'a book by its cover.' The children clearly had lots of fun learning their lines and took on their roles with great confidence. Da iawn pawb! Unfortunately, we are still unable to invite parents to join us to watch assemblies at present. A video will be sent via Seesaw. I'm sure you will enjoy it!

 Pupil Data Consent Booklets  
Please return as soon as possible to update your information. Please ensure that all parts are completed

**UPDATE!** DO NOT ATTEND SCHOOL IF YOU OR YOUR FAMILY HAVE SYMPTOMS OF COVID 19 – i.e. a new continuous cough, a high temperature or a loss or change to your sense of smell. **Please note:- New symptoms linked to the new DELTA variant also include:-** headache, runny/ blocked nose, sore throat, hoarseness, vomiting, shortness of breath, diarrhoea, wheezing, persistent sneezing i.e. symptoms very similar to HAYFEVER **Please inform school, self-isolate & book a test straight away and contact school as soon as you receive your results. Diolch.** 

 **Please note:** The additional school holiday in lieu of the Queen's Jubilee will be Friday 26th November.

STAFF TRAINING DAYS 2021-22	
Wednesday 1st Sept 2021	Monday 25th April 2022
Friday 22nd Oct 2021	Monday 6th June 2022
Wednesday 22nd Dec 2021	Wednesday 20th July 2022

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ST MARY'S SCHOOL CLASS AND COMMUNITY NEWS



Happy Birthday

David, Rupert, Hannah



**Thank you!!**

Huge thanks to Mr O'Connor who has liaised with the Grosvenor Garden Centre regarding plants for our Garden of Hope. Unbelievably, they have offered to donate all the plants which Mr O'Connor is helping us to plant this weekend. We will soon be in a position to finalise our lovely garden and organise our GRAND OPENING! Very exciting!

## Whole School Good News

**EY**– Finn is going pumpkin picking at the weekend.

**Yr 1/2**– Max has graduated to juniors in Taekwondo, George has moved to Wave 2 in swimming. Grace and Dylan have moved up in swimming and Dylan is starting Beavers. Lucia can now ride her bike without stabilisers

**Yr 3**– Molly, Eleanor and Aimee have completed their Holy Communion test. Erin's mum has a new job in an office, Sophie is having her first pair of new glasses in 4 days, Luis' cousin is having a baby girl and Noah's dad has a new job. Daniel went to the Ironworks, Xavier's mum has a new job and Ivy has started to go to Holy Communion classes.

**Y4**– Gabby has started work on her Christmas show. Evelyn & Sophia are starting netball matches and Ben has learnt how to do 'scoops' in swimming lessons. Amelia J, Gabriel & Maks have started swimming lessons and Matthew won 2 matches in football.

**Yr 5**– Ella has passed bronze swimming challenges, Amelia's auntie is having her 5th baby, Max might be getting a axoloti, Mauro's dad was 40 on Sunday, Seren has done really well in dancing competitions, Phoebe is going on holiday to Bognor Regis and it was Conan's dad's birthday . Alice passed Wave 5.

**Y6**– Natalie has become a full dragon in swimming club, it is Maja's dad's birthday on Saturday and Jakub's dog had its first outing to the park. Maisy is having a haircut and Rebecca is in a swimming competition in Macclesfield. Harry has been metal detecting and has found coins!

## MAKATON SIGN OF THE WEEK



We are all learning a special sign language called Makaton to promote inclusion in St Mary's and to support all learners to communicate with each other.

You can practise our 'Sign of the Week' with your family and friends.

This week's sign is: sister

[Link](#)



## Brawddeg Yr Wythnos Sentence of the Week



Mae'n hydref

It is autumn



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## Pupil Voice News



### Criw Cymraeg

Well done to Elen our new Chair, Natasha our Vice Chair and Mauro our Secretary. We look forward to working with you to support our development of Welsh across the school. Thank you for organising Shw Mae day today as well. Diolch!



### School Council

next week instead.

Unfortunately the meeting had to be postponed at the last minute. It will take place

### Eco Committee

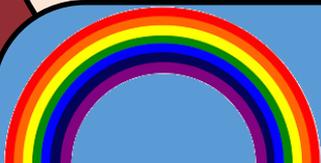


Eco members met this morning for their first meeting. Chair and Vice Chair were voted in. Chair- Filip Yr6 Vice Chair Rebecca- Yr 6.

#### **Be Kind to Your Mind**

This year the Eco team will be delivering '5 Ways to Wellbeing'. They will be exploring the importance of taking the time to recognise our emotions, and ways in which we can be kind to our minds.

We will be beginning our 5 ways with 'Be Active'. Each representative has decided on an activity for their class to enjoy throughout the week. We are looking forward to workshops from fitness groups to help us be active and take care of our minds. We will also be creating our own St Mary's podcast, interviewing various people about ways in which they take care of their mental wellbeing. Keep your ears peeled for our first broadcast next week!



## Rainbow Slip Winners

Well done to Wen Hao and Justin for winning the October Rainbow slip draw! Excellent work using your learning powers! Da iawn!

