



mEyton Church in Wales Primary School
Newsletter 22nd December 2017

Diary Dates These are also in Calendar on the website www.eytonprimary.co.uk

8th January – Staff only in school

9th January – Children back in school

10th January – Bitesize theatre in school.

10th January – Year 3 and 4 swimming starts

22nd March – Year 3 and 4 visit to Warburton's Bakery; details will follow nearer the time.

Estyn Report

Our Estyn report is published on the Estyn website on 27th December. Please have a look and see how we got on. It will be published on the school website in January 2018.

Swimming

Swimming lessons for years 3 and 4 start on Wednesday 10th January. The cost for transport to each session is £2.50, which is a donation so that we can fund the transport. Thank you.

PTA Thank you to our fantastic PTA and to everyone for their generosity. Together you raised over £960 at the Christmas Fair. Thank you so much, for all the extra things you provide.

Also £45 was raised for Christmas Jumper Day, which will go to Hope House. Thank you.

Bitesize Theatre

Bitesize theatre are coming into school on Wednesday afternoon to do a performance of Snow White for the children. The funding for this has been sourced by Reverend Sue, so there is no cost to school. It promises to be a fun show with lots of laughs; the perfect antidote to cold January days!

Payments Please could we encourage everyone to pay for school dinners, trips and swimming using the Civic Pay online system. This will enable parents to have access to their own accounts and get up to date balances. Letters are going out with login details on and instructions of how to access the service.

When paying by cheque, please write a cheque for each item eg dinners and Eyton Extras, as they are completely different accounts. Please could we remind everyone that we can no longer accept the old £1.00 coin.

Attendance Please can we all make a huge effort to get to school, on time by 8.55am.

All parents of children who arrive late will be asked to sign the late book, as advised by our link attendance officer/Education Social Worker. Many thanks for your support.

Our attendance target this year is 96%.

Christingle Service in Church

The Christingle takes place at St Deiniol's Church on Christmas Eve at 4.00pm. It is a beautiful service and the Church looks absolutely stunning with its Christmas decorations.

Free School Meals

If you think that you might be eligible for Free School Meals, please phone 01978 298991 or 01978 297413 to find out. Anyone on Job Seekers Allowance (JSA) or Tax Credit can apply and it will only take 5 minutes on the phone. If your child prefers to bring a packed lunch or make other arrangements,

It is still important to register for free school meals for the school to receive the additional funding. This year the additional funding is £1150 for each child that qualifies.

Please see the leaflet on the school website.

Nadolig Llawen & Blwyddyn Newydd Dda
Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year
From everyone at Eyton Church in Wales Primary School

