



Weekly Bulletin ~ Bwletin Wythnosol

Autumn Term ~ 29th September 2017

This Week's Prayer

Today we mark the culmination of the 10th anniversary celebrations of our Catholic and Anglican High School. We come together to give thanks for those who had a vision of a shared faith school. We remember especially the hierarchies of the dioceses of St. Asaph and Wrexham, who had the insight and courage to work together to make this vision a reality.

We pray for our whole school community: for our Governors and Staff, especially those who have joined us this year; we prayer for our pupils and their families, for our Local Educational Services, as well as all who support our school in any way. We place our whole school community in God's loving care. **Amen.**

Letters Home

26th Sept Year 10 Hitler on Trail
27th Sept Year 11 St. Richard Gwyn Taster Day
27th Sept Expressive Arts Trip

Dates for the Diary

2nd Oct Key Stage 4 Information Evening
4th Oct Ski Trip Information Evening [6pm]
5th/ 6th Oct Year 7 Pantasaph Retreat
Year 11 Taster Day at St Richard Gwyn
[some pupils]
9th Oct Year 7 Service of Welcome [6.30pm]
13th Oct Year 11 Fundraising Day [Non-Uniform Day]

Science Trip – 1-2nd March

Five places have become available on the Year 10 GCSE Science Live trip to London. The trip will include visits to the Science and Natural History Museums and the GCSE Science Live event. The presenters of this event will be eminent scientists such as Dr Alice Roberts, Professor Jim Al Khalili and Professor Robert Winston. This trip is now open to Year 11 pupils at a cost of £150. If you would like your child to participate in the trip, letters are available from Mr Price.

“Here Comes Christmas” PTA Fair

It's that time of year again! The PTA is holding the “Here comes Christmas” Fair on Thursday, 30th November. If you are interested in holding a stall then please contact Andrea Allen on andrea.allenxx@talktalk.net or Julie Taylor on julie.morris0267@gmail.com. Thank you.

Attendance Matters

This week's whole school attendance is **96.2%**. It's disappointing to see that we are under our target of 96.5% after three consecutive weeks being above target. Years 9 to 11 really do need to improve their attendance, especially as Year 11 only have 9 months left in school – every lesson counts! 8 Devereux were so close but yet so far to 100% this week, let's see if they can smash it next week.

Mrs Ellis

Year	Cassidy	Devereux	King	Kolbe	Romero	Year Average
7	96.9	97.0	95.2	97.9☺☺	96.7	96.7
8	97.0☺	99.9☺☺	96.0	98.1	98.9☺	98.0☺
9	91.4	92.6	96.3	97.1☺	94.5	94.4
10	96.5	98.8☺	96.5☺	93.6	96.6	96.4
11	95.4	96.2	91.6	97.0☺	96.2	95.3
Family Average	95.4	96.9☺	95.1	96.7	96.6	

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6 OCT

**7PM FOR A
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