

St. Joseph's Catholic & Anglican High School Ysgol Uwchradd Gatholig ac Anglicanaidd Sant Joseff



Weekly Bulletin ~ Bwletin Wythnosol Spring Term ~ 23rd February 2018

This Week's Prayer ~ Gweddi yr Wythnos

Generous God, thank you that you give us so much that is good. Help us this Lent to make wise choices: May we enjoy all the gifts you give us. Help us to remember and pray for those who have little, those who are poor or alone. Touch our hearts and help us to notice situations where we can be generous and share our gifts, our talents or our time. Help us to give to others this Lent.

Amen

Important Dates ~ Dyddiadau Pwysig

27th Feb Ten-Ten Theatre (Years, 8, 9 and 10) 1st Mar School Eisteddfod (Years 7 and 8)

Year 10 Science Trip (London)

St David's Day Parade

6th Mar PTA meeting (6.45pm)

7th Mar Year 10 Drama controlled assessment

8th Mar Year 8 Maths Trip (London)

9th Mar PTA Thai Night (7pm)

School Meal Increase

Wrexham Local Authority, who run our restaurant, intend to increase the cost of school meals in line with inflation effective from Monday, 9th April 2018. This will see the set meal for the day increase to £2.40 (although individual items are priced separately and will increase as per inflation). If you wish to enquire about free school meals, then please contact 01978 315624 – this could save you over £800 per annum.

Mr Wilkinson

School Eisteddfod

Pupils in Years 7 and 8 are taking part in the School Eisteddfod on Thursday 1st March. To celebrate the Eisteddfod, all pupils in every year are invited to wear red, white and green clothing that day. Clothing must be appropriate and suitable for the standards at St Joseph's. Pob lwc ... good luck to Years 7 and 8 who are taking part on the stage!

Reminder ~ Germany Trip

The deadline for the return of information packs is today, Friday, 23rd February. If you have not returned your pack, please do so without delay at the very latest **Tuesday, 27th February** as an application for a group passport needs to be submitted. European Health Insurance Cards (EHIC) can be returned at a later date. Thank you. *Mrs Large*

Attendance Matters ~ Materion Presenoldeb

This week's whole school attendance is **96.1%.** As we return following the half term break what a shame we did not quite make our stretch target of 96.5%! There have been lots of improvements across year groups but unfortunately a few individuals are letting us down. Congratulations to Year 11 for being the best year group, you could not have picked a better time as important mock GCSE examinations are taking place, this excellence needs to continue. Well done to years 7 and 8 for being above stretch target and haven't Romero done exceptionally well. Year 9 needs to show massive improvements over the next week.

Mrs Ellis

Year	Cassidy	Devereux	King	Kolbe	Romero	Year Average
7	94.1	96.3	94.8	98.9©	99.6©©	96.7
8	98.9©©	94.6	95.9	96.3	98.2	96.8
9	96.1	93.4	96.7©©	93.5	89.3	93.8
10	94.0	95.8	95.8	96.2	97.6©	95.9
11	98.1	97.4©	96.3	96.4	99.0©	97.4☺
Family Average	96.2	95.5	95.9	96.3	96.7	