

Ysgol Gynradd Knelston Newyddion

Friday, 22 September 2023



Dear Parent,

Another great week with the children, with lots of fun learning taking place. The Year 5 and 6's enjoyed a visit from the Urdd. They had a great time learning lots of new Welsh games, which they can share in the yard. Our new calm, reflection area has been completed and the children are enjoying visiting it to sit and relax among the lovely plants and wind chimes. Let's hope for nicer weather next week so they can get out and enjoy it even more.

Dyddiadau/ Dates

- 26.09.23 – Y4-6 Theatre N'an Og Trip
- 05.01.23 – Y6 Bishopston Opening Evening 6:15pm
- 02/10-06/10/23 Scholastic Book Fair
- 30.10 – 03.11.23 HALF TERM
- 22.01.23 Flu Vaccines
- 06.12.23 Christmas Concert

[See Academic Dates Here](#)



After School Clubs!

First weeks clubs went off to a swimming start! Next weeks are now live on squid, please book in advance.

Art Club will start Monday 2nd October – now live on squid!

[View Clubs Here](#)



School Food Garden Project

After a very successful 'Seed to Plate' project – we have a few surplus vegetables left. We would like to raffle them off so that none of the produce goes to waste! If you would like to enter the draw, please bring a donation to Rhian in the office by Wednesday at the latest next week.

You could win tomatoes, butternut squash, pumpkins (edible and a decorative), or fresh chutneys made from the produce by Mags!

Big thank you to everyone that supported this project! – Pob Iwcl!

Congratulations to all that ran in the Swansea Marathon!

Big congratulations to all those (Parents and a staff member!) who took part in the Swansea 10K.

Even bigger congratulations to our children that ran the junior race!

Ladies Night!

Alyson Jones and Gillian Davies our lovely local childminders have asked that we pass on the message that the Christmas Ladies night has been confirmed for Thursday 14th Dec in the King Arthur. Contact either if you are interested.



Steel Pans

Monday's 5-6pm @ Port Eynon Church
Mags has a few spaces available.
Contact Mags on 07853978394

Attendance!

Swansea Target is 93%

This week we achieved **95.5%** with **71** children at 100% and Reception/Y1 having the best attendance!



Pupil Voice Update

All the groups met and came up with their promises for their new roles. They are all looking to help us make the school even better over. Next time we will be setting our goals for the term ahead.

PTA Friends of Knelston

Save the Dates!

- 09/10/23 – Annual AGM Meeting 9:15am @ School
- 26/10/23 – Halloween Disco
- 30/11/23 – Christmas Market
- 21/12/23 – Christmas Disco
- 21/03/24 – Easter Disco
- Sunday Funday – July TBC 2024

Anyone interested in a stall at Xmas Fair – get in touch now!

We now have an Instagram account! Follow us on @friendsofknelstonprimary

The children's highlights of the week!

Wythnos yma!

Mrs Osborn's class REC/Y1

- ✓ This week the children read the story of the little red hen,
- ✓ They made their own bread,
- ✓ Sung and learnt the rhyme 5 currant buns,
- ✓ Worked with Numicon,
- ✓ Completed Apple Printing.

Miss Molyneux's class Y2/3

- ✓ Created characters for online safety
- ✓ Played 'Simon Says' in PE
- ✓ Worked on their Spanish words
- ✓ Completed their first spelling test of the year

Mrs Porter's class Y4/5

- ✓ DCF – Staying safe online
- ✓ Place value
- ✓ Mission work – history of rugby
- ✓ Currently working on secret letter to Mr Jenkins

Mr Donovan's class – Y5/6

- ✓ Started their mission work
- ✓ Played welsh games with a guest from the Urdd
- ✓ Completed Spellings
- ✓ Topic work

Easy fundraising

1. Go to <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/sup-port-a-good-cause/step-1/?char=115079&invite=Y2GJQ4&referral-campaign=s2s&cid=115079&name=Charlotte>
2. Sign up free
3. Download the app on your phone/desktop or tablet
4. Get shopping and start raising
5. If anyone needs help with Easy fundraising, please do not hesitate to contact the PTA treasurer, Charlotte Tonge on 07816787412.

