

# Ysgol Gynradd Knelston Newyddion

Friday, 15 December 2023



Dear Parent,

We have had a wonderful week. The Christmas spirit is well and truly here. The older classes went to the panto and had a great time and the younger ones are looking forward to their trip to see Santa next Tuesday. One more exciting week to go which is packed full of Christmas cheer: making Christingles at Port Eynon church, Christmas lunch; Christmas disco and lots of fun in class too!

Let's hope all those coughs and colds hold off so we can have another great week.

Mr Jenkins

## Santa Reminder

Reminder that Nursery – Year 3 are going on a trip to see Santa on Tuesday next week. They will be having food in school early to head to the Oxwich Bay by 12. All Nursery children must be accompanied by an adult.



## After School Clubs!

**Next Week's Clubs:**

Monday – Art club

Wednesday – Minecraft

**Thursday – NO CLUBS**

\*No more Lego until the New Year.

[View Clubs Here](#)

## Federation Update

Full communications have been emailed to you, the consultation period has now been extended until 26<sup>th</sup> January and a public meeting will be held at Knelston Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> January at 7pm.

Your opinion is important to us! Please provide your feedback to our Federation Proposal here:

<https://forms.office.com/e/N44DZagfUk>



## Whooping Cough

We have been notified of confirmed cases of Whooping cough in Gower. For more information see the NHS Link here:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/whooping-cough/>

## Attendance!

Swansea Target is **93%**

This week we achieved **93%**, 61 children with 100%

Y4/5 class won weekly attendance!

The children's highlights of the week!

**Wythnos yma!**

## Monday – Church Trip!

On Monday Mr Jenkins will be using the minibus to take Year 2 – 6 down to Port Eynon Hall

### Mrs Osborn's class REC/Y1

- ✓ Handwriting and working on the letter M,
- ✓ Practising phonic,
- ✓ Christmas adding problems,
- ✓ They found Rudolph!
- ✓ Wrote a welsh letter to Santa.

### Miss Molyneux's class Y2/3

- ✓ Yoga in PE,
- ✓ Learning welsh questions,
- ✓ Diary of Edgar Evans,
- ✓ Sketching a puppy,
- ✓ Clay models of Edgar Evans.

### Mrs Porter's class Y4/5

- ✓ Complete mission work,
- ✓ Writing a diary about Mohinder,
- ✓ Christmas delivery maths.

### Mr Donovan's class – Y5/6

- ✓ Presentations on black History,
- ✓ Pantomime!
- ✓ Explanation text,
- ✓ Assessments,
- ✓ Green screen WW2 topic task.

## Christmas Dinner – Thursday!

School Christmas Dinner is this Thursday, children are allowed to wear Christmas Jumpers.

## Friends of Knelston PTA

Big thank you all that came to the Christmas Market, it was a huge success!

**School Tea Towels** – Now available on Squid would make a lovely Christmas Present! £6 each – Only 10 Left!

**Christmas Disco** Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December 3:30-5pm £2 entry, £2 Food – on Squid.

Instagram account: @friendsofknelstonprimary

## Easy Fundraising!

Easy Fundraising partners with thousands of brands to donate part of what you spend when you shop to a cause of your choice. Sign up now, select Knelston as your cause and continue your everyday shopping knowing you are giving back to the school!

<https://www.easypfundraising.org.uk/>



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## Diary Dates!

DATES	CLASS	EVENT
15.12.23	Rec – Year 6	<b>Ellie Simmons Assembly! – POSTPONED</b>
19.12.23	Nursery – Year 3	<b>Visit to see Santa!</b> – Payment required via Squid to confirm place, please inform the School asap if you do not want your child to attend.
21.12.23	Whole School	<b>School Christmas Dinner</b>
21.12.23	Whole School	<b>PTA Christmas Disco</b> – 3:30-5pm tickets for entry and food available via Squid.
25.12.23 – 05.01.24		<b>CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS</b>
08.01.24		<b>INSET DAY</b>
17.01.24	Parents	<b>Federation Public Consultation Evening – Knelston Primary @7pm</b>
05.02 – 09.02.24	Year 5 & Year 6	<b>Llain Residential Trip!</b> – Payments need to be complete by 06.01.2024 to confirm space.
09.02.24	Whole School	<b>INSET DAY</b>
12.02.24 – 09.02.24	Whole School	<b>FEBRUARY HALF TERM</b>
13.03 – 15.03.24	Year 4	<b>St Madoc's Residential Trip</b> – Payments need to be complete by 06.02.24 to confirm space.
21.03.24	Whole School	<b>PTA Easter Disco</b> – Details announced closer to the time.
25.03.24 – 05.04.24	Whole School	<b>EASTER HOLIDAYS</b>

