



Crossgates C.P. School

NEWSLETTER

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Welsh Links

Tudur, Children and Families Officer from Powys County Council, came into host a 'Welsh Quiz' with children in Dosbarth yr Wyddfa class this afternoon.

Class R/1 – Red day

The children of R/1 had invited all the pupils and staff to come to school in red to mark the opening of the Rugby Six Nations Championship this weekend and to bring in a donation. All donations are in respect of the class' chosen charity, Welsh Air Ambulance and £120 was raised.

Climate Crusaders

Mrs Smith took four of our ECO club members to Newbridge School to take part in "Climate Crusaders". The aim of the event was to look at schools' impact on climate and how we could work to reduce that impact.

Donations

Donations are requested for outdoor wood paint for fencing, any tins with left over paint. Looking to brighten up the CI R/1 and 1/2 play area.

Any surplus catalogues the children can have for cutting up.

Bracken Trust

As part of their Genius Hour, Leah & Sasha made Cup cakes and brownies. These were sold to the children and staff and raised £105 for the Bracken Trust.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

For your information, School Trends will be increasing their prices by 5% as of the 24th February.

GOLD AWARDS – THIS WEEK

CI 5/6	Fiona
CI 4/5	Holly A, Liam
CI 2/3	Alfie
CI 1/2	Whole class, Dylan
CI R/1	Mylah

Well done everyone

HAPPEN survey

We are looking for the children of Yrs 4, 5 & 6 to take part in a short survey on their health and well-being. For more details and a sample survey please follow the link below.

<https://happen-wales.co.uk/information-sheet/>

If you do not wish your child(ren) to participate please complete the form at the end of the link page.

Sports Ambassadors

Our new ambassadors, Connie and Archie gave a presentation to the whole school about their role and what they are hoping to organise.

WORK OF THE WEEK

A piece of work is chosen every week from each class and displayed in the celebration frame. The frames can be viewed by the celebration board.

Work chosen this week

CI 5/6	Ella
CI 4/5	Lexi
CI 2/3	Bear
CI 1/2	Tristan
CI R/1	Naomi

Da iawn!

RAGS TO RICHES

Time for an early Spring clean. Our next Rags to Riches collection is going to be on the 12th February 2020. Collection bags have been sent home, please bring your bags back to the entrance hall. If you require more bags please ask Anne, we have plenty.

OUT OF SCHOOL CLUB

All bookings for Out of School Club should be made either in person at OOSC/Class/Office or ring into the School Office on 01597851667.

Should you need to contact OOSC while it is open, please ring 07519814683 – **please don't leave text messages**, make sure you speak to someone.

**After School Club is open from 3.35 p.m. – 5.30 p.m. on Tues, Weds & Thurs evenings. Everyone is welcome.
£6.50 per child per session**

All children must be booked into Club either with the OOSC staff or into the Office as numbers are limited and places cannot be guaranteed.

Only children who are registered with the Club are able to access the Club. If you even remotely think your child might need to attend please make sure a Registration Form, available from the Club or in the office, is completed and returned before your child attends.

Please make sure that anyone sent to pick up your child from Out of School Club is registered with the club as an “approved” person to pick up.

C A L E N D A R 2019 – 2020

13.01.20	Swimming for Yrs 2 & 3 – 11 wks
04.02.20	Cl 1/2 trip to Brecon Museum
12.02.20	Rags to Riches collection
03.03.20	Cl 5/6 visit to Elan Valley

Crisp Packet Collection

The Eco Council now has a recycling crisp packet box in the hall at lunchtimes. Any type of crisp packet can be recycled. These will be collected on a regular basis and exchanged for cash which will be donated to Welsh Air Ambulance.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

To order School Uniform please use the link below from School Trends. We will no longer be placing orders for parents.

<https://www.schooltrends.co.uk/uniform/CrossgatesPrimarySchoolLD16RE>

This link is also on our website. It may be you need to copy and paste into your browser.

Alternative provider: My Clothing and the link for them is www.myclothing.com

SENT OUT THIS WEEK

After school clubs –

	FP	KS2	Time
Monday	Games Club	Netball	3.30-4.30
Tuesday	OOSC		3.30-5.30
Wednesday	OOSC		3.30-5.30
		Coding Club	3.30-4.15
Thursday	OOSC		3.30-5.30

OUT OF SCHOOL CLUB PROGRAMME

Tues	
Wed	
Thurs	

Cross Country

Running club will start in school after February half term with after school events this year being held at the Llandrindod High School campus on March 5th, 12th and 19th

Coding Club

KS2 Children, who have pre-booked, participate in a computer coding club run by Mrs Watkins on a Wednesday after school.

PE Kits

Can we ask that all children have their PE kits kept in school. We recommend that their kit is kept on their pegs only going home for washing every half term. They do not necessarily have PE on set days and it may be they will have extra sessions.