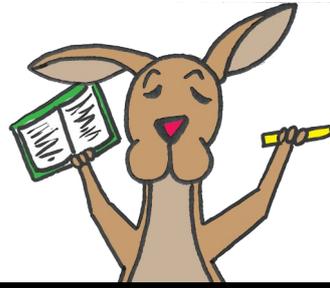


September 2021 Newsletter



From the Headteachers Desk

This month we celebrate 125 years of Gowerton School. Founded on October 5th 1896. Gowerton School will be holding various events during the next academic year, some virtual some real life. We hope you will enjoy some of those events with us. This month we thought we would share a photo of our Headteacher from 1896, William Edwards.



If you are a Gowertonian or have any photos from the last 125 years please contact us.

Pupils and staff have settled well into the new academic year. We are always proud to share with you achievements from our current and past pupils.

Individual Pupil Success

Tallulah is a year 9 pupil and has recently had an excellent achievement.

Tallulah explains this in her own words. "I'm 13 years old and do equestrian vaulting at Talygarn Equestrian Centre. I recently got second place in the English vaulting championships for my 12 years and up age group. I have been vaulting for 2 years excluding the time we missed due to lockdown. My whole team did amazingly and I can't wait to see what else comes our way. There is a great deal incorporated in vaulting such as strength, fitness, flexibility, courage and commitment."

Well done Tallulah. This is such an interesting event and we are so impressed by Tallulah's dedication.



Gowertonian Achievement

We are so proud of the outstanding achievement of Paul Karabadak, a pupil at Gowerton from 1997 – 2002. Paul has recently returned from Tokyo and the Paralympics in which he achieved Olympic Bronze and Silver medals. Well done Paul!

We look forward to inviting Paul back to Gowerton soon to inspire the next generation. Thanks to his family for sharing these photos with us.



Extra-Curricular Activities Return

We have been so pleased to offer extra curricular activities again. Our pupils love the variety on offer. At lunchtimes pupils can attend the library for chess, board games and reading. Each year group is allocated a specific day. There are many clubs to choose from including drama club, choir, dance club and language clubs. We also have after school training in PE. Ranging from rugby, hockey, netball, football in all the year groups.

Positive Mindset with Kanga

This year we have been encouraging pupils to look at the 'Kanga Code'. This month we focus on 'K' for Kanga and 'Kindness'. How often in our day can an act of kindness make a difference? Saying 'Good Morning' and smiling, holding a door open and being polite, every act can have a positive impact.



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Right of the month:
ARTICLE 28: The right to an education