

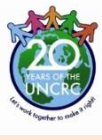


Friday 8th February 2019

Attendance

This week, the class with the best attendance is Year 6 with 94.6%. Whole school attendance is 94.9%. Remember our whole school target for the year is 96+%.

UNCRC Right of the month



February's Right is:
Article 2 – All children have rights

School Aim of the month

This month's aim/value is:
"Respect"



Infant and Junior discos

On Thursday 14th February, the PTA have organised an infant and junior disco. The infant disco starts at 4.30 pm and finishes at 5.30 pm (children need to be supervised), followed but the junior disco at 5.45 pm and finishing at 6.45 pm.

Netball



Our netball team took part in the annual South Wales Police netball tournament at Swansea University on Tuesday. They had a lovely time and played very well winning 2 out of their 4 games. As usual, they all behaved brilliantly and played the games in the spirit we would expect of Mayals pupils. Well done girls and thank you to Mrs Lomas who took the girls and supervised them during the day.

Thanks also to the police for organising the day.

Safer Internet Day

On Tuesday it was Safer Internet Day. We had a whole school assembly and our IT Crowd ran quizzes in each junior class reminding pupils of the importance of staying safe online. You can still visit the website to look at the activities and resources you can use at home. <https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/2019>



Coffee morning

Our Enterprise pupil voice group would like to invite you to come and enjoy a coffee on February 14th at 9 am in the school hall.

Parent Governor

There was a fantastic response to our call for votes to elect your new parent governor representative. I'm pleased to inform you that Katherine Harrison will be your new parent governor after half term.

Messy Church



Max, Thomas and Solomon from Year 4 represented Mayals as part of a Mayals and Grange Primary School joint team at the Welsh Primaries Table Tennis Competition in Cardiff. The boys did great, holding their own against players much older than them and had a great time.

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Key dates

- Thursday 14th February – Y3/4 mixed football tournament
- Thursday 14th February – Coffee morning 9 am school hall
- **Thursday 14th February – infant and junior discos**
- Thursday 21st February – Y2/3 girls' football tournament
- Friday 22nd February – last day of half term
- Monday 4th March – Children return to school
- Tuesday 5th March – Y6 trip to Big Pit
- Wednesday 6th March – Year 5/6 mixed football tournament
- Thursday 7th March – Llain Activity Centre representative to speak to Y6 parents
- Friday 8th March – Eisteddfod
- Monday 11th & Tuesday 12th March – parent-teacher meetings
- Friday 5th April – Y4/5/6 girls' football tournament
- Wednesday 10th April – rugby tournament
- Friday 12th April – Last day of term

Finally...

As always, if you have queries, compliments, complaints, concerns or issues you would like to discuss, please speak to any member of staff.

Please pass this newsletter on to friends and family who come to the school as we don't have email addresses for them.

Have a lovely weekend.

Regards,
D. Beech

Headteacher