



# ST DAVID'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER



### UPCOMING DATES

27.4.18	1 <sup>st</sup> Confessions St.Benedicts Church	6:00pm
2.5.18	National Reading Test	9:30am
3.5.18	National Procedural Test	9:30am
4.5.18	National Numerical Reasoning	9:30am

**FACEBOOK PAGE** There is now a school Facebookpage

[www.facebook.com/stdavidscps](http://www.facebook.com/stdavidscps)

**WEBSITE** The School has worked very hard to update the School Website; we hope that this is now working effectively. The calendar will be updated regularly.

**TWITTER** Remember to follow us on Twitter @stdavidscps

### VOLUNTEERS

If anyone has a free hour or two, we are in need of Gardeners. Please read the letter from Dr.Urbaneck.

### SQUID

Please make sure you are up to date with payments for dinners. From this term the system is now set to not allow a child to choose a meal if they are in arrears of 5 or more dinner payments. All dinners must be paid for in advance. Thank you.

### HEALTHY SCHOOLS

Our school is a healthy school; therefore we encourage our pupils to eat healthily. Due to severe allergies we ask you to please avoid using nuts, nut products or eggs as a main ingredient in packed lunches.

### CELTIC EVENING

Put your dancing shoes on and enjoy a night of celebrating all things Celtic. Bishop Vaughan Friday May 4<sup>th</sup> @7:30pm.

### Attendance - week ending 27.04.18

Caswell –96.2%

Langland –97.6%

Mumbles –99.3%

Bracelet Bay –98.9%

Pwll Du –91.8%

Limeslade –95.2%

Congratulations to Dosbarth Mumbles with 99.3% attendance. Ardderchog!!!

### RIGHTS RESPECTING SCHOOL

This month's right is Article 30 – you have the right to enjoy your own culture, practice your own religion, and use your own religion.

### Summer Term

April 27<sup>th</sup>

### SCHOOL NEWS:

Last Friday Foundation Phase enjoyed Film Night; all children enjoyed the film, hot dogs and hot chocolate. The children even had time for a dance and a sing song.

On Tuesday some of the School Council went to the Liberty Stadium to discuss the importance of fitness. The children made us very proud, their behaviour was impeccable, their appearance was very smart and they spoke eloquently. So Well Done to these children, great representatives of our school.

On Thursday Dosbarth Bracelet Bay went to the University to present with St. Joseph's Cathedral Primary, they were a credit to the School. Thank you to Mrs. Winchester for organizing this project and thank you to Dosbarth Bracelet Bay for all their hard work. We are very proud of the pupils in St.David's. Well Done all.

Nursery	We helped the selfish crocodile and cleaned his teeth.
Dosbarth Caswell	This week we have been writing questions to ask Harry the Hedgehog. We also looked at all the trees on our field to find out the oldest tree.
Dosbarth Langland	We have done a lot of practicing this week. Practicing writing instructions, number work and practices for our tests!
Dosbarth Mumbles	We have been journalists this week and looked at newspaper reports about Easter Sunday,
Dosbarth Bracelet Bay	Well done to Dosbarth Bracelet Bay! We presented to the council, parents and people of Swansea University about how we reduce, reuse and recycle plastic!
Dosbarth Pwll Du	This week we have been learning and making a display all about Egyptians and have been practicing for the tests.
Dosbarth Limeslade	Some of us had a tour of the Liberty Stadium, Wow! Visitors performed a show about recycling, very entertaining.

### NATIONAL TESTS

National Tests will take place on week beginning April 30<sup>th</sup>. Year 2-6. The tests will take place at 9:30am, National Reading Test Wednesday May 2<sup>nd</sup>, Procedural Thursday May 3<sup>rd</sup>, Numerical Reasoning Friday May 4<sup>th</sup>.

### FoSDA

FoSDA are pleased to announce that this year's Summer Fayre will be on Saturday 23rd June 12-3pm. Many volunteers will be needed to make this a great success, so we can enhance our children's education as much as possible with the funds raised. Our children -their future!

### GOVERNORS

It was a very proud day for St.David's yesterday when the children gave a presentation on the dangers of plastic in our world. The children are our future.

### School Christmas Trip

Yes, you did read right! Advance warning that this year's Christmas trip is a visit to the Pantomime in the Swansea Grand Theatre. However, it will be on Friday 11th January, so should make the first week back after Christmas a little more exciting.

Thank you for your support, from all the staff at St. David's Catholic Primary.