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Monday 24th February 2020

INSET day

Please note that on Monday 24th February, the school will be closed for pupils.

St David's Day

On Friday 28th February, all pupils and staff are invited to dress up in Welsh colours/costume. As in previous years, we plan for all pupils from KS2 to walk to the square in Killay and sing a few Welsh songs (weather permitting). All spectators are welcome.

On Saturday 29th February at 7 pm, fifteen members of the school's choir and orchestra will perform with Dunvant Male Choir at Crwys Chapel in Three Crosses. This is ticket only event, and tickets are available from the school office at the cost of £10 per adult and £5 for U16s.

World Book Day

World Book Day is on Thursday 5th March. To celebrate, pupils and staff are invited to dress up as a character from a book (apart from Y2 who are going to Folly Farm on that day).

Down Syndrome Day

On Friday 20th March, we are joining all members of the United Nation states by taking part in Down Syndrome day. We will raise awareness of Down Syndrome by wearing odd socks. On 14th March, Mrs Mills (Nursery) is running 5K for 'Hands Up for Downs'. They are a local based charity that provide support and funding for children with Down Syndrome. You can sponsor Mrs Mills by clicking on <https://www.goldengiving.com/fundraising/AbbyMills>

Autistic Spectrum Awareness Day

On Thursday 2nd April, the school is highlighting the need to improve the quality of life of those with Autism by wearing onesies. All pupils and staff are invited to join in.

Sporting Achievements

Congratulations to our Y6 netball team who came third in the 'crime beat' netball tournament on the 4th February and to the swimming squad who won the Oakleigh House swimming gala on the 13th February (for the second consecutive year!).

Important Dates

Monday 24th February – INSET day

Tuesday 25th February – Y3 PC Craig

Friday 28th February – St David's Day Celebrations (tbc)

Thursday 5th March – Dress up for World Book Day

Friday 20th March – Wear odd socks for Down Syndrome Day

Thursday 26th March – Y6 PC Craig

Friday 27th March – Y4 to Oxwich

Thursday 2nd April – Wear Onesies for ASD Awareness Day

Monday 6th April to Friday 17th April – Easter holidays

Monday 20th April – INSET day

Tuesday 28th April to Tuesday 5th May – National Test Week

Monday 4th May to Thursday 7th May - Y6 residential trip to Margam Activity Centre

Tuesday 5th May – Fluoride Varnish in Nursery to Y2

Friday 8th May – Bank Holiday

Tuesday 12th May – Y6 transitional visit from Olchfa pupils

Thursday 14th May – KS2 Sport's Day at Swansea University Athletics Track

Thursday 21st May – Foundation Phase Sport's Day

Friday 22nd May – Y4 Class Assembly

Monday 25th May to Friday 29th May – Half Term

Friday 5th June at 2pm – Y1 Class Assembly

Friday 12th June at 2pm – Y2 Class Assembly

Friday 19th June at 2pm – Y3 Class Assembly

Friday 19th June – Y6 PC Craig

Thursday 25th June – Y2 PC Craig

Friday 26th June at 2pm – Reception Class Assembly

Monday 29th June – Reception and Y1 PC Craig

Tuesday 30th June to Friday 3rd July – Y6 to Y7 Induction Day

Friday 3rd July at 2pm – Y5 Class Assembly

Friday 10th July at 4pm – Y6 Leavers' Concert

Monday 13th July – Reports sent out to Parents

Monday 20th July – INSET day

