



# YSGOL CARREG HIR

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One of the most pleasurable tasks of being Chairman to the Governing Body is being able to carry out frequent visits to the school and being able to see how happy and content children are in the environment created by Mrs Hynes and her staff at Ysgol Carreg Hir. Apart from scheduled meetings I try to call in a few times a month to show my support to children and staff, and to have the chance to see how the children not only interact with each other but how much they all seem to gain from their time at Ysgol Carreg Hir.

Something I have been heard to say in the past, but something which I do strongly believe, is that the school is a happy place. I am always being greeted with a smile and a pleasant greeting whenever children pass me when I walk through the school. This is a credit to all concerned, the children, their parents/carers, and the staff – both teaching and non-teaching.

School is a place of learning, but children should never be reluctant to want to go to school, and learning should be fun as well as informative. I believe that Mrs Hynes and her staff tick all the boxes when it comes to educating young children. There will always be challenges but as you would expect from such a strong team, these are always overcome.

As we approach the end of the Autumn Term, may I take this opportunity to thank everyone - pupils, parents/carers and staff for all the hard work put in during the year and to wish you all the compliments of the season and a Happy New Year.

Best wishes

Peter R Nedin  
Chair to the Governing Body

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