

VICTORIA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

"Together we aim for the stars"

29th November 2024
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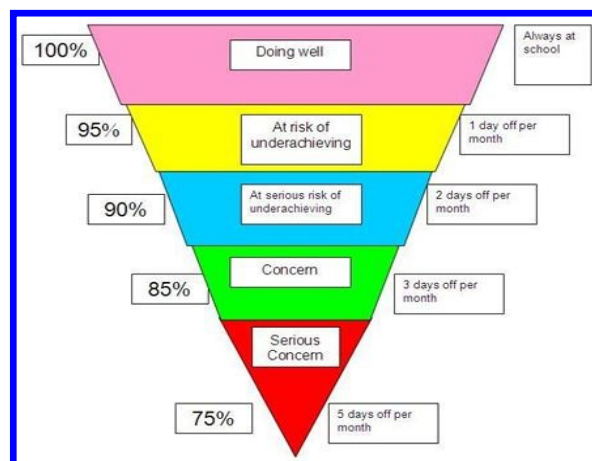
HEADTEACHER'S THOUGHTS THIS WEEK

Annwyl Parents/Carers,
We have received many donations for our PTA Christmas Fayre. Once again, thank you for your generosity. We look forward to seeing you tomorrow—lets hope the weather is kind!
Next week, we will start our Christmas performances—a full KS2 performance at Stanwell School! The children have had just two weeks to rehearse and prepare and it never ceases to amaze me how they rise to the challenge. The staff may have a few more grey hairs, but we look forward to sharing the start of our Christmas celebrations with you. Diolch yn fawr for your continued support.
Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Davies

PRESENTOLDEB

Below is a pictorial reminder to parents on how important it is for children to attend school everyday. We would like to thank you for your continued support in this area.
School attendance for this week was 93.6%. A special well done to Class 4G and RSD who had the highest attendance with 99.5%.
WELL DONE!



Welsh phrase of the week



Patrwm Yr Wythnos

This week's patrwm is ...

Beth wyt ti'n wisgo?
What are you wearing?

crys-t aur
t-shirt

esgidiau du
black shoes

Trowsus llwyd
Grey trousers



Ways to respond...

Dw i'n gwisgo siwmpwr coch.
I am wearing a jumper.

Dw i'n gwisgo sgarff a menig.
I am wearing a scarf and gloves.

*Dw i ddim yn gwisgo sbectol haul.
I am not wearing sunglasses.

**Dw i'n gwisgo siorts achos mae hi'n boeth.
I am wearing shorts because it is hot.

Christmas Socks Day

As we are nearing the festive season, we are excited to announce that the School Council are organising a Christmas Socks Day on Friday 6th December. On this day, we would like to encourage everyone to wear a pair of festive (or funky socks) and bring in a donation of £1.

All proceeds will go to the Kids Cancer Charity. For over 30 years, Kids Cancer Charity has provided invaluable therapy and care breaks, helping to ensure that families do not feel alone in their times of need.

By participating in this event, they will not only have fun wearing colourful socks but also contribute to a meaningful cause.

The School Council will be announcing the event during an assembly at the start of December focussed on what Kids Cancer Charity is and understanding the positive impact we can make by giving back to those in need.

Thank you, The School Council

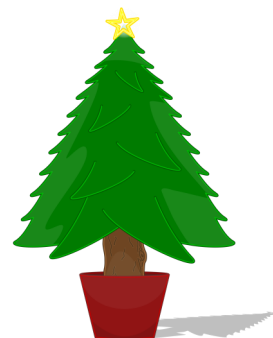


Ty Cerrig Christmas Tree Farm

We have partnered with Ty Cerrig Christmas Tree Farm again this year who very generously offer a school support scheme to help raise money for our PTA! If you plan to buy a real Christmas tree this year, book an appointment with Ty Cerrig and select the name of our school and then, in January, the support points are converted into cash and sent directly to us. You can book your slot here: www.tycerrigchristmastrees.co.uk.

Please consider supporting this local business when buying your tree and don't forget to select Victoria

Primary School when booking!



Awdur Seren (Star Writer)



Reception

Jowan Coles

Julia Puchta

Y1

Eleri Parry-weeks

Toby Young

Y2

Elis Jones

Alys Slade

Y3

Charlotte Jones

Eli Walls

Y4

Elen Hales

Eva Mason

Y5

Molly Sanders

Annabelle Ely

Y6

Izzy Weigel

Roy Xie

Victoria Primary PTA's

Christmas Post Box - **OPEN 29 NOVEMBER - 18 DECEMBER 2024**

The Christmas post box is ready to send letters to the North Pole. Post your letters to Father Christmas and they'll go straight to the elf factory.

If you remember to put your home address on the form you should get a note back from the elves to say they've got it.

Post box is located on the school fence on the corner of Cornerswell Road and Baron Road. Free to all Victoria Primary children.



Key Stage 2 Author Visit

Author, Emilie Tasker, visited our KS2 children to talk about a new book she has released called 'The Whimstrick', which is aimed at children 7+. She spoke to the children about the book, how she decided to start a story and explained to them that they can be anything they want to be. She finished the visit by reading a chapter from the book. A wonderful inspiration for our budding authors.





VICTORIA SQUARE CHRISTMAS TWINKLE TRAIL

29 November to 24 December 2024
Can you find all the Elves' Twinkle Lights?

TRAIL FORMS ARE AVAILABLE FROM
FOXY'S DELI FOR £3 (*donation to Friends
of Victoria Square*).
Complete and RETURN THEM TO FOXY'S
to receive a gift from the elves.

The Victoria Square Elves have hidden **24 little twinkle lights** in the trees... **Can you find them all?** Each one represents a different Christmas object. Hanging from each is a **wooden circle with a number on and the object's name** (in English and Welsh). Use this to fill out the **trail form**.

Can you find the four Elves as well? They are hiding near the entrances to the square. Find the elves' wooden tag to discover their names.

The lights will automatically go on between **14.00 & 19.00** every day.
Get your form from Foxy's (7 Royal Buildings, Victoria Road CF64 3ED - opposite the station). Complete any time between the 30 November and the 24 December and return to Foxy's to receive an Elfish Gift.

More information at www.trailsbalesandsnails.co.uk

Calendr 2024/2025

Christmas Fayre

KS2 Christmas performance at Stanwell School
PTA Wreath workshop
Whole school Sherman theatre trip
Christmas Sock Day
Theme week

Reception Christmas performance
Nursery singalong
Y1/Y2 Christmas performance

Class Parties

Last day of term

First day of term

Y5 Sparks Media Workshops
Cookery classes begin (every Thursday)
Y1/2 trip to Techniquet

INSET—school closed to pupils

Book Week
World Book Day (**costume needed**)
Eisteddfod
PTA Quiz
Danceathon

Y5 to Warner Brothers Studios

INSET—school closed to pupils

Y6 residential

INSET—school closed to pupils

Saturday 30th November

Weds 4th Dec/Thurs 5th Dec
Thursday 5th December
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Friday 6th December
w/b 9th December

Tuesday 10th December 9.30am
Weds 11th December 10:45am
Friday 13th December

Wednesday 18th December

Friday 20th December

Monday 6th January

Thursday 9th January
Thurs 16th Jan—
Wednesday 29th January

Friday 21st February

w/b Monday 3rd March
Thursday 6th March
Friday 7th March
Friday 21st March
Friday 28th March
Thursday 3rd April

Friday 2nd May

w/b Monday 12th May
Monday 21st July

