



Ysgol Penmorfa Newsletter



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Social Distancing!

As you are aware Rec J are presently self-isolating due to a positive case in the class. Please can everyone follow the rules as per Welsh Government to keep everyone safe. We are currently in a local lockdown and households should not be mixing! If everyone adheres by the rules hopefully the numbers of coronavirus cases will begin to reduce. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding with this.

Daniel, from 3J, has created his own Dinosaur Land at home. It looks great Daniel, da iawn ti!



Internet Safety

Do you know what your child is accessing on the internet and who they are talking to?

Is it appropriate for their age?

It has been brought to our attention that children are accessing sites which are far too old for them and some very young children are using games which are inappropriate. We want to make sure that all of our children are safe, therefore, a letter will be sent via your class's seesaw app today with information about E-safety. Below are also some useful links with further information.

Thanks/Diolch

<https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/advice-centre/parents-and-carers>

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/articles/gaming/>

<https://www.ceop.police.uk/safety-centre/>

Mrs Davies' Challenge for Rec J!

What can you do with empty egg boxes?

Here are a few things you could try:

- 1) Egg-box ball game craft

A fun game for one to four players where you have to bounce a ball into the holes and tot up the scores



- 2) Make a spotty dog mask



- 3) Your own idea

EVENTS
PRESTATYN

**SPOOKTACULAR
SCARECROW COMPETITION**
OCTOBER 7TH – OCTOBER 28TH

MAKE A HALLOWEEN THEMED SCARECROW TO DISPLAY IN YOUR GARDEN FOR THE CHANCE TO WIN £100!

THE COMPETITION WILL BE OPEN BETWEEN 7TH AND 28TH OCTOBER 2020. TO ENTER SIMPLY SEND YOUR NAME AND A PHOTOGRAPH OF YOUR SCARECROW TO EVENTS@PRESTATYN.COUNCIL.WALES OR TAG US ON INSTAGRAM @WHATSONPRESTATYN

THE COMPETITION WILL BE JUDGED BY THE MAYOR OF PRESTATYN ON 29TH AND 30TH OCTOBER AND THE WINNER ANNOUNCED ON HALLOWEEN, 31ST OCTOBER 2020.

1ST PRIZE IS £100 AND 2ND PRIZE IS £50
T'S & C'S APPLY

Organised by Prestatyn Town Council
For more information please call 05745 857185 or email Events@prestatyn.council.wales

Help your child with reading - Free online course for parents

This online course will help parents become confident in some basic techniques to support their child in learning to read. We will look at a range of literacy strategies and how to use them at home, demonstrate some fun activities and games and discuss homemade and commercial resources to support a child's reading.

Next course starts 13 October

Bespoke courses can be arranged for a group of parents from one school or a cluster.

For full details click here: <https://www.adultlearning.wales/en/course/40277>

Any questions? Email jane.watkins@adultlearning.wales



Here are some pictures from what has been a busy week in 3J. Da iawn pawb.



Grace R – 6th October

Isabella B – 6th October

Phillip H – 6th October

Macey H – 7th October

Isaac R – 7th October

Jasmine A – 8th October

Jacob R – 9th October

Harri W – 10th October



Self-Isolating

We would love to know what you are getting up to if you are having to self-isolate. Please send any pictures to

Sharon.A.Davies@denbighshire.gov.uk

as you did when we were in lockdown and I will include them on the weekly newsletter. Thank you and I look forward to seeing what you have been getting up to or some pictures of the challenge I set you in the page above!

Reception children have been hunting for sounds outside this week. Wow fantastic all of you, I hope you enjoyed it too!



School Field

Please note that due to the amount of rain we have had recently the school field is now very wet. We have arranged for the top gates (passed the mushrooms to the Nursery and Reception areas) to be opened both before and after school so that you can walk that way to get to the year 3/4 block rather than across the field. Hopefully this will help. Alternatively, the gate at the back of school will also be open.

Many thanks for your understanding.

I have attached our Family link leaflet with this newsletter. It will give you information on how they can help and support our families along with their contact details. Thanks.

Making the Most of Everyone