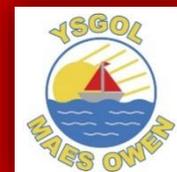


Ysgol Maes Owen



Aim to learn, learn to succeed ~ Anelu at ddysgu, dysgu i lwyddo

May 2021

Dear Parents and Guardians,

I hope you and your friends and families remain safe and well.

We have all continued to have a wonderful time here since schools reopened! Your children have been engrossed in their learning and have continued to enjoy their time back with our team and their friends. I really am so grateful for all the positivity and supportive comments I have received from you all – it really is appreciated by us all!

Please see the dates below as they stand currently for the rest of the Summer Term. More activities will be added as soon as the current situation allows.

We pride ourselves as being an approachable and open team here, so please don't hesitate to contact the School Office should you need any further information. Wishing you a peaceful and enjoyable half term break too.

Kind Regards,

Mrs C Foulkes
(Headteacher)

May	
Friday 28th	School closes at the end of the day today for Half Term break
June	
Monday 7th	School reopens for all learners
Tuesday 8th	Cycle Proficiency sessions begin – Year 5
Thursday 10th	Year 2 Transition Session with Miss Pye
Monday 14th	Transition Session – Some Yr 6 learners from Dosbarth Mrs Wilkinson & Dosbarth Mr Morgan
Tuesday 15th	Cycle Proficiency sessions – Year 5 Transition Session – Some Yr 6 learners from Dosbarth Mrs James & Dosbarth Miss Blears
Tuesday 17th	Year 2 Transition Session with Miss Pye
Tuesday 22nd	Cycle Proficiency sessions – Year 5
Thursday 24th	Year 2 Transition Session with Miss Pye
Friday 25th	Learner End of Year Reports emailed out to families
Week Beginning Monday 28th	Parents/Guardians Evenings this week – all classes – more information to follow closer to the time
Tuesday 29th	Ysgol Emrys Ap Iwan Parents/Guardians Evening for Year 6 families
Wednesday 30th	Year 2 Transition Session with Miss Pye
July	
Thursday 1st	Year 6 Ysgol Emrys Ap Iwan Transition Taster Day Whole School Transition/Taster Day – Learners find out their classes for 2021/2022
July	
Thursday 8th	Year 2 Transition Session with Miss Pye
Friday 16 th	School closes at the end of the day today for the Summer break

If you have additional needs relating to disability, language or cultural issues with which you require assistance at a particular school event, please contact us to arrange the assistance required.



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Message from Miss Pye, (Head of Years 3 and 4) :

I am delighted to share once again, that we have all had a fun filled and engaging half term. Lower school classes have fully embraced their new topic linked with our class novel, The Demon Headmaster. They have experienced and explored schools in the past, learnt about the history of Towyn Juniors and have even developed detailed plans for a new modern school. Our Victorian Day and World of Work Day were both great successes as we have such great support from you all. Thank you!



We have continued to achieve in lower school, with all classes nominating a representative and all children having the opportunity to take part in our Maes Owen Election 2021. We were very proud to announce that our School Minister this year is a pupil from year 4, Leilani! A great achievement, da iawn Leilani. Leilani will now join our School Ambassadors and represent the pupil's voice in our school. Another success this term was achieving the runner up position in the North Wales Police Internet Safety competition. Samsun has won a number of exciting prizes for himself in addition to winning an amount of money for the school. Samsun will also work with the Ambassadors and the Minister and will decide where he would like to spend this reward! An excellent start to the Summer term, you have all been the sunshine that makes our day!

Message from Mrs James, (Acting Head of Years 5 and 6):

Another busy, hard-working, fun-filled half term is drawing to a close!

We began our new topic 'Fi, Cymru, Y Byd' at the start of term, learning about ourselves, our family, our school and our community.

We welcomed some governors for a Q&A session, which was incredibly interesting and inspiring for our pupils in Upper School.



We learned about the Senedd Elections, wrote our own manifestos, formed class political parties and voted in the Maes Owen Elections, which was lots of fun!

Congratulations to Leilani, who was elected our First Minister representing 'PAR34TY'



We had a wonderful 'World of Work' week which began with us dressing up as someone in our dream job! We researched our dream jobs, wrote personal statements and even interviewed each other, practising positive body language!



As always, our learning has taken us outside and the pupils in Upper School have been learning and practising their netball skills in PE lessons this term and are busy preparing for the netball tournaments taking place this week within their bubbles.

You all deserve a rest over half term! Relax and recharge your batteries ready for lots of exciting learning in the second half of summer term 2021.

