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17th November 2023 Edition 10

Anti Bullying Week

Thank you to everyone who was able to make it to school this week to work with your children - we had great comments about the morning and a reply and retweet from the anti-bullying alliance!. If you would like to leave some feedback you can do so here.

If you haven't yet had a chance to add your views about our approach to dealing with bullying, you can also take part in a survey by clicking here: The survey will close on Wednesday 9am and we will be using the information gained from it to revise our anti - bullying policy. We will share the results with you when we have finished analysing it.



Christmas Dinner

Don't forget to book your child's Christmas Dinner so we can ensure sufficient ingredients are ordered please book the Christmas meal on Parentpay by Wednesday 6th December.

Christmas Concert Tickets

This week, you should have received Christmas concert tickets. To allow us to fill unwanted spaces, we rely on parents returning tickets they do not require, so please send any unwanted tickets back to school. These will be re-allocated as they are returned.

If you require extra tickets, please follow the link for your child's class.

R and Y1 - https://forms.office.com/e/4pVAM5aypJ Y2 and Y3 - https://forms.office.com/e/tF0p0CwVFT

Year 6 will, as is tradition, be telling the story of Christmas at Shirenewton Church on Monday 18th December at 6pm

Children in Need



Thank you to everyone for your efforts to help us mark Children in Need Day today. We raised **£** 255 A great effort, diolch yn fawr! If you haven't already and can spare anything at all, please use this <u>link</u> to make your donations

Shirenewton After School Club

After School Club are moving over to an online booking and register system from December 4th. If you require an adhoc space or regular day(s) each week please log in and register your child.

shirenewtonafterschoolclub.kidsclubhq.co.uk

Spaces can be booked up until 14:00 on the day but please continue to inform the school of any changes to pick up.

If you have any questions or queries please contact Rebecca on **07484 664592**

Lion's Roar

Once again, I was privileged to be a judge for the Year 6 Lion's Roar Competition this week, alongside a judge from the Chepstow and Caldicot Lions.



Thank you to the Lions for sponsoring this excellent initiative! We saw some outstanding ideas for products which were innovative, useful and realistic. I was particularly impressed with the ideas which were designed to help others to do things most take for granted, for example, there was a device to help open drawers; and a AI 'friend' to give tips on how to join in to those who find it difficult to take the first steps to join in with others. The children's speaking and listening skills were outstanding. The winning team of the 'Roar' will go on to represent Shirenewton at a competition involving other schools from our cluster and the surrounding area. Da iawn!

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Congratulations to the following learners for earning themselves a headteacher certificate this week. "Llongyfarchiadau" i...

Tîm Coed Coch		Tîm Helyg		Tîm Derwen		Tîm Collen
Dosbarth Reception	Blwyddyn Un	Blwyddyn Dau	Blwyddyn Tri	Blwyddyn Pedwar	Blwyddyn Pump	Blwyddyn Chwech
Lyndon	Hattie	Leo	Fred	Jack JC	Emily	Jasmine
Marcus	Sebastian	Ava	Paris	Noah	Florence	Alfie
Paige	Aiden	Rohan	Chloe	Rhys	Max	Jasmine

Talents and Achievements



Shirenewton School @shirenewtonsch · Nov 14

Diolch yn fawr for sharing your talents and achievements this week 😂 So



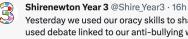
This week we have been...

Shirenewton Year 4 @Shire_Year4 · Nov 15

Wow! What an incredible morning. This morning we had invited our adults in as part of our #antibullying k! We looked at how to help people who might be bullied and how being bullied might make them feel. We used what we discussed to help us create amazing poems as a group







Yesterday we used our oracy skills to share arguments for and against. We used debate linked to our anti-bullying week. Da iawn Dosbarth Tri!



Shirenewton Year 2 @Shire_Year2 · Nov 15

What an absolute pleasure it was to have families join us this morning for our #AntiBullyingWeek2023 Everyone did a fantastic job celebrating being them and it was wonderful to see you all working together 😍 @shirenewtonsch @shi healthaole

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Shirenewton Year 5 @Shire_Year5 · Nov 15

Lovely to be joined by so many parents to #MakeANoise about bullying this morning! A really rich and mature discussion about when 'banter' turns to bullying! #AntiBullyingWeek @ABAonline @shirenewtonsch





This week our Arctic animals disappeared! They were found frozen inside ice blocks. We thought about lots of ways to get our animals out. We used Fire, dropping, hot water and hammering. Lots of us predicted that dropping it would be the fastest. @Shire_STEM @shirenewtonsch



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Shirenewton Year 6 @shirenewton_6 · Nov 14 ndkidzroar 2023! Diolch to Sandra from Chepstow & Caldicot Lions & Mr Penn for judging our entries. We loved showcasing our work to parents. Congratulations to the winning team, who will be entered into the national competition! @shirenewtonsch @shirehumanities



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Diary Dates 2023/24

New information highlighted in yellow

Autumn Term 2023

Sunday 12th November - Remembrance Sunday

Monday 13th November - Individual and sibling photographs

Wed 15th November - Open Morning for parents 9:15am

Fri 17th November - Children in Need day

Mon 27th November - Governors' Meeting

Monday 4th December – Tim Helyg Dress Rehearsal

Wednesday 6th December – Tim Helyg Concert 2pm

Saturday 9th December - Christmas Fayre

Monday 11th December – Tim Derwen Dress Rehearsal

Tuesday 12th December - Christmas Dinner

Wednesday 13th December - Tim Derwen Concert 2pm

Thursday 14th December - Rec-Y3 Christingle

Monday 18th December - Tim Coed Coch Dress Rehearsal

Monday 18th December - Y6 Carol Concert 6pm

Tuesday 19th December – Y2 and 3 to Itton Church

Wednesday 20th - Tim Coed Coch Concert 2pm

Thursday 21st December - Last day of Autumn Term

Friday 22nd December – INSET Day school closed to pupils

Mon 25th December to Friday 7 January - Christmas Holiday

Monday 8th January - INSET Day school closed to pupils

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