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Dear Parents / Annwyl Rhienni

National Reading and Numeracy Tests: 4th – 10th May 2016

Information booklets are being sent home for parents of year 2 pupils. For parents of all other groups (years 3-6), the updated guide is in electronic copy version only and is available on line on the following web address

<http://learning.gov.wales/resources/collections/national-reading-and-numeracy-tests>

Parents Evening

We have arranged Parents Evening on the following days:

- ❖ 16th May 3pm – 5.20pm Foundation Phase with Mrs Meaden
- ❖ 17th May 3pm – 5.20pm Foundation Phase with Mrs Meaden & Miss Jones-Gunes
- ❖ If you are able to make an appointment on the Tuesday this will enable you to speak to both class teachers
- ❖ 16th May 3pm – 5.50pm – Juniors with Mr Williams & Miss Davies
- ❖ 17th May 3pm – 5.50pm – Juniors with Mr Williams
- ❖ If you are able to make an appointment on the Monday, this will enable you to speak to both class teachers.
- ❖ Appointment sheets are on the appropriate classroom doors.

Forthcoming events – please see over for a list of forthcoming events for this term. There will be additions to this which we will let you know about as and when.

'Race for Life'

- ❖ We have arranged our own 'race for life' on Wednesday 18th May at 2pm on the school field. All children are invited to take part and other family members, friends, community members are also welcome to join us. We are not putting a distance on the walk/run - you can choose how far you would like to go.
- ❖ I am attaching a sponsor form to this letter.
- ❖ We will be raising funds in memory of Helen Ingman (William's Mum) for Cancer Research. Friends of School will be serving refreshments back in school afterwards.

Music Tuition Fee

- ❖ For those parents who pay for music tuition by instalments this terms fee of £44 is now due. You can pay online preferably, or by cheque.
- ❖ There are a couple of outstanding payments from last term too.
- ❖ If you are paying online please ignore the 0.50p in the box as I have to put a minimum amount, and as some children learn 2 instruments I can't put £44 as you can only enter one child once. (hope that makes sense! Elaine). This also allows parents to make payments for this term and last term, if they have not already done so.



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Water Bottles

If children could bring in their own water bottles into school it would be appreciated

After School Club

I am forwarding the 'draft admissions policy' for your information. This will be discussed at our Governors meeting this Thursday evening and parents will be informed of any changes /amendments.

Governors meeting this term is on Thursday 28th April at 5.30pm.

Friends of School – there are still a couple of outstanding payments of £3 per child for the Easter Bingo/Treasure held last term, if you could send money into the school office we can then pass it on to 'Friends' – thank you

Yours sincerely / Yr eiddoch yn gywir

Janet Meaden, Headteacher



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