



Ysgol Gymraeg Llwynderw Governors' Annual Report to Parents 2022-2023

Visits and events

- ✓ 3 and 4 Botanical Gardens
- ✓ 3 and 4 Glyn Vivian
- ✓ World Book day
- ✓ VE Day celebration
- ✓ Cardiff Bay
- ✓ Llanion
- ✓ Llangrannog
- ✓ E-safety day
- ✓ Year 6 filming with Boom
- ✓ Code Cracking Workshop
- ✓ Meithrin - Gower Heritage Centre
- ✓ 1 and 2 - Folly Farm
- ✓ 5 and 6 - Harry Potter Studios
- ✓ Reception - Swansea Community Farm
- ✓ 3 and 4 St Fagan's
- ✓ Outdoor week
- ✓ Nursery - Caswell Bay
- ✓ Jamboree in Neath

Connections with the community:

- **Collections for the West Cross food bank**
- **Choir singing in the Ostreme Centre**
- **Choir singing in All Saint Church, Mumbles**
- **Tawe festival - 'Can Actol' and the drumming group performed**
- **Primary Partners - 'Can Actol' performed in the Grand Theatre**
- **Planting trees with Mumbles Community Council**
- **Welsh lessons for families in school, run by Swansea University**
- **Donations of secondhand uniform given to Grow Cymru**
- **Individual and class photos taken by a local business; Roz and Kirsty**



Governors @ 31.08.23

- Mrs Rachel Collins *Head Teacher*
- Mr Gethin Horan *Teaching Staff Representative*
- Mrs Carly Chinhengo *Support Staff Representative*
- Mrs Ann Evans *Community Governor*
- Mr Chris Prosser *Parent Governor*
- Mrs Emma Beynon *Parent Governor*
- Mrs Anwen Jones *Parent Governor*
- Mrs Nerys James *Parent Governor*
- Mrs Sara Keeton *Additional Community Governor*
- Mr Martyn Jones *Community Governor*
- Clerk – Mrs Lowri Phillips

Sport and PE opportunities

- Swimming lessons for every yr 3 – 6 pupil ; half a term each
- Weekly extra-curricular clubs – net ball, football, sports for girls, cross country
- Football, rugby, cricket, athletics tournaments
- School sports day
- Daily mile

Charity donations

- McMillan Coffee Morning **£217.63**
- Children in Need **£413.10**
- Christmas Jumper Day – Save the Children **£188**
- Velindre Cancer Centre **£190**
- Red Nose Day **£325.10**
- Morrison Appeal **£256.80**



Yma gyda'n gilydd yn gwneud ein gorau glas

Staff who left during the year:

Mr S Elis
Mrs C Roberts
Miss S Hooper
Miss C Richards
Miss C Trick
Miss S Allwood
Mrs A Lowe
Mrs C Parvin

Hwyl fawr a phob lwc!



a big welcome to...

Mrs C Rubio
Miss L Ciccolella

Opportunities throughout the year:

- Wood school every two weeks
- Orchestra every week
- Instrument lessons
- Choir practice, song act, folk dancing
- Harvest celebrations
- Christmas concerts
- Coffee morning
- David's Day Celebrations / School Eisteddfod
- Book Day
- Welsh Music Day
- Transition events to year 6
- Parents' evenings
- The Urdd Eisteddfod
- Outdoor week celebrations/walking bus
- Gardening
- Music Skills Afternoon
- Summer Fair
- Children's Rights Award

The duties of the governors are to....

- work closely with the headteacher to ensure that the school works effectively.
- be responsible for the general behavior of the school.
- examine the school's curriculum in the light of the Education Authority's policies.
- decide if sex education is part of the school's curriculum.
- propose principles to the headteacher when deciding on a discipline policy
- managing money that has been transferred from the Education Authority.
- be responsible for appointing the school's staff.
- ensure that information about the school is available to the parents.
- be responsible for organizing an annual report for the parents.

School budget - reserves:

££££££

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| ▪ Final formula allocation | £1,147,667 |
| ▪ Total net expenditure | £1,272,945 |
| ▪ Transfer to (from) reserves | £125,278 |
| ▪ Opening funds and reserves 01/04/22 | £328,719 |
| ▪ Closing funds and reserves 31/03/23 | <u>£203,441</u> |

School Development Plan - Priorities 2023

Improving our pupils' mathematical reasoning skills

Improving our pupils' spoken Welsh skills including raising the status of the language and love for the language across all stages of progress

To promote the mental and emotional well-being of pupils so that they have access to learning

Ensuring consistency in the arrangement of the classes across the school.

Ensuring equal opportunities for our pupils to work independently in order to develop skills

Ensure that the children understand the feedback indicated on their work

Parents have the right to request a meeting with the governors to discuss the content of the report and any other matter relating to the life of the school. The governors must receive a petition with the names of at least 10% of the parents of the school's registered children in order to hold up to 3 meetings a year.

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