



ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH IN WALES (AIDED) PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope that you and your families have enjoyed a good Easter break and we are now looking forward to a busy and exciting summer term.

We are constantly reviewing our Covid -19 procedures at school and are slowly making our way back to normality, with the children now beginning to meet for more whole school and cross class activities. As you will see from the dates for diary below, we have many events arranged this term and we are looking forward, Covid permitting, to welcome parents back to some of our events later in the term, including sports day and musical productions.

Absence due to illness

Our procedures for absences from school due to general illness or Covid—19 remain the same for the time being. Therefore, if your child tests positive for Covid-19, the process remains that they are tested on day 5 and day 6 and if both tests are negative they can return to school. If your child is generally unwell then please keep them at home until they are feeling better and if they experience sickness or diarrhoea, your child needs to stay away from school for 48 hours after the last episode.

We are aware that access to lateral flow tests will end on June 30th and we will update you nearer to the time as to how procedures might change.

Welly Walk

It was fantastic to see the pupils really enjoy our welly walk together before Easter and many thanks to the Friends of the School for organising such a lovely event again and to the parents who helped out on the day. If you could send any money raised back to school as soon as possible please and we will let you know the total raised in due course.

After school club

Our after school club the 'Later Lambs' is growing in numbers and over the last few weeks they have had visits from football coaches, potters and outdoor activity specialists, which proved to be very popular. We are hoping to be able to invite more visitors to the club to work with the children in the future. If your child has not yet attended, why not give it a try? For more information, please contact Mrs. Lewis in the office.

PE kits

The summer term is always a busy one for sporting activities and we try to make as much use of our lovely outdoor spaces as possible. Please ensure that your child has a PE kit, including suitable trainers in school so that they can take part in these fun activities.

We look forward to an exciting term and thank you as always for your continued support,

Mr. Phillips

Dates for Summer Term 2022

April 2022	June 2022
26 th – Pupils return to school	6 th – Pupils return to school
26 th – Roman Workshop (Class 3)	6 th – Enterprise project preparation week
27 th – Governors meeting	10 th – Enterprise project ‘Dragon’s Den’
27 th – First swimming session (Class 2)	17 th – Enterprise project event
28 th – Stardome – Whole school visit (in school)	21 st – Sports day
May 2022	22 nd – Newtown High School Transition Visit (Year 5)
2 nd – Bank holiday	27 th – Non pupil day (Staff training)
4 th – PC Sweetman visit (Class 1 and 2)	July 2022
5 th – Screening tests (Reception)	4 th /5 th /6 th – Newtown High School Transition (Year 6)
12 th – Techniquet trip (Class 3)	5 th /6 th – Foundation Phase summer production
24 th – North Powys Cross Country Finals	8 th – Newtown Swimming Gala (Year 3-6)
24 th – Newtown High School Transition Visit (Year 6)	12 th – Key Stage 2 summer production (Afternoon and evening)
27 th – Jubilee Tea Party	13 th – Leavers Party
27 th – Half term	14 th – Leavers Assembly
	14 th – Last day of term
	15 th – Non pupil day (Staff training)