



Waun Wen Primary Newsletter

September 29th 2023

Happily Achieving Together



Tesco Community Grant

Thank you so much to everyone who has been putting the blue tokens into the Waun Wen Gardening Project in Tesco stores over the last 2 months. Every time I have been in, it looks like we are strong contenders for first place, but we won't know until the final count which should be next week. I know some of you have had all your family members collecting them to make sure we have a good chance, thank you so much for your support.

Inset Day

The next Inset day will be **Monday 6th November** which means the children will return to school on **Tuesday 7th November**. The children will break up for Christmas on Thursday 21st December and return on Monday 8th January 2024. There are 3 remaining Inset days left for this school year, and as soon as the dates are confirmed I will let you know.

Community Garden – Brynmelyn Park

The Friends of Brynmelyn Park are hoping to have a community garden opening on Saturday 7th October. I have not had the times confirmed yet, and it will be weather permitting, but as soon as we know a message will be sent out on class dojo. The Friends have worked incredibly hard and made an enormous difference to the area. They have been so welcoming to us and including the children in as much as they could whilst the area was still being developed. They will be looking for more volunteers to help them with gardening, and I will tell you more details as soon as I have them.

Christmas Card Competition

The Creative Rockstars are hoping that lots of our children will take part in a Christmas Card competition. Details have been sent out on Class Dojo, and the closing date is Friday 20th October.

Uniform

We haven't got to half term yet and there are loads of jumpers around the school with no home to go to. We can't match them up with the owner because there is no name on them. Please put your child's name on the label to make it easier to get them back to where they belong, and avoid you having to buy more.

Dates for the diary:

- **27.10.23** – Break up for half term
- **06.11.23** – Inset day
- **07.11.23** – Children return to school
- **21.12.23** – Children finish for Christmas

Value of the month (October)
Respect

Language of the month (October)
Spanish

