

BRYN Y DERYN AND CARNEGIE NEWSLETTER

January 2023

Happy new year and welcome to the January edition of our monthly newsletter. Below, you will find a collection of resources such as help guides, announcements and support services that may be of use to you.

Parents/carers can always contact the centre by calling 02920 529 398 or emailing schooladmin@brynyderyn.cardiff.sch.uk

Informing school of non-attendance

We are required to take a reason for non-attendance for every day that learners are absent. If your child is unable to come to school, please contact the office via phone (02920 529398) or email (schooladmin@brynyderyn.cardiff.sch.uk). This allows us to adhere to legal requirements such as accurate registers and safety/welfare commitments.

We'd like to express our gratitude to parents/carers who have already been contacting school on the occasions that their child is absent.

Nasal spray flu vaccine

The cut off point for submitting E-Consent forms for the nasal spray flu vaccine has now passed. Parents/carers are still welcome to submit a consent form if they wish to be offered a catch-up clinic appointment. This can be done through this link: <https://forms.office.com/r/T8xSny9s3x>.

The catch up clinic is open on these dates and the following locations:

Monday 9th of January	Saturday 14th of January	Saturday 21st January
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Woodlands House MVC• Maes-y-coed Rd, Cardiff CF14 4HH• 3pm-6pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Holm View MVC• Skomer Road Barry CF62 9DA 9am-1pm• 11am-1pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Woodlands House MVC• Maes-y-coed Rd, Cardiff CF14 4HH• 11am-1pm

BYD/CC's gym club

The previous term saw a start to an afterschool gym club that runs on Wednesdays 2:30pm – 3:20pm. This afterschool club will continue through this new term.

This gives our learners an opportunity to exercise and learn about the benefits of a healthy, balanced lifestyle. It has already been a success with an increasing number of learners staying afterschool to take part.



All learners are welcome to join in. Parents/carers are welcome to contact us if interested in gaining more information, and learners can express their interest to a member of staff in school.

Emotional Wellbeing and Mental Health support

The Children, Young People and Family Health Services provide useful information about emotional wellbeing, mental health, services available and how to access them. They also provide useful advice and resources.

Further information can be found at www.cavyoungwellbeing.wales. They have specific sections for children, young people, parents and carers, and professionals.

Controlled assessments

Some learners will have controlled assessments this term. These will begin towards the end of the month and continue in February.

BYD Year 11s – food and nutrition assessment beginning Monday 30.01.23, ending by Friday 03.02.23.

CC Year 11s – food and nutrition assessment, on Mon 13th Feb, Wed 15th Feb and Thurs 16th Feb

CC – Year 12 BTEC performing arts controlled assessment, on Tues 14th Feb and Thurs 16th Feb

The science unit 1 NEA controlled assessment and photography, art and textiles assessments for Year 11s will be held later in the term. An exams timetable will be sent out with further details.

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See our Blog

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We hope you have found the above information useful. Please don't hesitate to contact us should you have any questions.

