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Dear Parents and Friends of Meadowbank School,

Please find below our news and updates for this week, we will do our best to give as much notice as possible for important events.

### Upcoming dates



Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May – Bank Holiday so school will be closed to both staff and pupils

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> May – INSET day so school will be closed to pupils

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> May – ‘Wear it green’ day in support of Mental Health Awareness week.

### Half term

A reminder that next week is our Spring school holiday. We will not be in school for the next two weeks, returning on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April. We hope you have a restful time with your friends and families.



### Toileting support



ERIC (The children’s bowel and bladder charity) are available to provide support around toileting for your children. They aim to improve children’s bowel and bladder health and want to reduce the impact of continence problems for children and their families. There is lots of advice on their website at [www.eric.org.uk](http://www.eric.org.uk), or you can telephone their helpline on 0808 801 0343 Monday to Thursday between 10am and 2pm.

### Easter Bonnet Parade

Thank you to everyone who took part in creating a hat or bonnet for our Easter bonnet parade. The parade was so bright and colourful, and everyone enjoyed seeing the wonderful creations! We were even treated to a visit from the Easter Bunny who joined our parade on the courtyard. Check out our ‘X’ pages for some photos of the day so you can see the fun that was had by all.



### Illness



Could we please remind parents that if your child is ill from vomiting or diarrhea, they will need to remain at home for 48 hours following the last incidence of vomiting or diarrhea. This is a Public Health policy that we have to follow to ensure the health and wellbeing of all pupils and staff, avoiding the risk of spreading the illness.

### Gair yr Wythnos – week beginning 28<sup>th</sup> April

Our Welsh word(s) of the week will be:



**Brawd / Chwaer**  
Brother / Sister



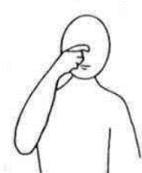
**BROTHER**



Rub knuckles



**SISTER**



Tap middle of nose twice

**Diary Dates:** INSET Days: September 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>, October 25<sup>th</sup>, March 3<sup>rd</sup>, **May 6<sup>th</sup>, July 21<sup>st</sup>**

Half Term holiday: Monday 14<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> April

May Bank Holiday: Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May

Pupils return to school: Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April