

## Parent/Carer E-Bulletin/Fwletin/E-Bulletin

# W/C Monday 13th October to Friday 24th October 2025

# MCAS (My child at school) APP - Information Sharing

If you have not yet downloaded the MCAS app, please can you do so as a matter of priority. Moving forward this app will become the main source of communication between school and home. This will include communication regarding attendance, behaviour, exams, trips and school reports. Failure to download and sign up to the app, will result in you missing key information regarding your child/children's education. If you have any queries regarding this, please contact Mrs Kate Roberts, attendance officer either by emailing attendance@rhosnesni-high.wrexham.sch.uk or phoning 01978 340947

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#### **Diwrnod Su'mae Day**

This Wednesday, October 15th, we celebrate **Su'mae / Shw mae** day. A day when everyone is encouraged to greet each other in Cymraeg.

Su'mae is the North Wales version of 'Hi, how are you' whilst Shw'mae is used in South Wales.

Rho gynnig arni! Does dim rhaid i chi siarad Cymraeg yn rhugl i gymryd rhan! Give it a go! You don't need to be able to speak Welsh fluently to take part!

#### Wellbeing

Please see the attached PowerPoint detailing the fantastic selection of reading books we have in the school to support students with their wellbeing and mental health. The books are available for all students to browse in the library/nurture base.

## **Student Council Wellbeing Club**

Mrs Crow and our Student Council are running a Student Wellbeing Club – Open for Years 7-9, every break time in LH14. Plenty of cool activities to enjoy and an ideal place to make new friends. Please see the attached poster for more details.

#### **Nasal Flu Immunisation**

Nasal Flu Immunisations will be taking place for all Year groups on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2025. Please ask your child to give their consent form directly to the School Nurse on the day.

### **Year 10 and 11 Progress Reviews**

A progress review for all students in Year's 10 and 11 will be made available on MCAS by Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2025. Please keep an eye on MCAS for them to be posted.

## **Coleg Cambria November Open Events for Year 11 Students**

Coleg Cambria are running a series of open evenings for Year 11 students. Please select the link to see the different dates for each campus and to book your places at the events.

Please book your place on the open events using the link below: <a href="https://www.cambria.ac.uk/campaigns/openevents/">https://www.cambria.ac.uk/campaigns/openevents/</a>

Coleg Cambria also offer students the option to learn in Welsh, this can be discussed at the open events too.

# **Year 11 Exam Boosting Workshops**

Please see the attached list of Exam boosting workshops that are available for your son/daughter this half term. The sessions will be updated as we progress through the academic year. All of the afterschool workshop sessions are available on MCAS for you to enrol your child up to. This will in turn populate the register and once marked you will be able to see they have attended.

The actual Mathematics Numeracy GCSE examination for Year 11 will take place the first week back after half term on the following dates:

Unit 1 (non-calculator) – Tuesday 4th November 8:45am

Unit 2 (calculator) - Thursday 6th November 8:45am

#### **Year 11 Mock GCSE Exam Timetable**

Year 11 Mock GCSE Exams commence week beginning 03-11-25. Please find attached our Year 11 Mock Exam Timetable.

## **Linguascope Login Details Update**

Please be advised that the password for accessing <a href="www.linguascope.com">www.linguascope.com</a> has recently changed. The new password is:

# greendolphin49

We kindly ask that you update your records accordingly to ensure continued access to this valuable learning resource.

#### **Extra-Curricular Clubs**

Please see the attached list of Extra-Curricular Clubs available to your child. The afterschool clubs are now available on MCAS for you to enrol your child up to. This will in turn populate the register and once marked you will be able to see they have attended.

## **Up and Running!**

Active Wrexham have an exciting new <u>FREE</u> community session starting on **Monday 22**<sup>nd</sup> **September** for 8 weeks-

## **Up and Running!**

Beginners running course Women and Girls only (for ages 12+) Queensway Track 5.30-6.10pm Every Monday and Wednesday

See attached flyers to sign up!

### X – Formally 'Twitter'

Please take the opportunity view the fantastic photographs posted on Rhosnesni High School's X account, showcasing our students learning experiences, during various events being held in school, educational workshops, trips, and students generally enjoying their learning experiences at RHS.

# **Recently posted on Twitter**

- GCSE Art student enjoying a wonderful day exploring the Liverpool Art Galleries
- Year 8 STEM students taking part in an engineering-themed learning challenge
- GCSE Geography students completing their fieldwork at Nant Mill
- Year 9 Geography students looked how important the rainforest is in their guided reading.
- Year 7 creating headlines in their English class

## **Uniform Standards and Conformity**

Please can you ensure your child complies with the following key points in accordance with the uniform policy agreed by the Governing Body:

- Footwear students must <u>not</u> wear canvass style pumps, boots or trainers. **Shoes must be polishable and a traditional style**
- Skirts students must not wear denim, tight fitting, skin-tight, pencil, tube-like skirt. No splits. Skirts must be knee length
- Trousers the following styles are <u>not</u> permitted: bootcut, flare, drainpipe, skinny, cargo, jeans, leggings, jeggings, chino and cropped calf length/ankle grazers.
- Socks the following sock styles are not permitted: trainer style, knee high or over the knee socks
- No hoodies

- The following items are <u>not</u> permitted: false nails or eyelashes, facial piercings, necklaces, rings, bracelets or heavy makeup or nail varnish
- Earrings only a single stud in each ear lobe is permitted on health and safety grounds

Please click into the link below to access the Uniform and information guide for parents/carers. This leaflet provides detailed information about what we constitute to be appropriate. <a href="https://rhosnesni-high.wrexham.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2025/07/Uniform-Guide-and-Information-Guide-2025-V5-1.pdf">https://rhosnesni-high.wrexham.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2025/07/Uniform-Guide-and-Information-Guide-2025-V5-1.pdf</a>.

## **Attendance and Punctuality**

All parents/carers will continue to receive regular attendance reports detailing their child's overall percentage attendance and the number of school days missed during the school year. Regular attendance at school is important for your child's mental health, wellbeing and attainment. Therefore, please ensure you child attends school every day when they are able to do so. Students need to be on the school site by no later than 8.40am. Persistent late comers will be placed on detention with their Head of Year and parents/carers will be informed as a matter of courtesy via a text message. We do not authorise holidays during term time.

If you have an attendance issue, please contact the school using the following methods: Attendance@rhosnesni-high.wrexham.sch.uk or telephone: 01978 340947.

## **Contacting School**

Telephone: 01978 340840 Email: Mailbox@rhosnesni-high.wrexham.sch.uk

Diolch yn fawr, Team Rhosnesni.