

NEWSLETTER

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PENBLWYDD HAPUS

We would like to wish Kate, Lily-Grace & Lyah a happy birthday for next week.

GROWTH MINDSET

A positive mindset can make a big difference to how we approach things.

“It is kind of fun to do the impossible.”

CYMRAEG CAMPUS

Each week we will provide you with some Welsh phrases/word to try/learn with your family or within the community. Mwynhewch!

Goleuadau Nadolig / Christmas lights

WELSH APPS

Each week we will tell you about a free app to help your child learn Welsh:

Celf gyda Sam – Art and Craft app

NURSERY ADMISSION

Nursery applications for September 2026 admissions are open through Denbighshire County Council website.

The closing date for Nursery applications is **16th February 2025**. If you know of any new parents who would like a tour of the school, please ask them to contact us.

YOUR SCHOOL LOTTERY

The PTFA has registered with ‘Your School Lottery’. Parents, extended family, staff and members of the community can support the school by buying a weekly lottery ticket.

Tickets cost £1 per week and the proceeds are donated to Ysgol Caer Drewyn’s PTFA. The more tickets are sold the greater the weekly cash prize will be. Winners are notified by email and winning paid into the account of your choice. The easiest way to join is online at [yourschoollottery.co.uk](https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk) and select the school’s name and pay by direct debit or debit card.

https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/ysgol-caer-drewyn?utm_campaign=tickets-share-panel&utm_source=cause-admin&utm_medium=social&utm_content=Hyperlink

There will be a Christmas Golden Draw soon - £10,000 cash bonanza, £5k for you and £5k for our school. Why not join and buy a ticket?

Please spread the word and support. Diolch

COGURDD

Well done to Diya who competed in the regional final for the Urdd Cogurdd competition at Rhyl. She made a savoury breakfast.

PTFA CHOCOLATE BOUQUET RAFFLE

Tickets for the PTFA chocolate bouquet raffle are available to purchase, either through your parent pay account or by sending money to school. £1 per strip of tickets. Photos of the bouquet are on our school Facebook page.

CHRISTMAS HAMPER RAFFLE

Tickets for our Christmas hamper raffle are available to purchase either through your parent pay account or by sending money to school. The raffle will be drawn at the end of term.

PTFA CRISTMAS BINGO

The PTFA Christmas Bingo raised £245 for PTFA funds. Thank you to everyone who attended and for the donations received.

PTFA CHRISTMAS FAIR

The PTFA Christmas fair will be held in school on **Monday 8th December**. Come along and join in the festive fun, 3.15-5.00pm.

PTFA SCHOOL CALENDAR

Our school calendar is now available to order @£5 each. Don't forget to return your pre order slip with the money or if you would prefer to pay on parent pay, once we receive the slip, we will place the payment on your account and the calendar will be sent home before the end of term.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT TICKETS

Don't forget to purchase your concert tickets **before** the performances, Tickets are still available for our school Christmas productions on 10th December at 2.00pm and at 6.00pm for our performances. Tickets are payable through your parent pay account.

GIFT GIVING

With the end of term fast approaching we would like to point out that children are not expected to give a present for the staff at the end of the year. The costs of living have risen significantly. Gifts to staff have never been expected or required, you choose to do what is right for your family. Thank you

EVENTS FOR W/B: 8th December 2025

Headlice – Remember – Once a week take a peek!
Seesaw: Please ensure you have switched on notifications so you don't miss any messages.

Mon 8 th	<p>Don't forget if you want to use the breakfast club for next week, you must register through the online form available on our Facebook page from today <u>and</u> pay through your Parent Pay account. The breakfast club opens at 8.15am.</p> <p>Year 6: Please bring a large orange for your Christingles.</p> <p>AM: Piano & Harp lessons with Dylan Cernyw</p> <p>3.10-5.00pm: PTFA Christmas Fayre.</p>
Tue 9 th	<p>AM: Guitar & Saxophone lessons with Aled Williams</p> <p>PM: PE lesson - Dosbarth Derwen (Yrs.5 & 6) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.</p>
Wed 10 th	<p>2.00pm: Christmas Concert, Rec-Yr 6. Don't forget to purchase your tickets prior to concert.</p> <p>6.00pm: Christmas Concert, Rec-Yr 6. Don't forget to purchase your tickets prior to concert.</p> <p>3.15-4.45pm: Open Access Play, Clawdd Poncen</p>
Thur 11 th	
Fri 12 th	<p>Don't forget the breakfast club online registration & ability to pay on Parent Pay for the next week will close at mid-day today.</p> <p>AM: Drum lesson with Steve Jones</p>

MENU FOR WEEK BEGINNING: 8th December 2025



If you have any dietary requirements, please don't hesitate to contact our school cook Aunty Dawn.

Packed lunches (Cheese, Tuna or Ham) or Filled jacket potatoes (Beans, Cheese or Beans & Cheese) can be provided every day instead of the choices of hot meals.

Monday	Salmon Fishcake, New Potatoes & Peas Or Cheese Pizza & Mixed Salad Oatie Apple Biscuit & Milk
Tuesday	Chicken Pasta Bake Or Vegetable Cottage Pie Fruit & Yoghurt
Wednesday	Minced Beef, Creamed Potato, Mixed Vegetables Or Veggie Fajitas & Mixed Salad Banoffee Sponge
Thursday	Pork Loin Steak, Roast Potatoes, Gravy, Cauliflower & Carrots Or Vegetable Loaf, Roast Potatoes, Gravy, Cauliflower & Carrots Fruit Yoghurt & Fruit Wedges
Friday	Breaded Chicken Goujons, Chipped Potatoes & Beans Or Welsh Rarebit, Chipped Potatoes & Beans Chocolate & Orange Brownie

The menu may occasionally be subject to slight change dependant on food deliveries.