

NEWSLETTER

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PENBLWYDD HAPUS

We would like to wish Harvey, Ruby & Amani a happy birthday for next week.

GROWTH MINDSET

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

“Once your mindset changes, everything on the outside will change along with it.”

CYMRAEG CAMPUS

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

Coffadwriaeth / Remembrance

WELSH APPS

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

Infants: Betsan & Roco yn y dref 1 – stories & poems for children

Juniors: AP Geiriaduron – A welsh dictionary app

SECONDARY SCHOOL TRANSPORT

Year 6 parents can now apply for secondary school transport for September 2025. You will need to apply online as soon as possible through

Denbighshire County Councils website www.denbighshire.gov.uk/school-transport or by clicking the link on the Facebook page we have shared.

CORWEN CRICKET

Corwen Junior Cricket will be starting **from 13th May**. Ages 8+, all abilities welcome, boys and girls. All sessions are fun, friendly and free! The sessions will be held every Tuesday, 7-8pm at the War Memorial Park, Corwen.

Corwen cricket club, (War Memorial Park) are offering Dynamos cricket for boys and girls from 8-11 years old. There will be 8 sessions and they start Friday 16th May until 4th July, 6.00-7.00pm. The cost is £15 for all 8 sessions. You can contact John Wildman jwildm@hotmail.com, 07927449321.

URDD ART AND CRAFT

The entries for the Urdd art and craft competition were judged this week in Ruthin. The standard was very high and all our pupils' entries were amazing., da iawn pawb. The following children were successful and they will be able to attend an award evening to receive their certificates during the next few weeks. We will let you know when we have been told the date and time.

3rd place – Seren for her printing Yr. 3 & 4

3rd place – Emma for her cartoon character Yr. 6 and under

1st place – Emma for her jewellery Yr.6 and under.

YSGOL DINAS BRAN WELCOME PACK

The year 6 pupils who will be attending Ysgol Dinas Bran from September have received this week their welcome packs and bus pass for their induction and transition/activity days in July – please keep this pass somewhere safe. On page 6 of the handbook, you will find a QR code which will take you to all the forms Dinas Bran require, please complete these for your child, by 23rd May. A copy of the handbook can also be found on Dinas Bran's website www.dinasbran.co.uk

COMPETITION WINNERS

Our year 5 & 6 pupils wrote a song with Morgan Elwy and 2 other local schools for the Curlew project that they participated in earlier this year. The song was entered into the UK Curlew action poetry competition for under 16's and we have just been informed that they have won. We have received our certificate and each school will receive a Curlew print by artist Luke Weston as their prize.

SCHOOL ESSENTIALS GRANT

Parents who receive a qualifying benefit can get a grant of £125 if their children are in reception, year 1 to 11. (Year 7 are entitled to a grant of £200). If you receive one of the following benefits you would be entitled to apply: income support, income-based job seekers allowance, income related employment and support allowance, child tax credit with an annual income below £16,190, pension credit, support under part 6 of the immigration and asylum act and universal credit with a yearly net evening of no more than £7,400. If you receive working tax credit you cannot apply. You can apply through Denbighshire County Councils' website and the closing date for the 2024/2025 school year is 31st May 2025. A looked after child can apply without a parent, guardian or carer receiving a qualifying benefit.

WELSH LESSONS

Welsh lessons will be on offer at Canolfan Ni every Wednesday for 8 weeks, 14/5/25-02/07/25, 12-1pm. A fun filled and informal programme focusing on speaking Welsh with your children.

To register contact clwbcwtsh@meithrin.cymru

EVENTS FOR W/B: 12th May 2025

ONCE A WEEK, TAKE A PEEK www.onceaweektakeapeek.com

Mon 12 th May	<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 and pay through your Parent Pay account. The breakfast club opens at 8.15am.</p> <p>AM: Guitar lessons with Aled Williams</p> <p>AM: Football Festival @ Ysgol Dinas Bran – Dosbarth Derwen. PE kit and packed lunch required.</p>
Tue 13 th May	<p>PM: PE: Rugby session with Kate Davies, Ruthin rugby officer- Dosbarth Derwen (Yrs 5 & 6) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.</p>
Wed 14 th May	<p>PM: PE- Dosbarth Collen (Yrs.3 & 4) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.</p> <p>PM: Singing lessons with Sian Williams</p>
Thur 15 th May	<p>AM: Piano/Harp lesson with Dylan Cernyw</p> <p>PM: Drum lessons with Ben Neal</p> <p>3.10-4.10pm: Eco/Gardening club for registered pupils.</p>
Fri 16 th May	<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: Swimming lessons for Dosbarth Collen & Derwen Don't forget to tie long hair back, your swimming costume (one piece for girls), goggles & towel</p> <p>AM: PE lesson - Dosbarth Celyn (Rec) & Dosbarth Helyg (Yrs.1 & 2) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.</p>

MENU FOR WEEK BEGINNING: 12th May 2025



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

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	Oven baked sausage, potato waffle, plain omelette & baked beans Or Homemade Cauliflower Cheese Bake with mixed salad Welsh Cake & a glass of milk
Tuesday	Homemade Chicken Fajita with rainbow coleslaw and mixed salad Or Homemade Vegetable Savoury rice with rainbow coleslaw and mixed salad Yoghurt and Fruit Wedges
Wednesday	Beef Bolognese, with garlic bread, pasta twists & sweetcorn Or Mixed Bean Chilli, steamed rice & sweetcorn Spiced Sponge
Thursday	Roast Beef, Yorkshire pudding, with Creamed Potatoes and Carrots & Broccoli Or Homemade Cheese Pie, Roast Potatoes with Creamed Potatoes and Carrots & Broccoli Yoghurt and Fruit Wedges
Friday	Turtle themed Day Turtle (chicken) burger in a bun, Chips & Mixed salad Or Glamorgan Sausage in a bun, Chips & Mixed salad Coral Belgium Waffle with Toffee Sauce

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