

# NEWSLETTER

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## PENBLWYDD HAPUS

We would like to wish Mitzee a happy birthday for next week.

## GROWTH MINDSET

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

**“Stop being afraid of what could go wrong and start being excited about what could go right.”**

## CYMRAEG CAMPUS

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

**Pryd mae dy ben-blwydd di? Mae fy mhen-blwydd yn ... / When is your birthday? My birthday is on ...**

## WELSH WEBSITES

Each week we will tell you about a free website to help your child learn

Welsh: **Urdd Gobaith Cymru** – [www.urdd.cymru](http://www.urdd.cymru)

## LANGUAGE AND PLAY

The Monday morning language and play sessions with our family link worker Nicola Williams will return in September.

## SCHOOL UNIFORM

***Don't forget to order your uniform in readiness for September.*** As your aware you can purchase our school uniform through the School Trends website – [www.schooltrends.co.uk](http://www.schooltrends.co.uk)

**Orders placed online before July 21<sup>st</sup> can get 15% off with the code FRESH26**

## PTFA SUMMER FAYRE

The PTFA Summer Fayre will be held on **Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> July, 3.10-5.00pm.**

**If you can assist/volunteer on the day or would like to have a stall, please contact the school office.**

## BAKERS AND JAM MARKERS

The PTFA would appreciate any donations of homemade produce – cakes, chutneys, jams, biscuits and cookies for the PTFA Summer Fayre on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> July. Please bring any items by midday on Thursday. Diolch

## **AREA SWIMMING AND SPORTS**

Well done to all the children who represented the school at the recent area swimming gala and sports day.

The following children received 1<sup>st</sup> place in their races and received a medal each.

Swimming Gala: Joe Front Crawl & Breast stroke. Emily Front Crawl, Dev Breaststroke, Joe, Dev, Ollie & Harry Boys Relay.

Area Sports: Preston Hurdles, Faith Skipping & Emily Hurdles.

The medals were kindly sponsored by New Direction Supply Agency.

## **VACANCIES**

We currently have 2 vacancies at the school for a caretaker and a cleaner.

The closing date for both is 9<sup>th</sup> July and you can apply through the online application form on Denbighshire County Council's website.

If you know of anyone suitable, please share with them. Diolch

## **PTFA SUMMER RAFFLE**

Tickets for the PTFA Summer Raffle are now available to purchase through your Parent Pay account or at the PTFA Fayre on 9<sup>th</sup> July. Tickets are £1 a strip. It's our biggest raffle yet with over 20 amazing prizes to win from Sunday lunch at Rhug to Costa vouchers, so increased chances to win!

Please support

## **INSTAGRAM**

We have set up a new school Instagram page, it's still in its early days but we will be starting to share school news, achievements and special moments on this page as we do on our Facebook page. Please join our Instagram page [ysgol\\_caerdrewyn](#)

## **CYCLING TO SCHOOL**

It is lovely to see more children cycle or scooter to school. The bike racks are on the corner between the infant and junior yard.

If your child attends breakfast club, can they please take their bikes to the bike racks before they ring the bell to enter breakfast club.

Can we also remind all children to wear a helmet and walk their bikes onto and off the school yard to prevent any collisions/accidents with other children/adults walking in.

## **SPONSORED WALK**

3 mums (Grace: Harry & Bella, Shannon: Ava and Katie: Frankie & Penelope) are walking up Snowdon on 25<sup>th</sup> July and have kindly decided to turn the event into a sponsored walk to raise money for the school.

They each have sponsored forms, so you can see them directly to sponsor them or you can give a sponsor donation on your Parent Pay account. We wish them all good luck and our thanks for supporting the school.

## EVENTS FOR W/B: 6<sup>th</sup> July 2026

**Headlice – Remember – Once a week take a peek!**

**Seesaw: Please ensure you have switched on notifications, so you don't miss any messages.**

<p>Mon 6<sup>th</sup></p>	<p>Don't forget if you want to use the breakfast club for next week, you must register through the online form available on <b>our Facebook page from today <u>and</u> pay through your Parent Pay account.</b> The breakfast club opens at 8.15am.</p> <p>Ysgol Dinas Bran Induction Day – Year 6</p> <p>Moving up day – Children move up to the next class. Current nursery stay all day <b>10.30am:</b> R3 parents can join the class for an informal chat with the teacher and view the classes. Family link worker Nicola Williams will also be in attendance</p> <p><b>AM:</b> Piano/Harp lessons with Dylan Cernyw</p>
<p>Tue 7<sup>th</sup></p>	<p>Ysgol Dinas Bran Transition Day – Year 6</p> <p>No school for R3 and Nursery – returning tomorrow</p> <p>Library trip visit – Dosbarth Celyn &amp; Helyg (Rec, Yr. 1 &amp; 2) Normal uniform. <b>They will need their snack in a bag/rucksack they can carry themselves</b></p> <p><b>AM:</b> Guitar &amp; Saxophone lessons with Aled Williams</p> <p><b>PM:</b> PE lesson - <b>Dosbarth Derwen</b> (Yrs.5 &amp; 6) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.</p> <p><b>3.20pm:</b> Visit to Dr Gibbs Garden – Pupils attending have been notified. <b>Parents to collect from the school at 5.00pm.</b></p>
<p>Wed 8<sup>th</sup></p>	<p><b>Llangollen Eisteddfod Trip – Dosbarth Derwen.</b> Uniform to be worn, Packed lunch required and no more than £10 spending money (in change) <b>Need to be at Corwen train station for 8.15am</b> – train leaving the platform at 8.30am. <b>Returning to Corwen train station for 3.45pm</b> Please be on time dropping off and collecting your child.</p> <p><b>PM:</b> PE lesson - <b>Dosbarth Collen</b> (Yrs.3 &amp; 4) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.</p> <p><b>3.15-4.45pm:</b> Open Access Play, Clawdd Poncen</p>
<p>Thur 9<sup>th</sup></p>	<p>Ysgol Dinas Bran Transition Day – Year 6</p> <p><b>AM:</b> Library Summer Reading Launch – Librarian Emily Ashworth – Whole school</p> <p><b>PM:</b> PE lesson - <b>Dosbarth Helyg</b> (Yrs.1 &amp; 2 and Reception) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.</p> <p><b>3.10-5.00pm:</b> PTFA Summer Fayre. <b>Please support.</b></p>
<p>Fri 10<sup>th</sup></p>	<p>Don't forget the breakfast club online registration &amp; ability to pay on Parent Pay for the next week will <b>close at mid-day today.</b></p> <p>Ysgol Dinas Bran Transition Day – Year 6</p> <p><b>AM:</b> Drum lesson with Steve Jones</p> <p><b>10.00am:</b> Cricket Festival – Dosbarth Derwen PE kit to be worn</p> <p><b>AM:</b> PE lesson - <b>Dosbarth Celyn</b> (Nur) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.</p>

## MENU FOR WEEK BEGINNING: 6<sup>th</sup> July 2026



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.

<b>Monday</b>	Big Breakfast, Potato Waffle, Beans & Frilled Tomato Or Welsh Rarebit, Potato Waffle, Beans  Fruit & Yoghurt
<b>Tuesday</b>	Chicken Korma, Pilau Rice, Peas & Sweetcorn Or Pesto Pasta, Homemade Bread & Sweetcorn  Oaty Fruit Cookie
<b>Wednesday</b>	Lasagne, Garlic Bread, & Sweetcorn Or Creamy Broccoli Bake, Garlic Bread, & Sweetcorn  Fruit & Yoghurt
<b>Thursday</b>	Roast Chicken or Pork or Beef, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes, Gravy, Fresh Carrots & Broccoli/Cauliflower Or Sage & Onion Loaf, Roast Potatoes, Gravy, Fresh Carrots & Broccoli/Cauliflower  Fruit Crumble and Custard
<b>Friday</b>	Battered Fillet of Fish, Chips & Peas Or Vegetable Burger in a Bun, Chips & Peas  Fruit & Yoghurt

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