

NEWSLETTER

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PENBLWYDD HAPUS

We would like to wish Harry B a happy birthday this week and Finley a happy birthday for next week.

WELCOME

We would like to welcome Charlie to our year 6/Dosbarth Derwen. We are sure he will settle in quickly.

GROWTH MINDSET

A positive mindset can make a big difference to how we approach things.
“If it doesn’t challenge you, it won’t change you.”

CYMRAEG CAMPUS

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

Ga i fynd i allan i chwarae? / Can I go out to play?

NURSERY & RECEPTION ADMISSION

The closing date for Reception applications is **17th November – those who have children in our current nursery class will need to apply now for Reception.**

The closing date for Nursery applications is 16th February 2004.

PTFA SPOOKY DISCO

Thank you to everyone who supported our PTFA Spooky disco, especially our parent and staff volunteers. We raised £245.80 for the PTFA funds.

LANGUAGE AND PLAY

Make a note in your diary and encourage other parents to join.

Our family link worker Teleri Richards will be providing 6 Language and Play sessions every half term in the school hall. The bilingual sessions are **held on a Friday morning, 9.00-10.30am, until 15th December.** Parents with children 3 months to 3 years old are welcome to join. **(Next weeks session will be held on Thursday morning instead of Friday)**

OPEN AFTERNOON

We have another open day for prospective nursery and reception parents to view our early years facilities and meet the staff on **Wednesday 15th November, 3.30-4.30pm.** Please share with other parents and promote our wonderful school

CHILDREN IN NEED

Next **Friday 17th November** is Children in Need Day. The School Council have decided to ask pupils to dress in their own clothes, preferably with a spotty theme and bring a donation of £1. There will also be cakes @ 50p and milkshake or hot chocolate @£1 for sale on the day. Please support and join in the fun.

ANTI-BULLYING WEEK

Next week **13th-17th November** is anti-bullying week. During the week we will reinforce the message about how we approach bullying. The theme this year is make some noise against bullying. On **Monday 13th November** we would also like everyone to come to school with odd socks as part of the National Odd Sock Day to help us celebrate that we are all unique.

RECYCLING FLEET COMPETITION

Well done to Finley and Dosbarth Helyg – their suggestions for names for the new Denbighshire recycling fleet have been selected. So next time your refuse is collected have a look to see if it has been collected by Tyrbo or Stitch!

EISTEDDFOD POWYS

Our year 5 & 6 pupils participated in a Welsh writing competition for Eisteddfod Powys which was held in Bala. We are pleased to inform you that Rio received 3rd place for his writing. Da iawn Rio.

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 winnings paid into the account of your choice.

The easiest way to join is online at yourschoollottery.co.uk and select the school’s name and pay by direct debit or debit card.

Please spread the word and support. Diolch

BAGS FOR SCHOOL

You received a Bag 2 School bag before half term, they are a company who specialises in good quality second hand clothing that can be re-used. They do not accept duvets, pillow, cushions or school or work uniforms. The bags collected are weighed and the school receives a percentage of the total weight collected. **Please bring your bags to school for collection on Tuesday 21st November.** Thank you for your support.

EVENTS FOR W/B: 13th November 2023

<p>Mon 13th</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 our Facebook page from today and pay through your Parent Pay account. The breakfast club opens at 8.15am.</p> <p>Odd Sock Day – pupils/staff to come to school wearing odd socks.</p> <p>AM: Technocamp Lego Robotics workshop – Dosbarth Helyg</p> <p>PM: Piano lessons restart with Mr Dylan Cernyw</p> <p>3.15pm: Parent Evening – If you cannot attend, please inform the class teacher, so an alternative date can be made.</p>
<p>Tue 14th</p>	<p>AM: Guitar lessons with Mr Aled Williams</p> <p>AM: Technocamp Make some noise workshop – Dosbarth Derwen PM: Technocamp Lego Forces & Motions workshop – Dosbarth Collen</p> <p>12 -12.25pm: Clwb Cymraeg, Yrs.3-6 – Mrs Rees</p> <p>PM: PE lesson - Dosbarth Derwen (Yrs. 5 & 6) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.</p>
<p>Wed 15th</p>	<p>12noon: Come Dine with Me – Year 5 parents</p> <p>PM: PE lesson - Dosbarth Collen (Yrs.3 & 4) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.</p> <p>3.30-4.30pm: Open Afternoon for prospective new nursery & reception pupil.</p>
<p>Thur 16th</p>	<p>9.00-11.00am: Language & Play Session – Parents & babies/toddlers under 3 with Teleri Richards (Change of day from Friday – for this week only)</p> <p>AM: Drum lessons Mr Ben Neal</p> <p>AM: Girls football tournament @ Corwen 3G pitch – A team from Yrs. 5 & 6. Don't forget to wear your kit and trainers/shin pads and bring your uniform in a bag to change into when you return.</p> <p>12.30 -1.00pm: Choir Club, Yrs.3-6 – Mrs C Davies</p> <p>PM: PE lesson - Dosbarth Helyg (Rec, Yrs.1 & 2) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.</p> <p>PM: Forest School Friday – Yrs.5 & 6</p> <p>3.10-4.00pm: Eco Club Yrs3-6 – Miss Allyson & Miss Catherine</p>
<p>Fri 17th</p>	<p>Don't forget the breakfast club online registration & ability to pay on Parent Pay for next week will close at mid-day today.</p> <p>Admissions closing date for Reception pupils for Sept 2024</p> <p>Children in Need Day – wear own clothes, preferably with a spots theme @ £1. Cakes/milkshakes/Hot chocolate for sale 50-£1.</p> <p>AM: PE lesson - Dosbarth Celyn (Nur) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.</p> <p>AM: Forest School Friday – Nur & Rec PM: Forest School Friday – Yrs. 1, 2, 3 & 4</p>

MENU FOR WEEK BEGINNING: 13th November 2023



School lunch **£2.50** a day. **Remember, to pay through Parent Pay.**

ALL SCHOOL MEALS SHOULD BE PAID FOR IN ADVANCE OF MEALS TAKEN.

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

Packed lunches (choice of cheese or tuna) or Filled jacket potatoes can be provided again every day instead of a hot meal.

Don't forget all Reception, Years 1, 2, 3 & 4 pupils are now entitled to a FREE lunch.

Monday	Chicken Meatballs in a Homemade Tomato Sauce Pasta Garlic Bread Ice Cream Pot
Tuesday	Savoury Mince Beef Sauté Potatoes with Cheese Country Style Vegetables Chocolate Rice Krispy Cake
Wednesday	Fish Cake Creamed potatoes Beans Apple Sponge with Custard
Thursday	Roast Turkey with Stuffing & Gravy Roast Potatoes Fresh Carrots & Peas Fruit Jelly
Friday	Battered Chicken Fillet Chips Mixed Salad & Coleslaw Pudsey biscuit

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