

NEWSLETTER

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PENBLWYDD HAPUS

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

GROWTH MINDSET

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

“I’m not telling you it’s going to be easy, I’m telling you it’s going to be worth it.”

CYMRAEG CAMPUS

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

Beth wyt ti’n hoffi? / What do you like?

WELSH APPS

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

Welsh maths: Cyfri gyda Cyw

SECONDARY ADMISSION

Parents of year 6 pupils can now apply for secondary September 2027 admissions through Denbighshire County Council website. **The closing date is 31st October 2026.**

NURSERY & RECEPTION ADMISSION

Parents of current nursery pupils can now apply for Reception September 2027 admissions online through Denbighshire County Council website. **The closing date is 15th January 2027**

The Nursery admissions for September 2027 is also now open. If your child turns 3 before 31st August 2027, they can join our nursery class.

Closing date for applications is 15th February 2027.

OPEN AFTERNOONS

There will be an open afternoon on **14th October, 1.30-2.30pm** for prospective parents for nursery or reception pupils due to start in September 2027. Please spread the word about our wonderful school and encourage parents to visit.

CORWEN FIREWORKS

The annual community firework event will be held on 7th November. There will be a tombola on the evening and they are currently collecting items for their children and adult tombola. If you have any suitable items, you may drop them off at the school, there is a collection box in the reception area.

PTFA CAKE STALL

The PTFA are arranging a cake stall on Corwen Square on **Saturday 24th October from 8.30am**. They are kindly asking for donations of cakes or home produce to be brought to school by Thursday 22nd October or taken to the square on the Saturday by 8.30am. Thank you for your support.

PTFA AUTUMN RAFFLE

Tickets for the PTFA Autumn raffle are now available to be purchased through your parent pay account. Tickets are £1 per strip. The raffle will be drawn at the end of our harvest service on Wednesday 21st October at 2.30pm.

PTFA TRICK OR TREAT QUIZ

On Monday we will send a PTFA trick or treat name the sweet quiz sheet. Return the completed quiz and the £1 entry fee either in cash or pay on parent pay no later than 22nd October.

HEADLICE

Please remember to check your children's hair and all members of the family for head lice on a regularly basis and treat if live lice are found.

☐ It is best to check for head lice using a comb made for the purpose, ideally white so they can be easily seen and with teeth no more than 0.3mm apart in order to trap head lice

☐ Combing through the hair when wet, or after applying a conditioner, may make the process more comfortable

☐ Good lighting is important and so is comfort

Treatment should only be applied if a living, moving louse is found – never 'just in case'. **If treating the hair, do not forget to apply a 2nd treatment the following week.** Continue to check for head lice on a regular, weekly basis – **ONCE A WEEK, TAKE A PEEK**

www.onceaweektakeapeek.com

SWIMMING LESSONS – SPLASH AND WAVE 1

Corwen leisure centre currently has space in their splash and wave 1 lessons for ages 3-5. Cost is £30 per months. To book apply online DLL.co.uk/DLL-Swim-Academy

EVENTS FOR W/B: 12th October 2026

Headlice – Remember – Once a week take a peek!

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

Mon 12 th	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. 3.10pm: Parent Evening. 3.00-6.00pm: Community Information Event
Tue 13 th	PM: PE lesson -Dosbarth Derwen (Yrs.5 & 6) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper. PM: Singing lessons with Sian Williams 3.30-5.00pm: Family Cooking workshop, school hall. Yr. 5 & 6 with their parent – for those who have registered.
Wed 14 th	AM: Urdd Cogurdd Competition – for registered 5 & 6 pupils PM: PE lesson -Dosbarth Collen (Yrs.3 & 4) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper. 1.30-2.30pm: Open Evening – Prospective Parents 3.15-4.45pm: Play Rangers – Open access play at Clawdd Poncen park.
Thur 15 th	PM: PE lesson -Dosbarth Helyg (Yrs.1 & 2 and Reception) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper. 3.10-4.00pm: Eco Club for notified pupils.
Fri 16 th	Don't forget the breakfast club online registration & ability to pay on Parent Pay for the next week will close at mid-day today. AM: PE lesson - Dosbarth Celyn (Rec). You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.

MENU FOR WEEK BEGINNING: 12th October 2026



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

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

Monday	Salmon Fish Star, Creamed Potatoes, Country Veg & Sweetcorn Or Swedish Veggie Bites, Creamed Potatoes, Country Veg & Sweetcorn Fruit & Yoghurt
Tuesday	Creamy Chicken Tagliatelle, Garlic and Herb New Potatoes & Peas Or Margarita Pizza, Garlic and Herb New Potatoes & Peas Shortbread & Fruit and Milk
Wednesday	Beef Bolognese, Pasta Twists, Sweetcorn & Broccoli Or Five Bean Hot Pot Fruit & Yoghurt
Thursday	Roast Pork, Apple Sauce, Roast Potatoes, Stuffing, Gravy, Cauliflower & Carrots Or Creamy Vegetables Pie, Roast Potatoes, Gravy, Cauliflower & Carrots Fruit & Yoghurt
Friday	Chicken Breast Burger in a Bun, Chips, Carrot & Cucumber Sticks Or Glamorgan Sausage, Chips, Carrot & Cucumber Sticks Apple & Syrup Sponge and Custard

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