

NEWSLETTER

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PENBLWYDD HAPUS

We would like to wish Francis, Gabriella & Miss Ffion a happy birthday for next week.

GROWTH MINDSET

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

“There is no elevator to success. You have to take the stairs.”

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 to eisiau? / What do you want?

WELSH APPS

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

Welsh alphabet: Cyw a'r wyddor

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.

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. Please bring any items by 21st October.

PTFA CAKE STALL

The PTFA are arranging a cake stall on Corwen Square on **Saturday 24th October from 9.00am**. 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

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

FRUIT OR VEGETABLE SNACKS

Can we kindly ask that all fruit or vegetable snacks are cut up e.g. grapes. Thank you for your assistance.

DR BIKE

Drosi bikes will be visiting school 20th October from 9am to service the year 6 bikes in readiness for their bikeability on 2nd November.

ROAD CLOSURE

From 17th October 2026 to 25th October 2026, both dates inclusive, no vehicles shall proceed along that length of the road known as 'Leisure Centre Junction to Green Lane', Corwen. Pedestrian and emergency access will be maintained throughout the period of the closure.

COGURDD

Well done to 6 year 5 & 6 pupils who participated in the Cogurdd competition. They were all amazing and judges, governors Lucy & Linda were very impressed with them all. Eleanor won and she will now compete in the county Cogurdd in Rhyl at the end of November.

SPORTS GRANTS

Community focused schools are able to help with the cost of swimming lessons, sport clubs and more for young people up to the age of 25. It is being financed by the Welsh Sports Foundation. It is open to anyone on low income or in receipt of benefit related FSM. To apply you will need to email communityfocussedschool@denbighshire.gov.uk and answer a few questions.

EVENTS FOR W/B: 19th 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 19 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. 11am: Year 7 pupils from Ysgol Dinas Bran visiting our Year 6 pupils.
Tue 20 th	9am: Dr Bike – Drosi Bikes – Servicing of Year 6 bikes. AM: Guitar lessons – Mr Aled Williams AM: Romodels Vet/Farmer Claire Whittle Filming – Selected Years 5 & 6 pupils 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. Last session
Wed 21 st	PM: PE lesson -Dosbarth Collen (Yrs.3 & 4) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper. 2.30pm: Harvest Service – All parents' welcome
Thur 22 nd	Don't forget the breakfast club online registration & ability to pay on Parent Pay for the next week will close at mid-day today. Last day before half term No school for Nursery pupils AM: Author Visit Steve Skidmore AM: Trip to Clocaenog Forest – Dosbarth Celyn & Helyg Pupils may wear their own clothes, suitable footwear and coats. PM: PTFA Spooky Disco and games. £3 payable on Parent Pay. There will also be a tuck shop. Pupils may dress in spooky costumes (no props, accessories or weapons) if they wish. 3.10-4.00pm: Eco Club for notified pupils. Last session Can the pupils who attend bring a change of clothing as they will be doing some activities around the fire pit.
Fri 23 rd	Staff Training Day – School Closed for Half term. School Re-Opens on Monday 2nd November

MENU FOR WEEK BEGINNING: 19th 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	Sticky BBQ Chicken, Boiled Rice, Sweetcorn & Garden Peas Or Cauliflower and Red Lentil Dahl Fruit & Yoghurt
Tuesday	Penne Pasta Arrabiata, Garlic bread & Mixed Salad Or Sausage Pizza, Garlic Bread & Mixed Salad Apple & Cinnamon Flapjack
Wednesday	Beef Chilli, Savoury Rice, Herby Bread & Salad Or Macaroni Cheese, Herby Bread & Salad Fruit & Yoghurt
Thursday	Roast Turkey, Roast Potatoes, Stuffing, Gravy, Seasonal Greens & Carrots Or Roast Vegetable Tart, Roast Potatoes, Stuffing, Gravy, Seasonal Greens & Carrots Fruit & Yoghurt
Friday	Staff Training Day – School Closed

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