

# NEWSLETTER

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## WELCOME

We would like to welcome Olivia who has joined year 1 this week. We are sure she will settle quickly and make lots of new friends.

## GROWTH MINDSET

A positive mindset can make a big difference to how we approach things.  
**“It is kind of fun to do the impossible.”**

## CYMRAEG CAMPUS

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

**Sul y Mamau Hapus / Happy Mothers’ Day**

## WELSH APPS

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

Infants: Bys a Bawd – Virtual Reality Combined with Songs

Juniors: Darllen y Ddraig – Comprehension for older pupils

## PTFA CHALLENGE 2025

**If you have completed the challenge, you can bring the amount raised to school before the deadline of 9<sup>th</sup> April.**

*Well done to Orla on raising £30 by doing a litter pick around Carrog.*

Every family has received a letter from the PTFA regarding the Challenge 2025 – pupils are invited to raise £20.25 (reflecting the year 2025). The pupils themselves can decide how they want to raise the money, there were some suggestions on the letter if you are stuck. **The deadline for the funds to be returned to school is 9<sup>th</sup> April.** We hope this challenge will also foster a sense of ownership and accomplishment amongst those that participate. Thank you for your support.

## 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](http://www.denbighshire.gov.uk/school-transport) or by clicking the link on the Facebook page we have shared.

## **AREA URDD EISTEDDFOD**

Well done to all the pupils who competed at the Area Urdd Eisteddfod held last Saturday at Ysgol Dinas Bran, we were very proud of them all. Esme came 3<sup>rd</sup> with her individual recitation. Isaac came 2<sup>nd</sup> in his individual recitation competition for years 5 & 6 and Orla came 1<sup>st</sup> and Ava 2<sup>nd</sup> with their individual recitation competition for year 2 and under, this means they will now go forward to the County Urdd Eisteddfod to be held on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> April.

## **PTFA EASTER RAFFLE**

Tickets for the PTFA Easter Hamper Raffle are now available to purchase through your Parent Pay account or by sending the money to school in an envelope. £1 per strip of tickets. A photo of the hamper is on our Facebook page. Please support.

## **PTFA EASTER DISCO**

The PTFA Easter disco will be held at the village hall on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> April, 3.30-5pm. The cost is £3 per child to include snacks and a drink. Please pay and consent through your parent pay account. Pupils can bring their disco clothes to school to change into before we take them across to the hall. Please collect your child from the hall at 5pm.

## **FAMILY TIME BINGO**

On Monday every family received a bingo card with family activities for you to complete. If you complete at least 8 of the activities by 7<sup>th</sup> April you will be entered into a draw to win a family hamper of games and goodies! There is no charge to enter. We would love to see photos of the activities you do, please email them to school [caer.drewyn@denbighshire.gov.uk](mailto:caer.drewyn@denbighshire.gov.uk) or to your child's class teacher.

## **GLAN LLYN RESIDENTIAL**

The year 5 & 6 pupils had a wonderful time at Glan Llyn last week. I'm sure you join me in thanking Miss Lewis & Miss Allyson for giving up their own time with their families, it is a great responsibility to take children away and a great deal of work taking care of their individual needs and this would not be possible if staff weren't willing to volunteer to attend.

## **DYNAMOS CRICKET**

Corwen cricket club, (War Memorial Park) are offering Dynamos cricket for boys and girls from 8-11 years old. Each week there will be a focus on a different cricket skill to build their confidence and ability, before they take part in a 60-ball countdown cricket match. There will be 8 sessions and they start Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May until 4<sup>th</sup> July, 6.00-7.00pm. The cost is £15 for all 8 sessions. The information with a link has been emailed to parents but you can also contact John Wildman [jwildm@hotmail.com](mailto:jwildm@hotmail.com), 07927449321.

## EVENTS FOR W/B: 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025

Mon 31 <sup>st</sup>	<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 and pay through your Parent Pay account.</b> The breakfast club opens at 8.15am.</p> <p><b>3.15-4.00pm:</b> The after-school Urdd club for registered Urdd pupils has now finished. From Monday 31<sup>st</sup> March there will be an Eco/Gardening club until 4pm, open to any pupils from Reception to year 6.</p>
Tue 1 <sup>st</sup>	<p><b>AM:</b> Guitar lessons with Aled Williams</p> <p><b>AM:</b> Reception Screening – Height, Weight, Hearing &amp; Vision with the school nurse</p> <p>Year 5 Shakespeare transition day at Ysgol Dinas Bran. Full uniform to be worn. Lunch provided but they will need to bring a health snack and a water bottle.</p>
Wed 2 <sup>nd</sup>	<p><b>AM:</b> Piano lesson with Rachel Evans</p> <p><b>PM:</b> Voice lessons with Sian Williams</p> <p><b>PM:</b> PE lesson: Cricket with Cricket Wales. Dosbarth Berwyn &amp; Dyfrdwy You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.</p>
Thur 3 <sup>rd</sup>	<p><b>AM:</b> Drum lessons with Ben Neal</p>
Fri 4 <sup>th</sup>	<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><b>AM:</b> Swimming lessons for Dosbarth Dyfrdwy Don't forget to tie long hair back, your swimming costume (one piece for girls), goggles &amp; towel</p>



## MENU FOR WEEK BEGINNING: 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025

If you have any dietary requirements; please don't hesitate to contact our school cook Auntie Catrin

Filled jacket potato can also be provided instead of a hot meal.

All pupils are now entitled to a FREE lunch.

<b>Monday</b>	Salmon Fishcake, New potatoes & Peas Or Cheese Pizza with Peas  Oatie Apple biscuit with a Glass of Milk
<b>Tuesday</b>	Chicken Pasta Bake & Sweetcorn Or Vegetable Cottage Pie & salad  Yoghurt and Fruit Wedges
<b>Wednesday</b>	Welsh minced Beef topped with creamed potato & mixed vegetables Or Veggie Fajitas  Banoffee Sponge
<b>Thursday</b>	Pork Loin Steak with Gravy, Roast Potatoes and Carrot & Cauliflower Or Vegetable Loaf with Gravy, Roast Potatoes  Yoghurt and Fruit Wedges
<b>Friday</b>	Bread Chicken Goujons, Chips & Baked Beans Or Welsh Rarebit, Chips & Baked Beans  Chocolate & Orange Brownie

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