



## Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2024

### News from Deputy Head

This week Dosbarth Y Llan, Dosbarth Betws and Dosbarth Marian enjoyed their tennis taster sessions with First Advantage Tennis. There is a taster day planned at the Colwyn Bay Indoor Tennis Centre in Eirias park for children aged 4-11 on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> February from 2.30-3pm and Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> February from 9.30-10.30am. There is no need to book.

Dosbarth Dolwen enjoyed their first swimming lesson this week. Thank you to everyone who helped us by contributing towards the cost of fuel. Each bus costs over £100 to fill with diesel so your contributions really help us to keep the swimming lessons going.

Thank you to everyone who has filled in the form to provide consent for routine visits. The consent forms can be found following this link.

<https://forms.office.com/e/zQ6AbiHd8d>

We still have places available for you to join us on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February for some tea & toast at 9am. Claire Dutton will be here to provide information about nutrition. If you would like to join us on that day, please follow the link in ParentPay to book a free place. [ParentPay - Leading Cashless Payment System for Schools](#)

Thank you and congratulations to Samantha Stafford who will be joining the governing body as a new parent governor. Welcome to the team.

Date for the diary – We will be holding an Easter Craft Coffee Morning on March 21<sup>st</sup> in the hall. The last event was a huge success. More details on booking a place will follow soon.

We have had a few children off this week with sickness. We have been asked to advise you to keep your children away from any parties or playcentres if they are showing any symptoms. If you are concerned about your child please ring 111 or contact your GP.

Have a great weekend,

Bethan Hughes

### Class News

**Dosbarth Dulas:** have also been consolidating our sounds which is going to help us all learn to read! Any reading practise that can be done at home would really help our learning. Diolch.

**Dosbarth Y Llan:** had a great time learning some tennis skills.

**Dosbarth Betws:** have explored with our imagination of secret gardens. We've created stories paintings and our own gardens. We even made our own mud paint and painted pictures using natural resources.

**Dosbarth Dolwen:** enjoyed our first swimming session this week. Due to the weather conditions on Monday, we are now hoping to visit Bodnant Gardens on the Wednesday after half term. Please can Dosbarth Dolwen wear their P.E. kits on Monday next week as we are hoping to have a tennis session.

**Dosbarth Marian:** have had a busy week, they have been learning about Hindu Gods, and researching future jobs and careers they are interested in. In maths they have been learning about square numbers, square roots and they enjoyed a prime number scavenger hunt outdoors. As part of National Storytelling week, the children also created their own stories using Welsh paintings for inspiration.

**Dosbarth Elian:** have been busy with our languages. We presented third person descriptions in our Welsh assembly. We also wrote some Welsh diaries. In French we compared France and Wales and presented our presentations to the rest of the class.

### Important Dates

#### Mon 5<sup>th</sup> February

Tempest Photography  
Dosbarth Dulas (full time) &  
Dosbarth Elian

#### Mon 5<sup>th</sup> February

Dosbarth Y Llan – Bodnant  
Gardens

#### Tues 6<sup>th</sup> February

Children's Mental Health  
Week – Tea & Toast Event –  
gam (in school) – book on  
parentpay

#### Tues 6<sup>th</sup> February

Dosbarth Dolwen –  
swimming lessons

Wed 7<sup>th</sup> February – menu  
change (poster attached)

#### Wed 7<sup>th</sup> February

Dosbarth Elian – Bodnant  
Gardens

#### Wed 7<sup>th</sup> February

Dosbarth Dulas – own  
clothes – Teddy Bear  
Adventure Picnic

#### Thurs 8<sup>th</sup> February

Disco 3.15 - 4.15  
4.30 - 6.00

#### February Half Term

School closes Fri 9<sup>th</sup> February  
School reopens Monday 19<sup>th</sup>  
February

#### Weds 21<sup>st</sup> February

Dosbarth Dolwen – Bodnant  
Gardens

#### Thurs 22<sup>nd</sup> February

Family Worker (Ceri) –  
9.00am

#### Staff Training Days

April 8 / July 18 & 19

Dolwen Road,

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# Notice Board

## Seren Yr Wythnos

Dosbarth Dulas: Rowan / Ella-Rae  
Dosbarth Y Llan: Phoebe  
Dosbarth Betws: Cali  
Dosbarth Dolwen: Errol  
Dosbarth Marian: Megan  
Dosbarth Elian: Emily



## Cymro/Cymraes Yr Wythnos

Dosbarth Dulas: Harry/ Millie  
Dosbarth Y Llan: Huw  
Dosbarth Betws: Osian  
Dosbarth Dolwen: Henri  
Dosbarth Marian: Rhea  
Dosbarth Elian: William



## Birthday Celebrations

Ellie (Dolwen)  
Mason (Dolwen)  
Olivia (Y Llan)



## Remember

We are a cash less school – payment for breakfast club, trips etc. can be paid via parentpay or paypoint

## REMINDER

Please ring school as early as possible if your child is going to be absent

## IMPORTANT – PARKING

We have had a complaint from the residents on Glyndwr Road (back of school). Parking on grass verges, double parking, parking in the bus terminus etc – please can you park responsibly, as being towed away by the Police is a high risk if they inform them.

## Important Reminder

PLEASE can all parents not use the carpark to come through at ANY time. The health & safety of the children is of the utmost importance to us, and vehicles come in & out of our gates throughout the day. The gates will be closed from 8.45am. Please use the steps down to nursery/reception class.

## Tea & Toast - Tues 6<sup>th</sup> February 9.00am

You are invited to come & join us at school. Claire Dutton will be here to provide info on nutrition too (please book your place on parentpay – free of charge)



## Safeguarding

Our Designated Safeguarding Officers are Mr Owen Rogers, Mrs Beth Hughes & Mrs Cora Williams. If you need to talk to us about any concerns, please contact us at School.

## DISCO

Pirates & Princesses



Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2024

\*Children finishing school at 3.00 – 3.15-4.15 (can bring clothes & change in school)

\*Children finishing school at 3.15 – 4.30-6.00

\*Drop off & pick up – front of school



Entry £4.00 includes  
Meal Deal (parentpay)  
Jolly Roger Hotdogs  
Dazzling Chips  
Juice / Water

Pocket Money Shop ££  
Crisps / Sweets / Toys /  
Tattoos & more  
(bring cash)

## PETANQUE (aka French Boules)

Children's Taster Sessions  
Petanque is a throwing game related to bowls. Llyfaen Petanque Club is at the LCRA Sports Ground, Dolwen Road.  
Feb half term – taster sessions on  
Sat 10<sup>th</sup>, Wed 14<sup>th</sup> & Sat 17<sup>th</sup>  
10.30-11.15 6-9 years / 11.20-12.15 over 9's  
(parents are required to stay).

Info –  
email [llyfaenpetanqueclub@yahoo.com](mailto:llyfaenpetanqueclub@yahoo.com)  
OR Facebook – Llyfaen Pentanque Club

## Hannah Williams – Fundraising Event

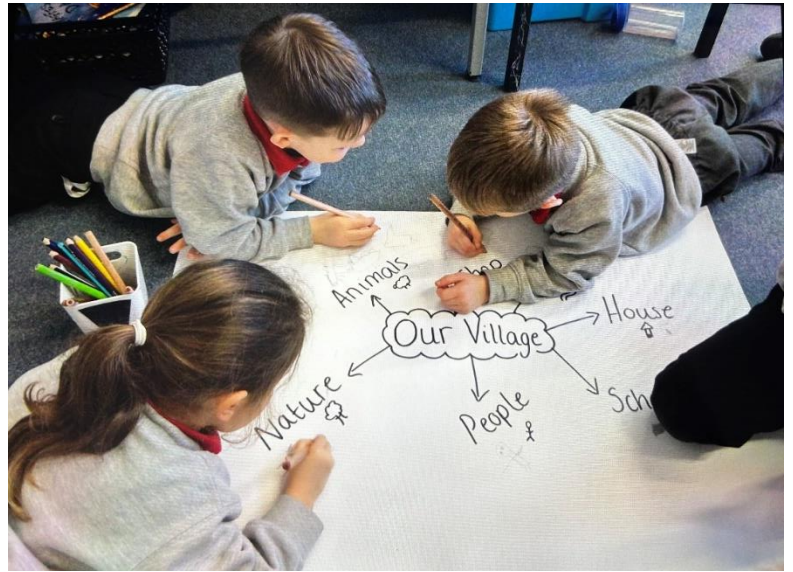
I'm taking part in an event for the Army Benevolent Fund, raising funds for soldiers, veterans and their families. I've joined their Fundraising Army - I started at Private and have been challenged to see how far I can rise! Please support if you can.

<https://events.armybenevolentfund.org/s/19461/31902/e>

St. Cynbryd's Church, Llanddulas  
Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> February  
4.30pm - 6pm  
Theme: Prayer

Refreshments will be served  
Croeso i pawb / Welcome to all  
For more details please call Ann Bland on  
07752162987

# Dosbarth Dulas & Dosbarth Y Llan's week in pictures ...



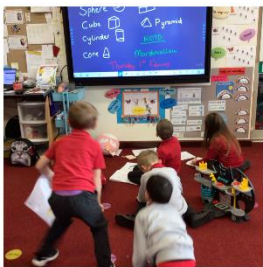
## Tennis



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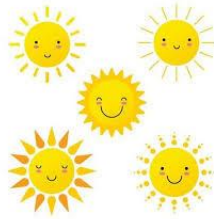


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# Dosbarth Betws & Dosbarth Dolwen's week in pictures ...



# Dosbarth Marian & Dosbarth Elian's week in pictures ...

