



Friday 26th June 2026



News from the Head Teacher

Well, it's definitely been an unusual week! I would like to say a huge thank you to our staff, who worked so hard in the heat to keep the children safe and as comfortable as possible. Thank you also to all of you for working with us to make the week run smoothly. We take decisions to close the school very seriously and always do our very best to avoid it. It was a real team effort to stay open this week, and I'm very grateful to everyone.

Despite the weather, we carried on. Dosbarth Betws taught us all how to make a cheese sandwich in Welsh during their assembly on Tuesday, it certainly made us smile! On Wednesday, Dosbarth Dolwen enjoyed their trip to the museum. Unfortunately, Dosbarth Marian's trip to Ysgol Bryn Elan had to be cancelled, but this has now been rearranged for Thursday 9th July.

Summer Reading Challenge

Kate from Colwyn Bay Library visited us this week to tell us about the Summer Reading Challenge, Read to the Beat. Children are encouraged to visit the library three times over the summer to be in with a chance of winning a prize. There are stickers and other goodies to collect along the way. It's a free activity and definitely worth a look. The library also has lots of activities running over the summer, which may be helpful if you are looking for ways to keep the children entertained during the holidays. You can find out more here: [Summer Reading Challenge](#)

Summer Fair – Reminder

The Summer Fair will be held on Thursday 9th July.

To help make the fair a success, we are kindly asking for donations in the lead-up to the event. If you have any raffle prizes you would like to donate, they would be very gratefully received.

To support our stalls, we will be holding the following Free Dress Days.

Friday 3rd July – Wear your own clothes and bring a bottle for the bottle tombola

Thursday 9th July – Wear your own clothes and bring a cake for the cake stall

New this year: Miniature Garden Competition

Infants and Juniors (£1 entry)

Theme: Fairy or Alien

Prizes for 1st and 2nd place in each category

Maximum size: 30cm x 30cm

Please bring entries on the morning of 9th July

Example pictures can be viewed in the photo section of the newsletter.

After School Club – Last Call!

We have been really pleased with the response to the After School Club, and a number of sessions have already been booked for September. However, we need a few more bookings to secure additional sessions. If you are considering using this provision, please contact Andrea in the Preschool on 07821120933 or cynfranpreschool@hotmail.com

Kind regards

Beth Hughes

Important Dates

Tuesday 30th June

Dosbarth Dulas Swimming

Tuesday 30th June

Dosbarth Marian & Yr 5 pupils Coleg Llandrillo trip

Thursday 2nd July

PM7 Sports

Friday 3rd July

Own clothes (bring a bottle)

Monday 6th July

Dosb Elan & Marian – Zoo

Tuesday 7th July

Dosbarth Dulas Swimming

Wednesday 8th July

PM7 Sports

Thursday 9th July

Yr 5 Ysgol Bryn Elan Taster Day (previously 30th June)

Thursday 9th July

Own clothes (bring a cake for the cake stall)

Thursday 9th July

School Summer Fair 3.15pm

Dosbarth Elan dates are on their page below

Summer Holidays

School closes Thurs 16th July

School opens Weds 2nd September

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Notice Board (1)

Class News

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Dosbarth Betws: gave a great assembly in Welsh this week. All have been very sensible looking after themselves and each other during this hot weather..

Dosbarth Dolwen: were really good and enjoyed their Victorian workshop in Llangernyw this week. They dressed up as Victorian children in the Old Village school and visited the Sir Henry Jones Museum.

Dosbarth Marian: have been busy using their maths skills this week to make numeracy games. They have also used Music Lab to code excellent tunes. They tested their games, made improvements, and showed great creativity and teamwork throughout.

Dosbarth Elian: have been designing tree houses for Roz in Wild Robot and thinking what humans and robots need to survive. We have enjoyed World Cup activities in maths, as well as learning about BODMAS. We completed our scripts and enjoyed making props and acting our scripts out.

Seren Yr Wythnos

Dosbarth Dulas Meithrin: Lais
Dosbarth Dulas: Gracie-Mae
Dosbarth Betws: All of class
Dosbarth Dolwen: All of class
Dosbarth Marian: Amelia Rose
Dosbarth Elian: Jac W



PM7 Sports
date change
9th July now
Weds 8th July

Race for Life

*one of our pupils is taking part,
please follow the link to donate*
<https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/henri-conway-williamss-race-for-life>

Cymro/Cymraes Yr Wythnos

Dosbarth Dulas Meithrin: Olivia
Dosbarth Dulas: Paisley
Dosbarth Betws: All of class
Dosbarth Dolwen: Harry
Dosbarth Marian: Madi
Dosbarth Elian: Tomos



Birthday Celebrations

Willow (Dolwen)
Eli (Dulas)
Eden (Elian)
Hunter-Jax (Dulas)
Amelia (Marian)
Louis (Betws)



Ice Lollies

**Order one on
parentpay before
8am and your child
gets one that day -
only 60p**

Parentpay

If you have any outstanding debts on parentpay, please log on and keep these up to date. If you have any problems, please contact school asap. Diolch

IMPORTANT

Due to health & safety, gates will be locked during the day. If you need access to the carpark please ring the office 01492 517326. Diolch

Safeguarding

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



*Ysgol Cynfran Summer Fair
Thursday 9th July 3.15pm*



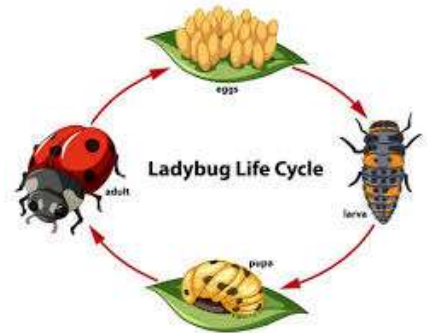
*There will be lots of stalls including a raffle,
tombola, cakes, food & drinks and lots
more.....*



Dosbarth Meithrin's week in pictures ...



Dosbarth Dulas' week in pictures ...



Dosbarth Betws' week in pictures ...



Grant from Active Play visited this week to work with our Community Champions Senedd group

Dosbarth Dolwen's week in pictures ...



Dosbarth Marian's week in pictures ...



Thank you for the lovely donation from Daisy's grandmother for our school garden.
We are hoping that this Buddleja plant, also known as the butterfly bush, will attract many butterflies.

Dosbarth Elian's week in pictures ...

Coding using Music Lab



Designing Robots



Monday 6th July

Welsh Mountain Zoo (with
Dosbarth Marian)

Tuesday 7th July

Dosbarth Elian Swim Safety

Monday 13th July

Dosbarth Elian beach trip

Tuesday 14th July

Year 6 Leaver's Service – 1.30pm

Wednesday 15th July

Leaver's meal

Notice Board (2)

Urdd Beach Rugby - Colwyn Bay

Don't miss out - Register today to secure your school's place in the
2026 Urdd Beach Rugby Festival - Colwyn Bay

Apologies for the delay in sharing the date. We were waiting for
confirmation from the Council regarding the use of the venue.

Date: Thursday - 09/07/2026

Location: Colwyn Bay Beach, LL29 8PJ

Further Information

- You can register up to 4 teams in the competition (Maximum squads of 12)
- 7 players on each team
- The festival is for children Yr 4 - 6
- The games aren't competitive
- The festival is open to Boys and Girls

For more information, please contact
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[Register here](#)

