



Friday 17th October 2025

News from the Head Teacher

Black History Month

Children across the school have been taking part in lessons to mark Black History Month, and today we all wore red for Show Racism the Red Card. The children have produced some lovely work and had thoughtful discussions around putting a stop to racism and celebrating diversity.

Myrtle the Turtle

We had a special visit this week from Blue Turtle Schools, who spoke to us about an exciting initiative to help children become more eco-friendly. Myrtle the Turtle came to meet us, and the children shared some fantastic ideas with her, from planting flowers to attract bees to turning off the tap while brushing their teeth.

Gaming and YouTube

Last week, I sent home a letter with guidance on PEGI ratings for games, which I hope you found useful. It is really important that children play safely online, and we regularly include online safety lessons in school.

Please remember that even innocent-looking games and apps can sometimes pose a risk. One to be particularly careful with is YouTube, especially when using the 'play next' feature, as inappropriate language or harmful content can appear unexpectedly.

YouTube Kids can be a safer alternative. Please share these messages with any family members or friends who help care for your children.

Spooky Events

Unfortunately, we have not been able to find a date before half term when enough volunteers were available to run the Spooky Disco. We are looking at alternative dates for after half term, so please keep those spooky costumes safe as they will have another chance to be worn before the end of the year.

Have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards

Beth Hughes

Important Dates

Thursday 23rd October
PM7 Sports

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PLEASE note menu change on Notice Board

Tuesday 4th November
Nasal Flu immunisation

Half Term Holidays
School closes -
THURSDAY 23rd
OCTOBER
School opens -
Monday 3rd
November

Christmas Holidays
School closes - Friday
19th December
School opens -
Tuesday 6th January
2026

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Class News

Dosbarth Dulas Meithrin: have enjoyed The Owl Babies story and painting our names with dabbers. We are starting to recognise some of the letters!

Dosbarth Dulas: have been weighing and measuring the pumpkins from the pumpkin patch, practising this weeks letter sounds and really enjoyed our tennis session!

Dosbarth Betws: had some great ideas during their discussion about 'Show Racism the Red Card'.

Dosbarth Dolwen: have been busy writing up our newspaper articles based on the Titanic. We have continued our measurement work in Numeracy and enjoyed measuring objects practically outside with tape measures. We first estimated the length of the objects and then took an accurate recording.

Dosbarth Marian: have been learning about Black History month and joined a Live Adobe lesson to use their ICT skills to create a poster to showcase what they had learned.

Dosbarth Elian: have completed grammar and sentence work in preparation for writing our newspaper reports. We created our own Kintsugi art work, in response to the Survivors story of Colby Coombs. We completed our Adobe for Black History Month and learnt about the slave trade.

Seren Yr Wythnos

Dosbarth Dulas Meithrin: Ellis

Dosbarth Dulas: Bryce

Dosbarth Betws: Dylan

Dosbarth Dolwen: Dani

Dosbarth Marian: Joshua

Dosbarth Elian: Nancy



Cymro/Cymraes Yr Wythnos

Dosbarth Dulas Meithrin: Ajr

Dosbarth Dulas: Noah

Dosbarth Betws: Isla

Dosbarth Dolwen: Willow

Dosbarth Marian: Daisy

Dosbarth Elian: Ryder



Remember

We are a cash less school
- payment for breakfast
club, trips etc. can be
paid on parentpay

Birthday Celebrations

Cass (Dolwen)

Kai P (Marian)

Lais (Meithrin)



REMINDER

Please ring school as early as possible if your child is going to be absent (leave a message) or email

swyddfa@cynfran.conwy.sch.uk



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.

Dosbarth Dulas' week in pictures ...



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



Dosbarth Marian's week in pictures ...



**BLACK
HISTORY
MONTH**



Dosbarth Elian's week in pictures ...



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Sharelles

Good news! We are recruiting for new dancers for our 2026 season, boys and girls welcome!
Our Babies & Tinies range from 2-11 years.
Our Juniors range from 12-16 years old,
Our Seniors range from 16+ years.
There is no age limit, anyone can dance!
We have practice every Tuesday, and competitions are every other Sunday.

Dance practice information:
Start date: 28th October 2025
Every Tuesday after that unless told otherwise.
Aged 2-11 = 5pm-6pm
Aged 12-16 = 6pm-7pm
Aged 16+ = 7pm-8pm
Any extra practice needed can be discussed.

Location: Dewi Sant Church - Colwyn Bay
First week is **FREE**, then it is **£2pp every week**, or **£3 if there is 2 dancers in the same household.**

Additional information:
We will have a championship weekend away at the end of season. (Will be discussed further with more information at dance practices)

Contact Chloe on: 07710 832753
Contact Shaz on: 07502 150234
Find us on social media!

 **Sharelles Morris Dancing troupe**
 **@sharellesmorrisdancers**



LLYSSFAEN COMMUNITY PARK

PUMPKIN WOODLAND TRAIL

WHERE: Llysfaen Community Park & Woodland
WHEN: 19th October
first come first served

How it works

- Book your family place in advance
- Check in at the entrance on the day
- Each child gets a ticket for a pumpkin
- Follow the woodland trail to collect your pumpkins
- Enjoy tea, coffee & treats at the pop-up cafe

Pumpkin Carving Desk

- Pick up templates, tips & carving advice
- Children are not permitted to carve on site
- Parents/guardians may carve with their own tools, under their own responsibility
- Families are encouraged to carve together at home!

from 11:00
email: lcrallysfaen@gmail.com



THIS IS YOUR INVITATION TO OUR OPEN DAYS

OUR NEW COACHING PROGRAM COMING TO COLWYN BAY SOON!

Our best offer for players to start our new program will be available at our open days

TUESDAYS 5-6pm 76u TUESDAYS 6-7pm 10&u TUESDAYS 7-8pm 11-14yrs
WEDNESDAYS 4-5pm 8&u THURSDAYS 4-5pm 10&u FRIDAYS 4-5pm 8&u
SATURDAYS 10-11am 8&u SATURDAYS 11-12noon 8-10years

Come and join us at our Tennis Open days

For a fun day of Tennis games, rallies and activities
WHERE — COLWYN BAY INDOOR TENNIS CENTRE
HOW MUCH — FREE!
WHEN — Saturday 25th October 9.00-10.00am & 12noon-1pm
SUNDAY 26th October 12noon-1pm

BOOK—
<https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/FirstAdvantageTennis/EventsV2/Junior>

YOU CAN BOOK OR JUST TURN UP AND ALL EQUIPMENT IS PROVIDED
For information whatsapp John on 07718520340

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