Ysgol Cynfran – Newsletter

Friday 6th March 2026

News from the Head Teacher

Spring is coming…..
What a lovely week we've had. We've enjoyed a little bit of sunshine, which meant the bike track was back in use, and we've loved celebrating St David's Day and World Book Day. We saw some fabulous book characters and enjoyed activities linked to our favourite books in class. Thank you for joining in with us.

Swimming
Dosbarth Marian finished their swimming sessions this week. They were brilliant, and many children have made excellent progress. We are very proud of them.

Dosbarth Dolwen will begin their sessions next week. We have already started thinking about residential dates for next academic year and will ensure that swimming is planned carefully around those next time.

Easter Fair
The PTFA will be holding their Easter Fair on Thursday 26th March after school. There will be some fun activities, stalls and lots more.

If you are able to donate a raffle prize, we would be very grateful. To help us plan, we will be holding some own clothes days in exchange for donations. Any contribution is greatly appreciated, but please do not worry if you are unable to:
20th March – Alongside 'Crazy Hair Day' (Comic Relief), children can also bring a toy they no longer play with.
26th March – Bring a cake to sell at the fair (no nuts please)
Thank you in advance for your support.

Lunches
We sent a letter from the catering department in Conwy this week about a new option on the menu. The rest of the menu remains the same, but a sandwich will now be offered as an additional choice.

Remember, school meals in Wales are free for all primary school children, so this may be a helpful option for some families. We know that finding healthy foods children enjoy can sometimes be a challenge. To try to help, there is a flyer attached to this week's newsletter with healthy lunchbox ideas for those who prefer not to choose the school meal option.

Have a lovely weekend
Kind regards, Beth Hughes

Important Dates

Tuesday 10th March
Dosbarth Dolwen - swimming

Thursday 12th March
PM7 Sports

Pentre Trip
Yrs 3 & 4
Monday 16th March- Tuesday 17th March (1 night)

Friday 20th March
Comic Relief – Crazy Hair Day (donate on parentpay)

Friday 20th March
Ceri Family Worker 9.00am

Thursday 26th March
Own clothes day – bring a cake to sell at the fair

Easter Fair
Thursday 26th March 3pm

Easter Holidays
School closes – Friday 27th March
School opens – TUESDAY 14th April

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Notice Board

Class News

Dosbarth Dulas Meithrin: have enjoyed decorating pots and planting special seeds this week.

Dosbarth Dulas: did a fantastic performance of our Dewi Sant song for our Welsh assembly and kept the rhythm perfectly on the djembe drums! We have been learning about properties of 3D shapes and planting special seeds.

Dosbarth Betws: had a busy week. Learning new Welsh phrases, celebrating World Book Day and a very enjoyable visit from PC Manus who talked to us about being safe on the internet.

Dosbarth Dolwen: performed their assembly in Welsh this week, where they talked all about their favourite animals and their pets. Da iawn. They also enjoyed making Welsh Cakes and taking part in World Book day.

Dosbarth Marian: have dived into the deep blue this week, crafting dolphin-themed haikus, exploring the lives of ocean creatures, and mastering marine-inspired spelling dictations. In mathematics, the class transitioned from the sea to geometry as they successfully learned how to calculate the perimeter of various shapes.

Dosbarth Elian: this week we began researching a sea creature, ready to make documentaries about. We researched different camera angles and watched some clips of documentaries. We discussed how we think sound travels under water, in preparation for carrying out an investigation.

Seren Yr Wythnos

Dosbarth Dulas Meithrin: Bonnie
Dosbarth Dulas: Sophia
Dosbarth Betws: Libby
Dosbarth Dolwen: Arlo R
Dosbarth Marian: Ellie
Dosbarth Elian: DT

Cymro/Cymraes Yr Wythnos

Dosbarth Dulas Meithrin: Ellis
Dosbarth Dulas: Betsy
Dosbarth Betws: Isla
Dosbarth Dolwen: Greysor
Dosbarth Marian: Alfie
Dosbarth Elian: Tomos

PM7 Sports

Date Change
~~Thursday 26th March~~
now Wednesday 25th March

REMINDER

Please ring school as early as possible ifyour child is going to be absent (leave a message) or email swyddfa@cynfran.conwy.sch.uk

IMPORTANT

Due to health & safety, gates will be 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' week in pictures …

PC Manus
SMART

Community
Champions
Parking
campaign

PIC•COLLAGE

Dosbarth Dolwen's week in pictures …

Dosbarth Elian's week in pictures ...

World Book Day 2026

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Comic Relief
Friday 20th March 2026
Crazy Hair Day (if they wish to)
Please donate on parentpay

RED NOSE DAY

Girls Yr.5-6 Netball Competition

Register Now - 2 WEEKS to go!
3 SPACES LEFT

📢 **More information about the event can be found below.**

(If you have registered prior to this email, there is no need to do so again - unless you are looking to add teams!)

Category: Yr 5-6 Girls Netball

Date: Tuesday 17/03/26

Location: Rydal Penrhos Outdoor Courts (New Field)

Register

Use the link to register – Regional Sports Competitions | Urdd Gobaith Cymru

Please remember players must be members of the Urdd!

For more information, please contact: marcthomas@urdd.org | 07866 911656

We look forward to seeing your school take part in the competitions!
Thank You,
Marc Thomas – North East Wales Events Officer.

PTFA CYNFRAN
EASTER FAIR

THURSDAY 26TH MARCH 2026
Time – 3.00pm
Stalls
Games
Cake Stall
Raffle
and lots, lots more