



Friday 10th November 2023

News from the Deputy Head

This week the children have been busy learning about Remembrance Day. They have created lots of lovely artwork, and Dosbarth Elian held a fantastic assembly this morning where we held a 2-minute silence.

Thank you to Jacob and Riley who have been busy raising money for the Poppy Appeal this week. They had raised £110.07 by lunchtime. They will be at the back gate in the playground at 3pm selling the last of the poppies before the Remembrance this weekend.

Dosbarth Dolwen had a fantastic trip to Llechwedd today. Everyone really enjoyed it, and they have lots of information to bring back to work on their 'Deep Mine' topic. Thank you to the staff who organised the trip and to those who volunteered their time to help the trip take place.

Congratulations to our new governors Sian Evans and Rebecca Davies. The vote was very close, and we do hope Nia Evans can join us in the near future. Thank you to everyone who voted, your participation really helps us.

Dosbarth Elian and Marian Swimming - Next **Monday 13th November** Dosbarth Elian and Marian will start their swimming lessons. Please make sure your children have their uniforms and swimming kits labelled and any inhalers in their bags should they need them. Children do get very hungry after swimming so an extra snack in their bags would be helpful too. *Thank you to those who have contributed towards the cost of the fuel to get us there. We are lucky to have our own buses, and this helps us to keep the cost of school trips as low as we can. Without your donations, we would find it very difficult to keep our school swimming lessons running.*

Next Friday 17th November is Children in Need. Children can come to school dressed in spotty clothes, if they wish to. If you wish to donate to this cause, please donate directly to Children in Need.

Parents' evenings will be held during the week beginning 20th November. Class teachers have sent out letters to confirm dates and times. Please contact us if you need any further information.

Save the date - The PTFA will be holding an information evening at school on 29th November. More details will follow. This is open to any parents, guardians, grandparents, family and friends who wish to support the school.

Have a lovely weekend

Bethan Hughes, Deputy Head

Class News

Dosbarth Dulas: have continued learning their letter sounds and have also made poppies ready for Remembrance Day.

Dosbarth Y Llan: have started their mini Recycling topic this week and are hoping it will help us to cut down on our waste.

Dosbarth Betws: have settled straight back into routine, but had a change around in the classroom - which we've all enjoyed. We've enjoyed using the new drawing ipads to practice spellings and the new creative area. We've also looked at bonfire night and remembrance day with our new topic celebrations and festivals. We painted our own poppy pictures which turned out beautiful! Well done Dosbarth Betws keep up the good work and being a team!

Dosbarth Dolwen: have had two fantastic presentations from both Ciaran and Euan this week, thank you boys for sharing your interests and knowledge with our class. We are also looking forward to our Deep Mine Trip, photos to follow next week!

Dosbarth Marian: have had a great first week back. We have been learning about schools in the Victorian times and how they were different to schools today. In Expressive Arts, we have been recreating William Morris' wallpaper designs.

Dosbarth Elian: have been busy learning about the artist William Morris. They also reported on The Huskar Pit mining disaster. They worked very hard to perform a Remembrance Day assembly to the rest of the school. Da iawn Dosbarth Elian.

Important Dates 2023

Week 13th November

Dosbarth Marian & Dosbarth Elian – intensive swim sessions.

Thursday 16th November

MW Sports – Dosbarth Y Llan to Dosbarth Elian – 3.00-4.15

Friday 17th November – Children in Need

Week 20th November

Dosbarth Marian & Dosbarth Elian – intensive swim sessions.

Mon 20/11/23 & Tues 21/11/23

Dosbarth Dolwen - drop in session - 3.30-5.00

Tues 21/11/23 Dosbarth Y Llan - drop in session – 3.15-4.45

Tues 21/11/23 & Wed 22/11/23

Dosbarth Elian – drop in session – 3.30-5.00

Tues 21/11/23 -

Dosbarth Betws – drop in session - 3.15-5.30

Tues 21/11/23 & Wed 22/11/23

– Dosbarth Marian – drop in session – 3.30-5.00

Thurs 23/11/23 – Dosbarth Dulas

– drop in session – 2.30-3.15

Fri 24/11/23 – Dosbarth Dulas –

drop in session – 10.45-11.30

Week of 27th November –

We will be celebrating French week - more details will follow

Family Worker – Ceri

Fri 8th Dec 9am (All welcome)

Christmas Holidays

School closes Fri 22nd Dec
School opens Tues 9th Jan

Staff Training Days 2024

January 8 / April 8 / July 18 & 19

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Seren Yr Wythnos

Dosbarth Dulas: Roman J / Indi H
Dosbarth Y Llan: Huwie H
Dosbarth Betws: Cali E
Dosbarth Dolwen: Kiana R
Dosbarth Marian: Barney W
Dosbarth Elian: Tyler J



Cymro/Cymraes Yr Wythnos

Dosbarth Dulas: Albie R / Celt M
Dosbarth Y Llan: Regan R
Dosbarth Betws: Kai P
Dosbarth Dolwen: Jac H
Dosbarth Marian: Ruby L
Dosbarth Elian: Tyler W



FOR SALE
School Book Bags
£4.00 each



Birthday Celebrations

Corvo F (Y Llan)
Ella-Rae M (Dulas)
Jacob F-W (Elian)
Rhys N (Elian)



CHILDREN IN NEED

FRIDAY 17TH NOVEMBER

Children can wear their own
'spotty' clothes if they wish.
Please donate direct to
Children In Need

Breakfast Club

Just a reminder that
Breakfast Club opens at
8.00am. Please do not
drop children off earlier
as staff will not be available

REMINDER

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

A message from the PTFA

The PTFA would like to offer their
thanks to the Llysfen Scarecrows for
their generous donation following the
successful Scarefest. We are very
appreciative of their support.

Remember

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

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.

BOOT BANK

Not sure what to do with your
child's old, outgrown football boots?

Llysfen Boot Bank is set up for any unwanted/outgrown football boots
that are still in good, useable condition.

The Boot Bank is to help reuse old boots for young, constantly growing feet.
We want football to be accessible to everyone and know the cost and waste
that can be associated with fast growing feet.

Our main aim is to ensure we can provide the right size boots without
breaking the bank or the planet!

We won't buy or sell boots - just simply redistribute to those in need.

If you have any boots (studs/astros) you would be happy to donate,
or if you are in need of a pair, then please message me.

Find us on under Llysfen J.F.C Boot Bank

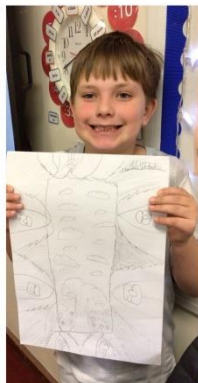
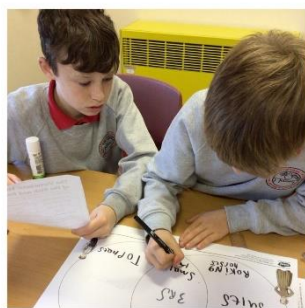
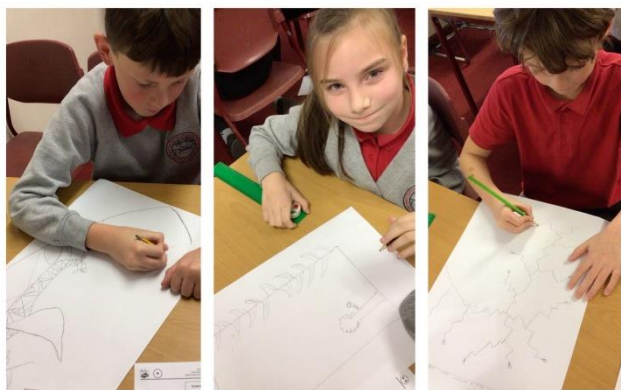
Our week in pictures ...



Amazing artwork by Dosbarth Betws

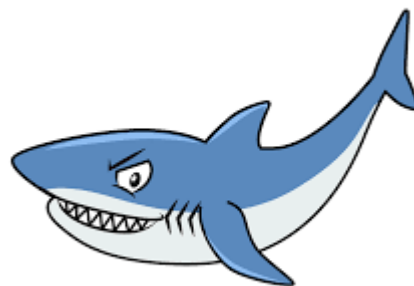


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