

NEWSLETTER

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PENBLWYDD HAPUS

We would like to wish Kate, Lily-Grace & Lyah a happy birthday for next week.

GROWTH MINDSET

A positive mindset can make a big difference to how we approach things.
“**Strength and growth come only through continuous effort and struggle.**”

CYMRAEG CAMPUS

Each week we will provide you with some Welsh phrases/word to try/learn with your family or within the community. Mwynhewch!

Cyngerdd Nadolig / Christmas Concert

NURSERY ADMISSION

Nursery applications for September 2025 admissions are open through Denbighshire County Council website.

The closing date for Nursery applications is **17th February 2025**.

HEADLICE

Please remember to check your children’s hair and all members of the family for head lice on a **regularly basis** and treat if live lice are found, which also means treating the following week too.

Continue to check for head lice on a regular, weekly basis –

ONCE A WEEK, TAKE A PEEK www.onceaweektakeapeek.com

FAMILY BINGO

Every family has received a bingo card with family activities for you to complete. If you complete at least 8 of the activities before 16th December you will be entered into a draw to win a family hamper of games and goodies! There is no charge to enter. We would love to see photos of the activities you do, please email them to school caer.drewyn@denbighshire.gov.uk

TREE PLANTING

Welldone to Dosbarth Collen and Derwen who this week planted between 500-600 trees around the base of Caer Drewyn hill fort, in some very muddy conditions!

PTFA CHRISTMAS FAIR

The PTFA Christmas fair will be held in school this **Monday 9th December**. Come along and join in the festive fun, 3.15-5.00pm.

PTFA CHOCOLATE BOUQUET RAFFLE

Tickets for the PTFA chocolate bouquet raffle are now available to purchase, either through your parent pay account or by sending money to school. They will be drawn at the end of term. Photos of the bouquets are on our school Facebook page.

CHRISTMAS HAMPER RAFFLE

Tickets for our Christmas hamper raffle are now available to purchase either through your parent pay account or by sending money to school. The raffle will be drawn at the end of term.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT TICKETS

Don't forget to purchase your concert tickets **before** the concert performances, Tickets (£3 each) are available for our school Christmas productions on 11th December at 2.00pm and at 6.00pm. **Tickets are payable through your parent pay account.**

CHRISTINGLE

Our Christingle service for Rec to Year 6 will be held at Corwen Church on Monday 16th December at 2.30pm. All parents are welcome. Please ensure your child is collected from the church by 3pm, there will be no taxi's that afternoon. There will be a collection for Air Ambulance at the end of the service.

Can year 6 pupils please bring a large orange to school next week so they can make their Christingles.

PARENT GOVERNOI NOMINATION

We have a parent governor vacancy at Ysgol Caer Drewyn. Nomination forms have been sent home, the closing date for them to be returned is Friday 13th December, at 12noon. If you would more information about being a governor, please contact the clerk, Miss Ffion.

PTFA CHRISTMAS BINGO

Thank you to everyone who attended and sent donations to the PTFA Christmas Bingo. A fun evening was had by all and £332 was raised for the PTFA funds.

LLANGOLLEN RAILWAY

Don't forget to book your tickets for the Christmas train ride from Corwen to Lapland (Carrog) to meet Father Christmas for local children. £12 per ticket. December 21st, 22nd & 23rd December, 11.15am and 2.25pm. To book call 01978 860979

EVENTS FOR W/B: 9th December 2024

<p>Mon 9th</p>	<p>Don't forget if you want to use the breakfast club for next week, you must register through the online form available on our Facebook page from today and pay through your Parent Pay account. The breakfast club opens at 8.15am.</p> <p>Don't forget to purchase your Christmas Concert Tickets <u>before</u> the performances.</p> <p>Year 6 to bring a large orange to school this week, so we can make their Christingles.</p> <p>AM: Guitar lessons with Aled Williams</p> <p>3.15pm: PTFA Christmas Fayre. Please support.</p>
<p>Tue 10th</p>	<p>12.30pm: Clwb Cymraeg – Miss Lewis</p> <p>PM: PE lesson - Dosbarth Derwen (Yrs.5 & 6) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.</p>
<p>Wed 11th</p>	<p>2.00pm: Christmas Concert</p> <p>6.00pm: Christmas Concert. <i>Junior pupils to arrive at school in their costumes, the infant pupils will be changed into their costumes at school (please be patient at the end of the concert as the infants will need to be changed back into their own clothes.)</i></p> <p>Please do not arrive earlier than 5.45pm</p>
<p>Thur 12th</p>	<p>AM: Drum lessons with Ben Neal</p> <p>AM: Piano/Harp lesson with Dylan Cernyw</p>
<p>Fri 13th</p>	<p>Don't forget the breakfast club online registration & ability to pay on Parent Pay for the next week will close at mid-day today.</p> <p>9.00-10.30am: Language and Play sessions, school hall with Family Link worker. 5th session</p> <p>AM: PE lesson - Dosbarth Celyn (Rec) & Dosbarth Helyg (Yrs.1 & 2) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.</p>

MENU FOR WEEK BEGINNING: 9th December 2024



If you have any dietary requirements, please don't hesitate to contact our school cook Aunty Lindsay.

Packed lunches (Cheese, Tuna or Ham) or Filled jacket potatoes (Beans, Cheese or Beans & Cheese) can be provided every day instead of a hot meal.

Don't forget all Reception – Year 6 pupils are now entitled to a **FREE** lunch.

Monday	Fish Stars Potato Wedges Garden Peas Yoghurt Pot
Tuesday	Beef Bolognaise Pasta Garlic Bread Chocolate Crunch Cakes
Wednesday	Spanish Chicken in a Tomato and Vegetable Sauce Boiled Rice Apple Crumble and Custard
Thursday	Roast Pork & Gravy Creamed Potatoes Carrots & Broccoli Homemade Shortbread
Friday	Sausage Chips Beans Chocolate Fudge Cake

The menu may occasionally be subject to slight change dependant on food deliveries.