

Newsletter

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12th May 2023

National Assessment Week
It's national assessment week next week, so please make every effort to ensure your children are in school!



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A message from the Headteacher

It's been a busy start to the Summer term already! The children in Clywedog had a great time in Glan Llyn, whilst Dosbarth Conwy are embarking on their journey home from Cardiff today.

Last week we held some wonderful events, which brought the Bangor-on-Dee community and school community together, as well as proving enriching experiences that our children will remember for a long time!

As mentioned in my previous newsletter, the Summer term is another busy one, with many opportunities for parents to come into school. Since the last newsletter, some dates have been changed, so please ensure you check the 'Save the Date' section carefully.

Should you have any issues or questions, please do not hesitate to contact me,

Dion Griffiths
Headteacher

👑 The King's Coronation 👑

On Friday 5th May, Ysgol Sant Dunawd was draped in red, white and blue to commemorate King Charles III's Coronation. The children wrote special invites for their grandparents, and invited members of our community to join us for a Coronation Coffee Morning.



Singing Gilly Gilly Ossenfeffer Katzenellenbogen by the Sea

We had a wonderful turnout; the children were able to join their families, while some of our year 6 children served tea and cake, and greeted our guests with a free Coronation Coaster, as a keep sake, hand-made by the children of Ysgol Sant Dunawd. The children also came out onto the front garden to sing some of the songs they had been practicing for our visitors.

To hear some of our singing, please scan this QR code or [click this link!](#)



After the coffee morning, some of our parents joined to cheer the children as they ran the Royal Run for Fun, raising funds for Nightingale House. Some sponsor forms are still being brought in, so we will give you a total as soon as possible.

We finished our celebrations with a Picnic in the Park, an opportunity for children and families to get together and make memories. Once again, we were overwhelmed by the support of our wonderful families- thank you.

We are always looking for feedback on events like this and how we could improve as a school. We have included a link to a [feedback form here](#), please give us your thoughts!

🎨 Coronation Day Mug Design 🎨

The children's mug designs have been sent off to the printers. They should be return to us by 15th May. As soon as we receive them back, we will send them home with the children so that you can purchase their designs on a commemorative King's Coronation mug.



❓ PTA Quiz Night ❓

Due to unforeseen circumstances, we have decided to **postpone the Quiz Night** scheduled for next Friday. As soon as a new date is arranged, we will let you know.



Residentials

Going on a residential trip hits many of our '50 things to do before you leave Ysgol Sant Dunawd'.

Glan Llyn 26th-28th April



Cardiff 10th May-12th May



Summer Term Dates

25th May-Dosbarth Clywedog (Y4/Y5) Family Learning

29th May to 2nd June-School Closed: Half Term Break

w.c. 5th June- Fiver Challenge week

14th June-Dosbarth Conwy Xplore Visit 'Wild Watch'.

19th June-AmaSing Concert @ William Aston Hall

27th June-Year 6 & Parents Transition Meeting at Maelor.

28th June to 30th June-Year 6 Transition Days to Maelor.

5th July-National Eisteddfod trip (Y3 to Y6)

6th July-Sports Day

7th July-Strings Project and concert

10th July-Sports Day (back up day)

11th July to 13th July-Year 6 Bikeability.

11th July-Year 1 and 2 Jambori at Stiw Theatre

14th July-Camp out

19th July-Year 6 Leavers' Service.

20th July-School Closes for Summer Holidays.

Educational Visit
School Closure
Come into School



We're really looking forwards to working with CSSEF to provide some British Sign Language lessons to all our children!



Family Learning sessions have been a great success! Families from Dosbarth Conwy, Elwy, Ceiriog and Alyn have visited school and learned alongside their children.

Dosbarth Clywedog's Family Learning in on 25th May at 2:15pm



Albi from Dosbarth Clywedog reading his book to Mable.



At a glance

Whole School Weekly Attendance

🥳 **98.4%** ↑
Target 96.8%

Dinners, Trips & Clubs

