



Blwyddyn Newydd Dda i chi gyd. Happy New Year to all of our families. We are looking ahead to a fun year of learning and exciting experiences together. Croeso and Welcome to our Nursery children who have started this week.

Some classes have been out and about in the local community. Year 2 started their 'Street Detectives' topic by walking up to the town centre and undertaking a traffic survey. Operonic, a local company, will be working with Year 2 throughout the term as part of our new Lead Creative School project. Watch this space for exciting information!

Year 5 continued their programme of adventurous and team building activities at Atlantic College.

Dosbarth Taf and Dosbarth Caernarfon visited Llantonian Park today to start their work around the topic of 'Might Metals.' They explored forces in action and lots of physical activity.

Next week, our extra-curricular clubs re-commence. Please see your child's teacher or our main office if you would like to find out more information about the wide range of clubs that we offer. There will be a new timetable of clubs starting after half term. Information regarding registration to these clubs will be sent over the next few weeks.

Representatives from our Choir attended a rehearsal at Whitmore High School yesterday for the African Children's Choir event next Thursday 17th January. They will be performing with choirs from Cardiff and the Vale in St. David's Hall. Tickets can be purchased by following this [link](#)

There is a PTA committee meeting at school next Wednesday 16th January at 7pm. All family members are welcome to help plan events for 2019! The PTA are looking for new ideas and additional support, please do let us know if you are interested.

We are excited to announce that we will be making links with 'Major Milers' running club. They will be supporting some future activities for KS2 children in the near future. The first event will be on our next 'Together Tuesday' on February 19th.

We would like to remind all parents that there is a designated car parking facility available at the leisure centre for parents to then safely walk their children via the comprehensive school. For the safety of everyone, please refrain from using the comprehensive school's delivery entrance and car park.

Football Club will not start until week commencing 21st January.

Newsletter

Friday, 11th Jan '19

STARS OF THE WEEK SÊR YR WYTHNOS

Dosb. Colhuw - Nona
Dosb. Ogwr - Kyron
Dosb. Thaw - Gianna
Dosb. Rheidol - Lucas
Dosb. Coch - Teegan
Dosb. Taf - Harley
Dosb. Caernarfon - Elias
Dosb. Cleddau - Owen
Dosb. Penfro - Lauri
Dosb. Teifi - Delysia
Dosb. Caerdydd - Tariq
Dosb. Hafren - Erin
Dosb. Caerffili - Jamie

**YMA award winners for
w/e 21st December 2018**

FP Dosbarth Thaw 95.3%

KS2 Dosbarth Taf 97%

Our Right of the fortnight is:

Article 24

**Your right to good food and
water and to see a doctor if you
are ill**

Parent Talk Amendment

Please note the date for the Read Write Inc. talk has been changed to Thursday 7th February at 9am and 2pm. Places are still available on this and all other Parent Talks (details on the school calendar) To reserve your place please contact the school office.

I, the undersigned, am happy for the school to contact me via email and text with information regarding school-based events, PTA events, and on behalf of organisations that offer child based activities out of school which may be considered as marketing. I understand that I can change my consent at any time by informing the school in writing. Child's Name

Name Signature..... Date.....

Fun Singing Day with St Donat's Chorale

Who? All adult singers, any standard, no auditions

When? Saturday 19th January
10.30am - 4pm

Where? Ysgol y Ddraig Primary School

Why? Singing is good for you -
Cost - FREE

Please register in advance by visiting their website www.stdonats.org

Spring Term 2019

January

- 7th INSET day
8th Children return to school
14th Parent Talk - Supporting Mathematical Development(FP) 2pm
16th Y4 Trip
16th No Football Club today
17th Choir Event - St David's Hall
21st Parent Talk - Supporting Mathematics (KS2) 2.15pm
23rd Y4 Manor Adventure Meeting 5pm

February

- 1st Y5 Trip
5th Llangrannog Parent Meeting 4.30pm
6th Y4 Residential trip
7th Parent Talk - Read Write Inc Workshop (FP) 9am/2pm
14th PTA Valentine Disco
19th Together Tuesday
20th Y6 Residential trip



We are delighted to inform you that Mad Science will be hosting a brand new **Mad Science After School Club at Ysgol y Ddraig this term!** The club will run for a total of 8 **WEEKS**, 1 hour each week from end of the school day every **TUESDAY**

The club dates are as follows:

TUESDAY

29th, January
5th, 12th, 19th of February
5th, 12th, 19th and 26th of March

If you have a budding Mad Scientist at home, there's never been a better opportunity to expand their interest, encourage their imaginations, and allow them to discover a whole world of science like never before.

Course Price is £62 for an 8 week course.

Allowing your child to enjoy a full term of Mad Science from January until Easter! Course fee Includes all materials, and equipment, plus the children will receive up to 5 take home gifts during the course.

Online Registration is still Open with limited spaces available

Click [here](#) to book online. Spaces are offered on a first come first served basis.
15% Sibling Discount available when booking 2 or more Children together.

Please contact Mad Science directly for further information or if you have any queries.
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