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***...Together we achieve.....Cyflawni gyda'n gilydd...***



Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2025

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It has been a very warm week this week and it's been great seeing the different classes learning outdoors for much of the week. We have one more week before the May half term holiday and it's predicted to be warm again. We routinely remind children about the need to stay safe and healthy in the Sunshine by:

- Always ensuring they have their water bottles in school every day
- Having sun cream in their bags, ready to put on when needed
- Wearing appropriate clothing, including hats which they can wear during play times

### **Year 6 Girls Cricket tournament**

Mr Griffiths has taken a girls Cricket team to the Vale of Clwyd cricket competition today. A wonderful day to play cricket and we look forward to hearing how well they did in next week's newsletter. Pob lwc!

### **Year 5 Residential trip to Nant BH**

Our amazing Year 5's returned to school today after their Residential to Nant BH. They have been very lucky with the weather and they have had a great time there. We have welcomed them back and I'm sure they will sleep well for their parents this weekend! Huge thanks to our staff who continue to go above and beyond to give our children fantastic opportunities. Diolch pawb.

### **Girls URDD Netball Tournament**

Our girls Netball team travelled to Aberystwyth to take part in the URDD National competition last Sunday and performed exceptionally well! Mrs Cooke wanted to express her thanks to all the girls, and their parents, for making it such an enjoyable day for everyone involved. Massive thanks to Mrs Cooke too for giving up her weekend to allow the girls the opportunity to compete at a National level. Gwych!

### **World of Work week beginning 19<sup>th</sup> May**

We will be hosting a World of Work week again here this year after the great success of last year's World of Work week. We look forward to welcoming members of the local community into school next week who will continue to inspire our children to be the best they can be.



### **Sports days**

Again this year, we will be heading over to Denbigh High School and using their Athletics Field for our sports days.

These will take place on the following dates:

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June 1-3pm Year 4 and 5

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> June 1-3pm Year 3 and 6

### **Year 6 dates**

Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> July 4-5:30 - Leavers Party. Theme TBC.

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July 1:30 - Leavers Service (Max 2 people).

### **Attendance, Punctuality and term time holidays**

As you know, Good Attendance is vital for your child to make the most of their time in education. We monitor attendance closely and try to work closely with families to support any child whose attendance is of a concern.

Traditionally, the Summer term sees a rise in Holidays being taken during term time. Please note that for any absence parents/ carers need to complete an absence request form – please contact the office for one. No term time holidays will be authorised. Should the school have any concerns about your child/ren's attendance we will make contact with you early to discuss a support plan, in order to improve their punctuality/attendance.

A Fixed Penalty Notice Warning letter may be issued at 5 days unauthorised absence, and the Fixed Penalty Notice may be issued at 10 days unauthorised absence.

When filling out Absence Request Forms, it is important for parents/carers to add as much information as possible. An example would be for family weddings- please add where the wedding is to take place and the day of the wedding as this informs decisions regarding any potential authorised/unauthorised days.

It is also worth noting that the school day starts here at Frongoch at 8.45am and Good Punctuality is essential in allowing your child to come into school settled and ready for the school day ahead. Any child arriving after 9.15am [ie 30 minutes late] is marked down as an Unauthorised Absence.

With very best wishes

*Dylan Thomas*

Pennaeth / Headteacher

