



# Ysgol Frongoch

Cylchlythyr wythnosol – Weekly Newsletter

November 28<sup>th</sup> 2025

## Annwyl rhieni

We are now fully in the festive swing of things here at Frongoch and it's a great time of year to be working at school! The children are making lifetime memories and it's very important for each and every one to be attending every day to make the most of this time of year.

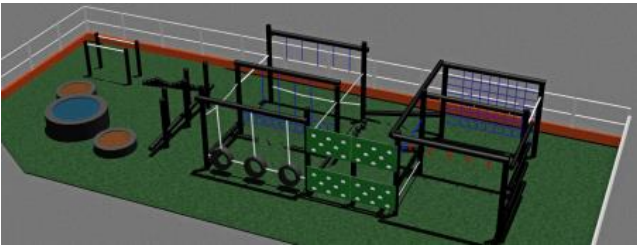
## School Priorities 2025-26

This year we have 3 main school priorities:

- To develop the independence of pupils, allowing them to apply their skills across the curriculum.
- Ensure teaching challenges pupils of all abilities across all areas of the curriculum.
- Develop pupils' Welsh speaking skills, particularly higher up the school to work towards T2.

## Adventure Playground update

As shared in last week's Newsletter, the Senedd have now agreed on the adventure playground which they want to be built here at Frongoch. Below is a picture of what the finished playground should look like!



## Parent and Child Reading session

Unfortunately, due to unforeseen circumstances, we had to postpone our Parent and Child reading session yesterday. We will re-schedule this event for the last Thursday in January now, which is Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> January.

Parents/ carers and other family members attending will be able to 'have a go' with their child! Similar to Macmillan coffee morning and the Maths session last month-we ask Yr 3+4 parents to arrive between 9 - 9.30am and Yr 5+6 parents between 9.30 -10am please.

## Dates for the Diary:

Mon 1 <sup>st</sup> Dec	Children's Christmas Raffle Begins
Thur 04 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Christmas Dinner- Christmas Jumper day too
Fri 05 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Christmas Jumper day
Tues 9-12 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Christmas Shows

## Year 3 Drum workshop

Denbighshire Music Co-operative came in this week and completed a Drumming workshop with Blwyddyn 3. A great time was had by all and I'm sure there will be lots of Djembe Drums being opened on Christmas day this year!!

## Christmas Jumper swap day

Our Christmas Jumper Swap day is today Friday, 28<sup>th</sup> November. This has traditionally been well received as it allows for Christmas Jumpers to be shared with others- ensuring value for money and also in keeping with us trying to improve sustainability here at Frongoch. If you have any Christmas Jumpers which you no longer need at home, please feel free to send them in again next week, similarly encourage your child to have a look if they need one themselves.

## Adverse weather

As ever, we will always try to ensure Frongoch remains open. However, if for any reason we need to close the school we will aim to do this as early as possible to allow as much time as possible for parents/carers to make arrangements for their children.

The safety of the children will always be the priority when making these decisions and I thank you in advance for your continued support.

If we were to close then the decision would be cascaded to local media. However, the first place for parents to check is Denbighshire County Council's web page and this will show which schools in Denbighshire are closed.

We would also attempt to make contact with parents/carers via our Seesaw app. To this end, we would ask all parents/carers to please ensure you have your Seesaw app up to date on your mobile device/s.

## Christmas Shows

By now, parents/ carers and family members/ friends will know that we aim to ensure that whoever wished to come and see any of their children's shows have the ability to do this. We have specific year group shows and have allocated set times for these shows early so that it gives ample time for parents/ carers to arrange time to come in and see their child/ren. Year 5/ 6 have 3 shows to allow for the extra numbers. To help us with the planning and to make sure we are able to fit everyone in, please contact the school office to let us know which show/s you are coming to watch and how many seats you require.

## Attendance

Attendance remains a priority for Frongoch and we will share our target school attendance and also our current attendance here



Target School Attendance

94.2%

School Attendance to date

94.7%

**REMEMBER** punctuality is equally as important as attendance. Please try to ensure your child arrives in school for 8:45am