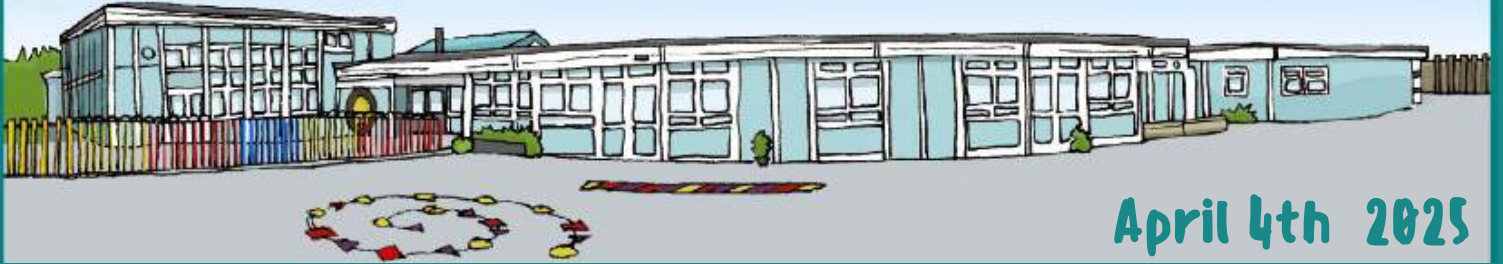


Gwenfo News



April 4th 2025

Upcoming Events

April 9th 9am-10am
Y3&4 plus Y5 Choir short concert for families

April 9th 2.30pm
Grandparent session Y1

April 10th
Easter Bonnet Parade
Nursery AM 11.10AM (Nursery
Playground)
Nursery PM and Rec-Y6 3PM (Back
Playground)

April 11th
INSET Day
(School closed to all pupils)

April 29th - May 2nd
Year 6 Cycle Training

May 2nd
Gwenfo Book Day
Wear PJS and bring favourite book

May 5th
Bank Holiday - School Closed

Welsh National Tests
Y2-Y6
May 6th-16th

REMAINING INSET DAYS
(School closed to all pupils)
May 23rd
June 2nd
July 21st

BREAKING NEWS

Please use our new email address when
contacting the school
office@gwenfocwprimary.co.uk

This week in Gwenfo

‘JUST AS THE LORD HAS FORGIVEN YOU, SO YOU
MUST ALSO FORGIVE OTHERS.’
COLOSSIANS 3:13

We have had such a busy week in Gwenfo!

Vicar Lyndon reminded us this week about the
importance of taking some time out to think things
through.

Year 6 have had a wonderful few days at
Llangrannog. Diolch to Miss Bannister , Miss
Hurrell and Mr Bean for giving of their time to
accompany the trip. The children had the best
time and had beautiful weather too!

Year 3, 4 and some of Year 5 performed at the All
Nations Centre with 450 other children this week.
The choir of Year Y4/5 children sang beautifully
and the Y3 PBuzz players were brilliant too!

**ATTENTION
PLEASE!**

**We have noticed that children are being dropped off
with no adult supervision before school. All parents
need to remain with their children until the bell rings
at 8.50pm please.**



SCHOOL DINNERS

Next weeks dinner options will be from 'Week 2' on the Big Fresh menu

Reception are running really low on their stock of emergency clothing, particularly for the girls.

If you have any trousers, leggings, skirts or tights for the reception age range, Please could you hand them into Mrs Ford or the School Office.



Thank you!



Please label all uniform, bags, water bottles and coats!

We have just had to dispose of a huge amount of lost property.



Library Volunteers

Wenvoe library would like to expand its volunteer group. If you are interested pop into the library for a chat!

ATTENDANCE % THIS WEEK

NURSERY AM	97.4%	★
NURSERY PM	96.7%	
RECEPTION	94.3%	
YEAR 1	96.8%	
YEAR 2	94.8%	
YEAR 3	94.5%	
YEAR 4	92.8%	
YEAR 5	96.8%	
YEAR 6	97.2%	



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Newyddion Cymraeg



This week our Criw Cymraeg along with Mr Rhys and Mrs Crouch put forward their evidence for the Siarter Iaith Silver Award. This has been 18 months of work by the group as well as all children and adults across the school. We are so proud to say that they passed with glowing colours! The assessor was so impressed and said Da lawn to everyone for all their hard work!



Please do take a look at the app below - we have had great feedback from parents who have completed courses on it.

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The app is super and we are so grateful for the extra funding it gives us



Try some of the activity suggestions below for an active April!



Active April 2025

MONDAY



TUESDAY

1 Commit to being more active this month, starting today

WEDNESDAY

2 Spend as much time as possible outdoors today

THURSDAY

3 Listen to your body and be grateful for what it can do

FRIDAY

4 Eat healthy and natural food today and drink lots of water

SATURDAY

5 Turn a regular activity into a playful game today

SUNDAY

6 Do a body-scan meditation and really notice how your body feels

7 Get natural light early in the day. Dim the lights in the evening

8 Give your body a boost by laughing or making someone laugh

9 Turn your housework or chores into a fun form of exercise

10 Have a day with less screen time and more movement

11 Set yourself an exercise goal or sign up to an activity challenge

12 Move as much as possible, even if you're stuck inside

13 Make sleep a priority and go to bed in good time

14 Relax your body & mind with yoga, tai chi or meditation

15 Get active by singing today (even if you think you can't sing!)

16 Go exploring around your local area and notice new things

17 Be active outside. Plant some seeds and encourage growth

18 Try out a new exercise, activity or dance class

19 Spend less time sitting today. Get up and move more often

20 Focus on 'eating a rainbow' of multi-coloured vegetables today

21 Regularly pause to stretch and breathe during the day

22 Enjoy moving to your favourite music. Really go for it

23 Go out and do an errand for a loved one or neighbour

24 Get active in nature. Feed the birds or go wildlife-spotting

25 Have a 'no screens' night and take time to recharge yourself

26 Take an extra break in your day and walk outside for 15 minutes

27 Find a fun exercise to do while waiting for the kettle to boil



28 Meet a friend outside for a walk and a chat

29 Become an activist for a cause you really believe in

30 Make time to run, swim, dance, cycle or stretch today



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BIKE CLUB is back!

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Aged 6-10?
Learn how to
ride safely, build
confidence, and
MUCH MORE!

Children can bring their own
bike* or use one of ours.
All children must
be accompanied
by an adult

When: starts Tuesday 1st April, 4.00pm - 5.30pm
(runs every Tuesday - Learn to Ride 4.00pm and Confident Riding 4.45pm)

Where: Iolo Park, Treharne Road, Barry CF63 1RT

To register your interest: email Steven (cyclingofficer@cardiffpedalpower.org.uk)
call 02920 390713 www.cardiffpedalpower.org

Volunteer to help with Bike Club - contact Mark Ellis on 07826 020707 markellis@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk.

*Any bikes brought from home will be required to be inspected and deemed safe by staff.



Year 1 invitation

Our topic this term is about how childhood has changed over the years and we would love to invite an older member of your family to join us for the afternoon for your child to share what they have learning about in this topic and to enjoy a cup of tea and refreshments. This will be held at 2.30pm on Wednesday 9th April.

The idea is for the children to chat with an older family member about how school has changed over the years. If your child does not have a grandparent who is able to come, then any family member can come, please don't let this be a barrier for your children to share what they have learnt.

Thanks for your support as always.
Year 1 team



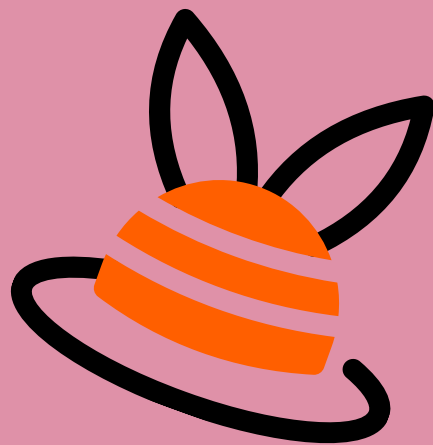
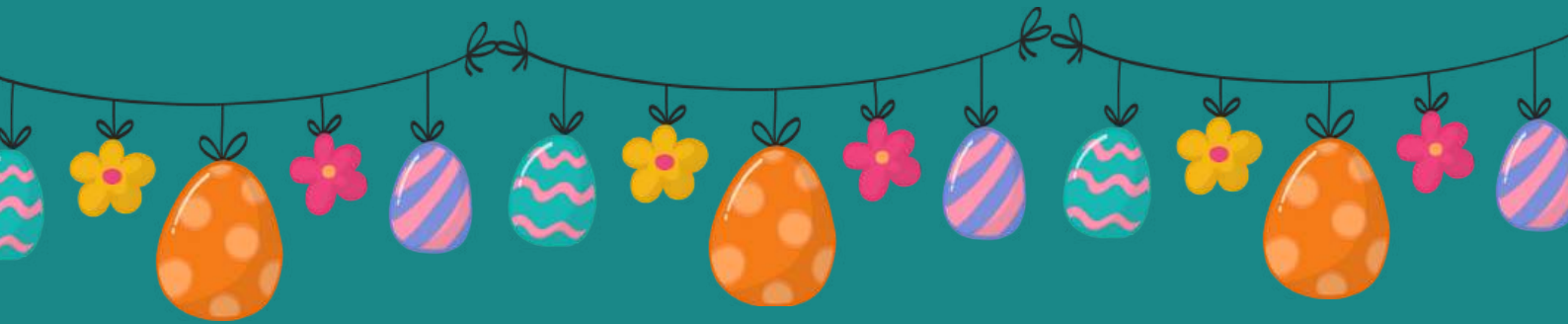
The Children from Year 3, Year 4 and the Year 5 choir will be performing the music that they learnt for the All Nations Concert in a concert for parents on Wednesday April 9th at 9am. Their performance will not be longer than an hour.

Please come along and give them your support!



This week pupils from across the school have been creating prints of their symbols of hope. They have loved working with our Art Residency students





Easter Bonnet Parade



All children are welcome to create an Easter or spring themed hat, headband or cap to wear in our parade on the last day of term.

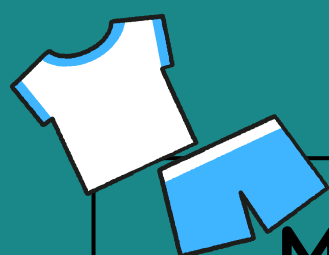
Families gather at either 11.10am on the Nursery playground for Nursery am children or 3pm on the back playground for Nursery PM and the rest of the school



Games and PE days

This half term there have been some changes to PE days.
Please see the table below for updated days.

Each class has two days where they wear kit apart from
Nursery who only have one.



MONDAY	NURSERY
TUESDAY	Y6, Y4, Y3, Y2,Y1, RECEPTION
WEDNESDAY	Y6, Y1
THURSDAY	Y5, Y4, Y3, RECEPTION
FRIDAY	Y2, Y5

