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Dear parents

Stars of the Week

Congratulations to Lilwen, Hallie G, Geoffrey, Owen, Ivy a Lottie G for being our stars - 09.11.18!

Selling Children in Need merchandise

School pupils will sell Children in Need merchandise during next week, 12th 16th November.

Curriculum Evening - 14.11.18 @ 6pm

On Wednesday, November 13th at 6pm in the school hall, we will be holding a curriculum evening. The evening applies to all parents with a child attending the school. We will discuss the new curriculum, 'Successful Futures' and the changes which will come about over the next few years in Primary and Secondary. In addition to this, Mrs King, the Assistant Head and Mr Thomas, teacher of years 4, 5, and 6 will be presenting teaching and learning strategies we use within the school and I will re-presenting the presentation, 'Promoting Positive Behavior and Preventing Bullying'.

Light refreshments will be available. I encourage every parent to try to attend the event and I look forward to welcoming you on the evening.

Children in Need - 16.11.18

We would also like to hold a cake sale. Therefore, we would welcome any donations of cakes by Friday morning. Thank you in advance for your support.

Children in Need School Lunch

The school lunch menu will change for Friday, 16th November to celebrate Children in Need. Please see the poster for the menu choice on the school Facebook page.

Absence

Unfortunately Mrs Hughes, dosbarth yr Harbwr is currently absent due to ill health. Miss Lowri Jones, a supply teacher is teaching the class in Mrs Hughes' absence. In the meantime, if you have any questions please do not hesitate to speak to myself or Mr Thomas.

Admissions to Secondary Schools September 2019

Applications for Pembrokeshire secondary schools should be made using the on-line application form on the Pembrokeshire County Council web-site (<https://www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk/schools-and-learning>). If you would like further information about any of the Pembrokeshire secondary schools then please visit their web-sites.

Applications for secondary schools in another county should be made directly to that county. Information on how to apply to these counties can be found on their websites.

Please ensure that you have completed your application by the deadline date of 21 December, 2018.

Applications received after that date will be considered late and this may have a bearing on whether you get a place at your preferred school. Parents will be informed of the allocation of places on the common offer date of 1st March 2019.

Further information about the admission procedures can be found in the 'Information for Parents' booklet which is available on the Pembrokeshire County Council web-site (<https://www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk/school-admissions>).

Welsh language charter – Band of the Month 'Yws Gwynedd'

As part of our Welsh language charter we are encouraging the pupils to listen to Welsh music and learn some Welsh songs. During assembly on Wednesday, the children voted for Yws Gwynedd. Yws Gwynedd is a Welsh Rock band from North Wales named after its lead singer Ywain Gwynedd. The songs can be found on 'You Tube' by following the links below * *Please be aware that we are not responsible for the content of videos.*

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PADjnW0cndk>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OZkGqUpR3lo>

We are also going to be introducing Idiom of the month:

This week's idiom is '*Dros ben llestri*' (*Over the Top*)

Thank you for your co-operation and support

V Griffiths

Mrs Griffiths
Head teacher

Wythnos yn cychwyn: 12.11.18		Week commencing: 12.11.18	
Bwletin Newyddion a Digwyddiadau		Events and News Bulletin	
<u>Dyddiad</u>	<u>Digwyddiad</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
12 - 16 Tachwedd	<u>Gwerthu Nwyddau Plant mewn Angen</u>	12 - 16 November	<u>Selling Children in Need merchandise in school</u>
12.11.18 <u>Dydd Llundun</u>	<u>Gwersi Ymarfer corff i ddosbarth Mrs Hughes a Mr Thomas</u> Rhaid i bob plentyn ddod â chit ymarfer corff ac esgidiau priodol er mwyn cymryd rhan yng ngwersi addysg gorfforol.	12.11.18 <u>Monday</u>	<u>PE lessons for Mrs Hughes & Mr Thomas' class</u> All pupils must bring PE kit and suitable footwear on the days that they have PE lessons.
12.11.18 <u>Dydd Llundun</u>	<u>Noson Agored Ysgol y Preseli</u> 5 - 7.30yh yn Ysgol y Preseli, croeso cynnes i bawb.	12.11.18 <u>Monday</u>	<u>Ysgol y Preseli Open Evening</u> from 5 - 7.30pm, a warm welcome is extended to all.
14.11.18 <u>Dydd Mercher</u>	<u>Clwb Cwtsh (10-11.15)</u> - cwrs blasu Cymraeg sy'n llawn hwyl a sbri i rieni a phlant cyn oed ysgol. Pob bore dydd Mercher am 8 wythnos.	14.11.18 <u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Clwb Cwtsh (10-11.15)</u> - is a fun-filled eight-week taster programme every Wednesday morning, focusing on speaking Welsh with pre-school aged children.
14.11.18 <u>Dydd Mercher</u>	<u>Mercher Mwdlyd</u> -Cofiwch ddillad allanol i'ch plentyn heddiw os ydynt yn nosbarth <u>Sêr y Môr, Cregyn neu Ynys Bŷr</u>	14.11.18 <u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Muddy Wednesday</u> - Please remember that your child requires outdoor clothes today if he/she is in <u>Sêr y Môr, Cregyn or Ynys Bŷr class</u>
14.11.18 <u>Dydd Mercher</u>	<u>Clybiau ar ôl ysgol (3.05 - 4.15yp)</u> Clwb Chwaraeon (Sports) - Bl. 2 Clwb Crefft - Bl. 3 + 4	14.11.18 <u>Wednesday</u>	<u>After school clubs (3.05 - 4.15yp)</u> Clwb Chwaraeon (Sports) - Yr. 2 Clwb Crefft (Craft) - Yr. 3 & 4
14.11.18 <u>Dydd Mercher</u>	<u>Noson Gwricwlwm am 6yh yn neuadd Ysgol Hafan y Môr</u> Croeso cynnes i bawb!	14.11.18 <u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Curricular evening @ 6pm in the school hall at Ysgol Hafan y Môr</u> A warm welcome is extended to all!
15.11.18 <u>Dydd Iau</u>	<u>Bore Iau Mwdlyd</u> - Cofiwch ddillad allanol i'ch plentyn heddiw os ydynt yn nosbarth <u>Pysgod Chwim (Mrs Griffiths)</u>	15.11.18 <u>Thursday</u>	<u>Muddy Thursday morning</u> - Please remember that your child requires outdoor clothes today if he/she is in <u>Pysgod Chwim class (Mrs Griffiths)</u>
15.11.18 <u>Dydd Iau</u>	<u>Gwersi Ymarfer corff i ddosbarth Mrs King a Mrs Walters (Bl. 1 a 2)</u> Rhaid i bob plentyn ddod â chit ymarfer corff ac esgidiau priodol er mwyn cymryd rhan yng ngwersi addysg gorfforol.	15.11.18 <u>Thursday</u>	<u>PE lessons for Mrs King & Mrs Walters' class (Year 1 & 2)</u> All pupils must bring PE kit and suitable footwear on the days that they have PE lessons.
15.11.18 <u>Dydd Iau</u>	<u>Clwb Coginio (Cooking Club) - Bl. 5 a 6 gorffen am 4.30yp</u>	15.11.18 <u>Thursday</u>	<u>Clwb Coginio (Cooking Club) - Yrs. 5 & 6 finishes at 4.30pm</u>
15.11.18 <u>Dydd Iau</u>	<u>Noson Agored Ysgol Caer Elen</u> 5 - 7.30yh yn Ysgol Caer Elen, croeso cynnes i bawb.	15.11.18 <u>Thursday</u>	<u>Ysgol Caer Elen Open Evening</u> from 5 - 7.30pm, a warm welcome is extended to all.

16.11.18 Dydd Gwener	Diwrnod Plant mewn Angen Gofynnwn yn garedig i blant wisgo pjs a dod a chyfraniad o £1 neu'n fwy tuag at yr elusen. Hoffem gynnal sêl gacennau hefyd felly os ydych yn medru dod a chacennau i'r ysgol erbyn bore Gwener byddem ni'n dra ddiolchgar.	16.11.18 Friday	Children in Need We kindly ask children to wear pjs and bring a contribution of £1 or more towards the charity. We would also like to hold a cake sale. Therefore, we would welcome any donations of cakes by Friday morning. Thank you in advance for your support.
16.11.18 Dydd Gwener	Gwersi Ymarfer corff i ddosbarth Mrs Phillips (Sêr y Môr) a dosbarth Mrs Griffiths (Pysgod Chwim) Rhaid i bob plentyn yn Sêr y Môr ddod â chit ymarfer corff ac esgidiau priodol er mwyn cymryd rhan yng ngwersi addysg gorfforol.	16.11.18 Friday	PE lessons for Mrs Phillips' class (Sêr y Môr) & Pysgod Chwim, Mrs Griffiths' class All pupils in Sêr y Môr must bring PE kit and suitable footwear on the days that they have PE lessons.
16.11.18 Dydd Gwener	Gwersi nofio i ddosbarth yr Harbwr (Mrs Hughes / Miss Jones)	16.11.18 Friday	Swimming lessons for Harbwr class (Mrs Hughes / Miss Jones)

Gwybodaeth - Information

Presenoldeb wythnos yn gorffen: 09.11.18 - 94.66% (Targed yr Ysgol: 95.1%)

Attendance week ending: 09.11.18 - 94.66% (School's attendance target: 95.1%)

Reg	Authorised Absence	Attended
Reg		
Cregyn	8.57	91.43
Cychod	1.48	98.52
Pysgod Chwim	5.41	94.59
Ser Y Mor	8	92
Ynys Byr	5.71	94.29
Yr Harbwr	3.93	96.07

This week's attendance figure for the whole school is disappointing as it is below the school target.

Attendance figure for statutory school aged pupils week ending 9.11.18: 95.36% (above school target!)

Information regarding holiday dates and INSET days (school closure days)

Christmas break	24.12.18 - 4.01.2019
INSET (school closed to pupils)	07.01.2019 + 08.01.2019
Half Term	25.02.2019 - 01.03.2019
INSET (school closed to pupils)	12.04.2019
Easter break	15.04.2019 - 26.04.2019
Bank holiday (school closed)	06.05.2019
Half term	27.05.2019 - 31.05.2019
INSET (school closed to pupils)	22.07.2019

PE LESSONS

Please take note that **all** pupils must bring PE kit and suitable footwear on the days that they have PE lessons.

Dosbarth Mr Thomas (Cychod) + Mrs Hughes' (Harbwr) Class -	Dydd Llun / Monday
Dosbarth Mrs King (Ynys Bŷr) + Mrs Walters (Cregyn) Class -	Dydd Iau / Thursday
Dosbarth Mrs Phillips (Sêr y Môr) Class -	Dydd Gwener / Friday
*Dosbarth Mrs Griffiths (Pysgod Chwim) -	Dydd Gwener / Friday

**Nid oes angen iddynt fod yn cit ymarfer corff ffurfiol / These pupils do not need to wear formal PE kit*

INCLEMENT WEATHER

I would like to remind all parents of the procedures for inclement weather and school closure. Updates relating to school closures or other alerts can be found on the following pages:-
The Council's website at:- www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk/alerts

You can register for alerts by creating your own account by using the following web address: <https://myaccount.pembrokeshire.gov.uk/>

The Council's Twitter and Facebook pages will also be updated with alerts:-
www.facebook.com/PembrokeshireCountyCouncil
www.twitter.com/Pembrokeshire

Dyddiadau o flaen llaw		Future dates	
Bwletin Newyddion a Digwyddiadau		Events and News Bulletin	
Dyddiad	Digwyddiad	Date	Event
19.11	Nosweithiau rhieni bl. 3 + 4 - llythyron gwybodaeth i'w dilyn	19.11	Parents' evenings for yrs. 3 & 4 - further information to follow
20.11	Pelrywd yr Urdd i ferched - manylion i'w dilyn wrth Mr Thomas	20.11	Urdd Netball competition for girls - further details to follow from Mr Thomas
22.11	Taith Thema - Nadolig Fictoraidd yn Maenor Scolton i fl. 3, 4, 5 a 6. Bydd cyfle i'r plant ddysgu am draddodiadau ac arferion Nadolig Fictoraidd, chwarae gemau parlwr, gwyllo sioe goginio Fictoraidd a chymryd rhan mewn sesiwn greffttau Nadolig Fictoraidd. Bydd pob ymweliad yn gorffen drwy ganu carolau o gwmpas y goeden Nadolig.	22.11	Thematic Learning trip to Scolton Manor's Victorian Christmas for pupils in yrs. 3, 4, 5 & 6. Children will get the chance to learn about Victorian Christmas traditions, play parlour games, watch a Victorian cookery demonstration and make a Victorian Christmas craft. Each visit ends with carol singing around the Christmas tree.
28.11	Gala Nofio'r Urdd bl. 3 - 6 - manylion i'w dilyn wrth Mr Thomas	28.11	Urdd Swimming Gala competition for yrs. 3 - 6 - further details to follow from Mr Thomas
3.12	Canu i'r henoed	3.12	Signing to senior citizens in the community
6.12	Cyngerdd Nadolig dosbarth Meithrin a Derbyn (Mrs Griffiths + Mrs Phillips) yn neuadd yr ysgol am 10yb	6.12	Christmas concert for Nursery & Reception (Mrs Griffiths + Mrs Phillips) pupils @ Ysgol Hafan y Mor 10am

6.12 wedi'i gadarnhau	Eleni byddwn yn cynnal Cyngerdd Carolau a stori'r geni ar gyfer disgyblion Bl. 1 - 6. Croeso cynnes i bawb. Manylion pellach i'w dilyn.	6.12 confirmed	This year we will be holding a Carol Concert and Nativity service for yrs. 1 - 6 pupils. A warm welcome is extended to all. Further information to follow.
7.12	<u>Gweithgareddau Hafan Cymru</u> - mi fydd asiantaeth Hafan Cymru yn cydweithio gyda disgyblion Bl. 2 a 6 i ddatblygu eu hymwybyddiaeth o berthnasoedd iach ac hapus.	7.12	<u>Hafan Cymru activities</u> - Hafan Cymru will be working with pupils in yr. 2 & 6 to develop their understanding of positive and healthy relationships.
10.12	<u>Panto Pinocchio - Dosbarth Derbyn - Bl. 6</u> . Manylion pellach i'w dilyn	10.12	<u>Pinocchio pantomime - Reception - yr. 6</u> . Further details to follow
12.12	<u>Cinio Nadolig Ysgol</u>	12.12	<u>School Christmas lunch</u>
21.12	<u>Diwrnod Siwmpwr Nadolig</u> - Gofynnwn yn garedig i blant wisgo siwmpwr Nadolig a dod a chyfraniad o £1 neu'n fwy tuag at yr elusen. Byddwn hefyd yn cynnal parti Nadolig ac yn cael ymwelydd arbennig i'r ysgol!	21.12	<u>Christmas Jumper Day</u> - We kindly ask that pupils wear a Christmas Jumper to school and bring a donation of £1 or more for the appeal. We will also be holding a Christmas party and a special visitor will be visiting the school!
24.12.18 - 04.01.18	<u>Gwyliau Nadolig</u>	24.12.18 - 04.01.18	<u>Christmas Holidays</u>
07.01.18 + 08.01.18	<u>HMS - Ysgol ar gau i ddisgyblion</u>	07.01.18 + 08.01.18	<u>INSET - School closed to all pupils</u>

Dyddiad newydd / New Date