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Respect, respond, be brave, rejoice!
Newsletter/Cylchlythyr

Friday 5th June 2026 / Dydd Gwener 5 Mehefin 2026

Dear Families,

Ysgol Yr Esgob and The School Council Brain Tumour Charity Fundraiser & Sports Day

Sports Day is planned to take place on **Thursday 11th June starting at 1.15pm** weather permitting. Second choice is 18th June. Early Entitlement and Nursery pupils are invited to come along with a parent/guardian. We will then call them to enter in their own race should they wish to take part.

PLEASE CAN ALL PUPILS COME TO SCHOOL EVERY DAY NEXT WEEK DRESSED IN THEIR P.E. KITS TO PRACTICE. On Sports Day children are encouraged to wear a t-shirt in the colour of their house (Yr Wyddfa is blue, Siabod is green, Cadair Idris is yellow and Tryfan is red).

The Cake Sale/Refreshments will be held at the end. We will be selling raffle tickets for the amazing food/goodies hampers. Tickets are £1.00 each. You may also buy tickets on School Gateway in advance. Please try and sell as many as you can as they really are worth winning and the proceeds are for a very worthy cause, The Brain Tumour Charity with a percentage kept for school funds. **Please note the cake sale and raffle will go ahead at the end of the school day regardless of whether Sports Day is postponed due to inclement weather! Please join us in the school hall.**

If anyone would kindly like to donate any cakes, please can you let us know either by text or email by Monday morning next week at the latest. Many thanks for your support as always.



Caerwys Show – Saturday 13th June

Our choir will be taking part in the Caerwys Show on Saturday 13th June. Last practice will be on **9th June**. The children need to be at the entrance to the show ground at 9.30am to 9.45am at the latest, to make our way to the music tent for a 10.00am performance, lasting approximately 20 minutes. Please note you will need to stay with your child/children for the event. The one free adult pass will be given to you at the gate.

Brownlee Foundation Triathlon – Tuesday 16th June

All pupils in year 3 to 6 will be taking part in the Brownlee Foundation Triathlon at Mold Alun School on Tuesday 16th June. We will be leaving school with B E Davies Coaches at **9.00am prompt** for a 9.30am registration. **Please ensure that the children have their swimsuit/trunks on under their PE Kit. They also need a – towel, shorts or trousers for running and cycling, trainers, change of clothes in a clearly labelled bag, drinks (not fizzy) and a packed lunch. Please ensure that you return the Brownlee Foundation Photograph Consent Form if you have not already done so.**

Attendance

If your child is unable to attend school due to illness, make sure the school office is informed at the earliest opportunity. Children do suffer from coughs and colds, however unless they are running a temperature they can still come to school. There is guidance on the NHS website if you are unsure. Children need to remain at home for 48 hours after the last episode of a tummy bug!

Late marks will be given to children where they have not arrived before registration. Please remember in an effort to maintain Welsh Government attendance recommendations any holiday requests must be submitted to the office for approval.

This week's attendance is

PE

All pupils will be having their PE lessons on a **Thursday**. Please ensure all children come to school in their PE Kits with the appropriate footwear.

PE Kit

Please can you ensure that your child has the correct PE Kit on PE days and especially for sporting events that they will take part in –

Black/grey jogging bottoms, leggings or shorts, plain white t-shirt, red jumper. Children must wear sensible trainers for PE. No jewellery please. If your child has earrings that cannot be removed, surgical tape will be applied for safety reasons. Please ensure that long hair is tied back, to prevent any accidents and reduce the spread of headlice.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club will be open from 8.00am to 8.15am for those who pay £1.50 per day, £7.50 per week, payable on School Gateway. The doors will not be open until 8.00am. **Please pay in advance and state clearly the day the payment is for.** The FREE Breakfast Club run from 8.16am. **Doors close at 8.40am. Breakfast is only served until 8.30am. If you arrive after 8.40am please use the playground entrance**



doors will open at 8.55am. Please remember children are not permitted to bring their own food to Breakfast Club.

Dates for your Dairy (may be subject to change)

Year 3 Cello lessons begin Tuesday 28th April to 30th June.

Year 3 Primary Schools Music Concert at Theatr Clwyd – Tuesday 7th July 2026

Library van at school – 17th June and 8th July.

Prayers and Create Wednesdays at St Michael's Church 3.30pm t 4.30pm – 17th June

Sports Day – 11th June (1st choice), 18th June (2nd choice) followed by refreshments and raffle

Year 5 & 6 – Wednesday 24th June – Cycling Proficiency

Reception pupils in September 2026 – Friday 26th June – stay for the whole day until 3.00pm.

Year 6 Leavers Service – Friday 17th July at St Michael's Church 9.15am

Wrap Around Care CBB runs wrap around care from 11.30am to 3.00pm for children 2.5 years old up to Nursery age.

It also runs an after school club until 6.00pm. This is a secure unit that provides, safe, enjoyable care during the working week. Any correspondence or contact needs to be made directly to Alice either by email or mobile 07895 580302.

Please note that the office is not staffed full time. Mrs Tandy works from 7.30am to 12.30pm Monday to Thursday and 11.30am on a Friday. If it is urgent, please leave a phone message as we will not pick up School Gateway until the next day.



School Term and Holiday Dates 2026-2027

Autumn Term		
Training Day Staff only – no pupils	Tuesday	1st September
School Opens	Wednesday	2 nd September
School Closes	Friday	23 rd October
(Half Term Holiday)		
School Opens	Monday	2 nd November
School Closes	Friday	18 th December
(Christmas Holiday)		
Spring Term		
Training Day Staff only – no pupils	Monday	4th January 2027
Training Day Staff only – no pupils	Tuesday	5th January 2027
School Opens	Wednesday	6 th January 2027
School Closes	Friday	5 th February 2027
(Half Term Holiday)		
School Opens	Monday	15 th February 2027
School Closes	Friday	19 th March 2027
(Easter Holiday)		
Summer Term		
Training Day Staff only – no pupils	Monday	5th April 2027
School Opens	Tuesday	6 th April 2027
May Day Bank Holiday	Monday	3rd May 2027
School Closes	Friday	28 th May 2027
(Half Term Holiday)		
School Opens	Monday	7 th June 2027
School Closes	Friday	16 th July 2027
Training Day Staff only – no pupils	Monday	19th July 2027
Training Day Staff only – no pupils	Tuesday	20th July 2027

