



Ysgol Sant Elfod Newsletter / Cylch Lythyr

Oni flagura ni ffrwytha

Mighty oaks from little acorns grow

Hydref 6ed October 6th 2023

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Autumn / Halloween Disco

Wednesday October 25th

5pm to 6pm

Admission **£3.50**
(to include a hotdog and a drink)

Please pay via ParentPay

There will sweets, glowsticks, slap bands for sale on the night.

We will also have a nail bar.

Pupils are more than welcome to attend in fancy dress but no clown masks please.



Diary / Dyddiadur

Hydref / October

13th Dosbarth 3 Forest School

19th Meet the ALNCo Miss Crabtree 2pm

25th Autumn/Hallowe'en Disco 5-6pm

26th Dosbarth 5 Forest School

27th School closes for half term 3.10pm

Tachwedd /November

6th School opens 8.55am

7th 'Flu vaccine



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Prizes and a certificates will be presented to the winning entries from our school.

The entries need to be submitted by **Monday October 18th.**

Meet the ALNCo

If you would like to discuss any additional support your child receives in school, or if you would like to discuss any matter regarding your child's additional learning needs (ALN), please come along for an informal chat with Miss Crabtree on the **19th October at 2pm.**

Sêr yr Wythnos

Lower School

Amelia R

Abel S-P

Ethan C

Josh R

Upper School

Issac L

Wangechi W

Archie P

Sofia M

Charlie O

WELL DONE!

DA IAWN!



TESCO STRONGER STARTS

We are delighted to announce that our application to be part of **TESCO Stronger Starts** as been successful. Voting will commence in store from the first week of October 2023 until Mid January 2024.

We wish to improve our Forest School with new equipment and some new resources so that the children can continue to enjoy learning in an outdoor setting. To vote, you will need to make a purchase within store of any value. You will receive one token per transaction and it's not necessary to purchase a carrier bag in order to receive a token. Thank you for your support in this exciting event..... **Every Little Helps!**



Community News

Events at RSPB Conwy October 2023

Wilding required!
Check in-store for more info

Sea-park Happy Autumn Season
From October 15th until the end of the month, we have a special offer on all our sea-park tickets. Book now to take advantage of this special offer.

Weekly Family Storytime
Join us every week for a story and song session. Suitable for children aged 3-5 years.

Tea & Cake for Adults
Join us for a relaxing afternoon of tea and cake. Suitable for all ages.

Autumn Wildlife Walk
Join us for a walk in the park to see the autumn wildlife. Suitable for all ages.

Tea & Cake for Children
Join us for a relaxing afternoon of tea and cake. Suitable for children aged 3-5 years.

Young Water Walk (Sept)
Join us for a walk in the park to see the autumn wildlife. Suitable for children aged 3-5 years.

Pensarn
Drop in Advice Session /
Sesiwn Cyngor Galw i Fewn

Tuesday / Dydd Mawrth
13.00 - 16.00

Canolfan Dewi
Sant Centre,
South Parade,
Pensarn LL22 7RG

North Wales Disability Information Sharing Event 2023

- Where: Venue Cymru, Llandudno
- When: Thursday 2nd November 2023
- Time: 10:00 am until 3:00 pm

Join us for ...

- Information stalls from over 50 organisations, charities and specialist companies
- Sensory room, quiet room and under 5's room
- Activities for all ages and abilities
- Light cafe
- The Autism Reality Experienced bus
- Workshops and demonstrations throughout the day (limited spaces at the workshops, booking required)
- ...and more

This event welcomes parents, carers, families and professionals to attend.

For more information please contact Gert.

NATURE COMMISSION

PLAYFUL PARENTS

Free to attend & free food so you're back.

Day	9.00am - 11.00am	11.00am - 4.00pm
Monday	75 Free - 1000 - 1000	1000 - 1000 - 1000
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Thursday	1000 - 1000 - 1000	1000 - 1000 - 1000
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Free to attend & free food so you're back.

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Tuesday 10th October
1pm to 2.30pm

Home Start Community Clothes Share Project

Helping a child (or two) flourish
Support and Friendship for Families

Free pre-used children's clothing in good, clean condition.

Held at Canolfan Dewi Sant Centre,
South Parade, Pensarn, Abergele,
Gwynedd, LL22 7RG

Held on the Second Tuesday of
every month from 1:00pm - 2:30pm
Starting again from 11th October
2022 Terms time only.

PIC-COLLAGE

Canolfan Dewi Sant Centre - Pensarn

Canolfan Dewi Sant Centre South Parade, Pensarn

Canolfan Dewi Sant Centre comprises of St David's Church & three multi purpose rooms.

There are many different community & social groups, fitness, wellbeing activities, support & advice groups taking place here every day of the week for all ages.

If you run a community group or work for a third sector organisation and would like to find out more about how you can have your own base here at Canolfan Dewi Sant Centre, please contact Theresa Curran, Administrator of CDSC on 07975 543020 or email dewisant@btconnect.com

PTA

Our PTA have a Facebook account to keep you informed about PTA events and show how the money raised is used to purchase fantastic things for all pupils to benefit from. Take a look at **Sant Elfod's— Stay Informed Group** page. We couldn't do it without your continued support, so a great big thank you from us all!



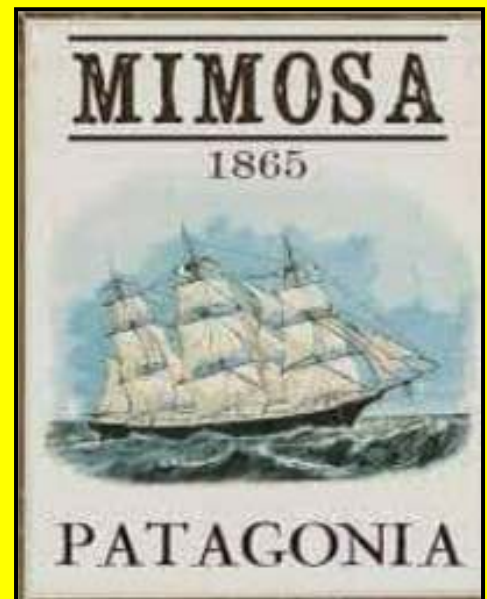
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Patagonia

Today, the Upper School had the opportunity to take part in an interactive, enlightening drama production by the drama company 'In Character'. The pupils were taken back in time to 1865. They learned about William Jones, one of the brave Welshmen, on his epic journey from Bala to Patagonia. They were transported back to a time of Michael D. Jones and his epic plans to create a new Welsh colony in South America. We heard all about the fun and tragic events on board the Mimosa followed by the reality that greeted the travellers on the shores of Patagonia.



The historic Welsh settlement of Patagonia, Argentina.

CORNEL CYMRAEG

Band y Mis Fleur de Lys



They are a Welsh band from Anglesey! Scan the QR code to listen to one of their songs called Sbectol.



Brawddeg yr Wythnos

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I ba ysgol ydych chi'n mynd?

Dw i'n mynd i Ysgol Sant Elfod.

HYDREF

Join the Urdd!

By joining the Urdd your child has the opportunity to participate in various sporting and craft events with the Urdd within the school year. Trials for the sporting events will be held throughout the year.

Membership is now open.

Follow the link to find out more information [Urdd_information_pack.pdf](#)

URDD I BAWE

Urdd Gobaith Cymru

WHAT IS THE URDD?
Urdd Gobaith Cymru is an organisation for children and young people.

WHAT DOES THE URDD OFFER?
The Urdd offers unique, exciting and unforgettable experiences for children and young people in Wales, including:

- Workshop parties
- Weekly, school clubs and national competitions
- Art events
- Excursions to travel abroad
- Compete at the Urdd Eisteddfod
- Becky members of the Urdd's national Youth Theatre
- and much, much more!

HOW TO JOIN?
To become a member:

Child membership: £10 per child (includes 12 sessions)

Family membership: £20 (£2 for each additional)

By joining the Urdd you will be able to visit the Urdd's national youth theatre.

[#UrddIbawe](#)



Scan the QR code to listen to Hei Mistar Urdd

Diwrnod Shwmae Su'mae

Celebrate with us on the 15th of October

SWIMMING 10

Sat fydd i'n dathlu diwrnod Shwmae Su'mae eileni! Ceir restrau dy 3 pheth i dathlu gyda ni!

How will you celebrate Shwmae Su'mae day this year? Register your 3 things to celebrate with us!

Sant Elfod

In Gwasanaeth Cymraeg this week we have been learning about Sant Elfod

Elfod was a Welsh Bishop of Bangor in the 8th Century. In 768 he persuaded the Welsh church to follow the Roman method of calculating the date of Easter.

Elfod was also the founder of St Michael's church in Abergele. The church was first built in the 8th Century on land granted by Maelgwyn Gwynedd to Elfod, Bishop of Bangor.

