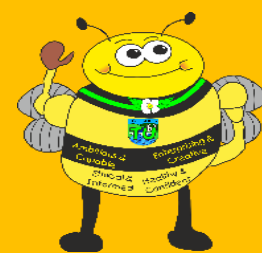


Tre Uchaf Times



Belong- Believe- Be the best you can be!

Theme next week: *Harvest*

Welsh phrase of the fortnight: Pwy wyt ti?ydw i.

Attendance: 90.4%

Best attending class- Hyacinth with 94.4% Ardderchog pawb!

School council elections



Our annual elections took place on Wednesday afternoon.

The following children have been elected to represent their classes:

	Learning Bees	Bee Citizens	Enterprising Bees	Healthy Bees
Daffodils	Osian Hiro	Lachlan Teddy	Maddie Myles Esmae	Mardan Edison
Aster	Evelyn Arabella Elizabeth	Logan Oscar	Gracie Grayson	Freddie Lucy
Hyacinth	Amelie Freya	Madison Faye	Maya Sienna	Richie Lexie
Tulip	Archie Skyla	Nancy Aggie	Nojus Sienna	Matilda Robyn
Sunflower	Jaxon	Desteni	Skye	Emilie
Sea Holly	Morgan Lexie Eifion	Diane Alisha	Lily Taya Melody	Florence Jackson

Congratulations to all children who have been elected to represent their classes but also a huge well done to the children who pushed themselves out of their comfort zone and stood up in front of the class to give their presentation. It takes courage to do that and we noticed that there were far more children willing to give it a go this year. Well done!

After school clubs this week

Monday	Community Welsh Parents/carers and children	Mr Smith	Gym
Monday	Zumba- Years 3-6	Mrs Horne	Hall
Tuesday	Story Keepers Year 3 &4	Miss Miller	Gym
Tuesday	Bronze Ambassadors-fitness Cancelled this week due to staff training	Mrs Lodwig and Mrs Hall	Gym
Thursday	Staff Zumba	Mrs Horne	hall

Harvest

This year the Bee Citizens have decided to collect for Matthew's House. Our Harvest Assembly will be on Friday morning and we will collect the items and deliver them next week. If you can support this charity, please send in one or two of the items listed below. Many thanks

HARVEST 2025

Items we love

- ✓ Custard, rice pudding, jelly
- ✓ UHT milk & coconut milk
- ✓ Coffee, hot chocolate & sugar
- ✓ Cooking oil, ground pepper
- ✓ Tinned beans, pulses & veg
- ✓ Tinned meat & fish
- ✓ Tinned fruit
- ✓ Jarred sauces
- ✓ Squash
- ✓ Men's deodorant, men's socks
- ✓ Toothpaste, lip balm, mints & gum

We do not need

- ✗ Tinned soup
- ✗ Teabags
- ✗ Honey & jam
- ✗ Gravy granules
- ✗ Cereal & biscuits

For more details, contact
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MATTHEW'S HOUSE

Family learning



Family learning is on Wednesday morning between 9.15 and 11am in the meeting room with Elaine. This is a lovely opportunity to mingle with other like-minded parents of children in Reception and Year 1, make a game or prepare an activity and spend one on one time with your_child in school.

You don't need to attend every week but the families who have come along have really enjoyed it! Elaine is lovely and will give you a fabulous welcome. Tea and coffee is free!

Staff News- Fond farewell!



Mrs Rees who works in our Thrive Hive has got a new job with the CPS! She will be leaving our school on Friday 26th September. We appointed Mr Jagho who will be based in Year 3 and will start next Monday. I am sure you will make him feel very welcome. We are busy looking for training opportunities for our KS2 staff to carry on the good work that Mrs Rees has done over the last 4 years so watch this space!

I am sure you will join us and wish Mrs Rees the very best of luck with her new role. She will be greatly missed by staff and children.

Safeguarding and Child Protection

The child protection and designated safeguarding officer for our school is **Mrs Louise Davies**, the Head teacher. In her absence the deputy safeguarding lead is **Mrs Stephanie Edwards**. The Governor with responsibility for child protection and safeguarding is **Mrs Rachel Rees**, the Chair of Governors.

New Dates *****



<u>Dates</u>	
22 nd September- Harvest week	
23 rd September	Aster visit to the local park for their Engage visit
24 th September	Daffodils to Kidwelly Castle
25 th September	3 Year 6 children to Design Technology event in Penyrheol school
25 th September	Hyacinth to Copper Jack
26 th September	Harvest Assembly- Please donate if you can!
1 st October	Penyrheol Comprehensive Open evening 6pm-8pm
2 nd October	Tulips to Mining museum
2 nd October	Daffodils- Camhs Outreach team Emotional regulation

	Hyacinth- Camhs Outreach Resilience and growth mindset workshop
20th October	Year 6 to Penyrheol Drama department to see High School Musical
21st October	Staff training on Emotional based school avoidance
27th October-31st October	Half Term
3rd November	INSET Day- No school for children
5th November	3 Year 6 children to science department for a challenge
6th November	Year 2 and Year 5 to have a fire safety talk from the fire service
Week commencing 10th November	Parent/ Carers appointments/ meetings with teachers Creche available on Monday and Tuesday only
28th November	INSET DAY- School closed to children
4th December	Christmas Fair