



## YMLAEN GYDA'N GILYDD / FORWARD TOGETHER

Friday June 27<sup>th</sup>

Dear Parents/Carers,

What have we been up to this week...

### Year 6 Transition

Year 6 have had a Taster Day and a Sports Day at Bryncelynnog this week. Miss Baldock and staff commented on how well behaved and enthusiastic they all were.

Miss Baldock has also been to Llwyncrwn to speak to Year 6 pupils.



Pupils who are going to other high schools have also had visits and have thoroughly enjoyed their time.

### Year 5 Open Evening

We hope that you found the Year 5 Open Evening at Bryncelynnog on **Thursday June 26<sup>th</sup>** useful.

## Family and Community Engagement

## Lego Therapy



This week Lego Therapy sessions started. It was a great session.

Lego Therapy is a play-based social skills intervention that uses lego construction to help children develop social-competence. It helps with turn-taking, sharing, listening, teamwork and problem-solving. It can also improve language and motor skills.

## Tennis Tournament



Mr Brown took his class to a Tennis Session on Wednesday June 25<sup>th</sup>.

The pupils had an amazing time there and the event organisers commented on how well behaved they all were. The bus driver also commented on how polite and well-mannered they were.

Da iawn/Well done Dosbarth Beech- amazing news!

## **Platinum Eco-Schools Award**



We are very pleased to announce that Llwynyrwn was presented with the **Platinum Eco-Schools Award** this week. 'Eco-Schools Platinum Awards are the highest level of recognition within the Eco-Schools programme, signifying a school's long-term commitment to environmental education and sustainability. To achieve Platinum status, a school must have been continuously involved in the program for nine years or have received the Green Flag award four times. This achievement demonstrates a deep integration of environmental practices into the school's culture and curriculum.'

This is a fantastic achievement, and we thank Mrs Heaven, the Eco-Council and all of the school community for their dedication and hard work. Councillor Julie Barton came to the special award ceremony, and the award was presented by Julie Giles.

Well done/Da iawn i chi gyd!



### **Shelter**

Our fabulous Friends of Llwynyrwn have used some funding to purchase a much needed shelter for the KS2 yard, as a start to improving our outdoors.

Thank you so much to Mr Furber, Dave and Mike for helping to erect the shelter, which wasn't easy at all! The pupils will definitely benefit from it.



### **Summer Diversity Fete**

Diolch yn fawr/Thank you so much to everyone who attended our Summer Diversity Fete.

It was a great success and seeing so many families in attendance was superb. A special Thank you to FOL, especially Mrs Barnes and Mrs Hamonda for working so hard to plan the event. Thank you to all the stall holders who attended, and to Mr Lee Jones, our DJ. Thanks to staff for helping, and also to

our wonderful pupils who sang their diversity songs with such enthusiasm and positivity. It was a superb afternoon! We will announce the funds raised when finalised.



## Ffrindiau Bach Llwyncrwn

**Efrindiau Bach**  
**Llwyncrwn**  
**Little Friends**  
**Parent, Baby and Toddler Group**

Pure Fun  
Storytime  
Friends  
Rhymes  
Toys and Games  
Talk and play

**Llwyncrwn Primary School**  
**Tuesday 9.00am-10.30am**  
**Starting 9th September 2025**

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### Dates for your Diary

Thursday July 3 <sup>rd</sup>	EET Celebration Awards at Llantrisant Leisure Centre for 2x Year 6 winners 10.00-12.30
Monday July 7 <sup>th</sup>	Siarter Iaith Gwobr Arian Judging

<b>Tuesday July 8<sup>th</sup></b>	Reception-Year 2 visit to Parc Play  Year 6 Prom
<b>Wednesday July 9<sup>th</sup></b>	Nursery visit to Parc Play  Year 5 and Year 6 Online Safety talk with PC Newman at 1.30. Meeting with Parents and Carers 2.30 in Hall 2.  New Nursery starters visit to Nursery 3.15
<b>Friday July 11<sup>th</sup></b>	KS2 visit to Folly Farm. Leave as soon as possible following registration. Please do not be late on this morning. Leave Folly Farm at 3.30pm. Estimated time of arrival home will be 5.30pm. Staff will keep you updated during the journey.
<b>Thursday July 17<sup>th</sup></b>	Year 6 Leavers Assembly 1.30
<b>Friday July 18<sup>th</sup></b>	Break up for the Summer Holidays
<b>Tuesday September 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	All pupils return to school

### Year 6 Transition Dates

<b>Tuesday July 1<sup>st</sup></b>	Meeting for all Year 6 Parents/Carers attending Bryncelynnog in September 5.00-6.00 in Hall 1
<b>Thursday July 10<sup>th</sup></b>	Year 6 Digital Skills Day at Bryncelynnog

### School term times 2025/2026

Term	From	To
Autumn 2025	Monday, September 1 2025	Friday, October 24 2025
Half Term	Monday, October 27 2025	Friday, October 31 2025
Autumn 2025	Monday, November 3 2025	Friday, December 19 2025
Christmas Holidays	Monday, December 22 2025	Friday, January 2 2026
Spring 2026	Monday, January 5 2026	Friday, February 13 2026
Half Term	Monday, February 16 2026	Friday, February 20 2026
Spring 2026	Monday, February 23 2026	Friday, March 27 2026

Easter Holidays	Monday, March 30 2026	Friday, April 10 2026
Summer 2026	Monday, April 13 2026	Friday, May 22 2026
Half Term	Monday, May 25 2026	Friday, May 29 2026
Summer 2026	Monday, June 1 2026	Monday, July 20 2026

All schools will be closed on **Monday 4 May 2026** for the May Day Bank Holiday.

Significant dates:

- Christmas - Thursday 25 December 2025
- Easter - Good Friday 3 April 2026
- Easter Monday - 6 April 2026
- May Bank Holidays
  - Monday 4 May 2026
  - Monday 25 May 2026

**INSET Days already booked for 25/26**

Monday September 1<sup>st</sup>

Monday December 1<sup>st</sup>

Monday July 20<sup>th</sup>

## All Year 5 and Year 6



### ONLINE SAFETY

All parents/carers of Year 5 and Year 6 are invited to an important Online Safety Information Meeting, hosted by Llwynyrwn in collaboration with PC Leigh Newman, our School Police Liaison Officer.

Year 5 and Year 6 will be taking part in designing and making an Online Safety poster.

The winner from each year group will be chosen and presented with an award during a presentation.

Parents and Carers will be invited for discussion and the presentation of the winning poster designs. This will be at 2.30 in the Hall 2.

Date: Wednesday 9th July

Time: 2.30pm

Location: Hall 2

As our children become increasingly active online, it is more important than ever for parents and carers to be equipped with the knowledge and tools to help them stay safe in the digital world. During this session, PC Newman will share valuable advice on topics such as:

Staying safe on social media  
Recognising and avoiding online risks  
Parental controls and privacy settings  
Cyberbullying and how to respond  
Where to go for help and support

This is a great opportunity to ask questions, learn practical tips, and work together to keep our children safe.

We strongly encourage all parents and carers to attend. Your involvement makes a real difference in helping our children use technology safely and responsibly.

We look forward to seeing you there.



Attendance for this week is 90%



Attendance Winners this week are Dosbarth Holly/Mrs Heaven with

**98%**

Llongyfarchiadau / Well done to all the pupils from this class

All pupils must attend school until the end of term. It is an important time of the year.  
We have a lot of absences at the moment, which are unauthorised.  
Thank you for your support with this.

Hope you all have a wonderful weekend,  
Mrs Charles and team