



BODNANT URDD WINNERS

Congratulations to all the pupils who took part in the Urdd recently. It was so lovely to see so many of you on stage and going through to the next round. Thank you all for taking part.



Our Exquisite Trip To The Netherlands!

On a Sunday night when the rest of the school was asleep, a chosen few of us got the opportunity to go on the breath-taking trip to the Netherlands.

When we arrived we went to a football stadium belonging to the Ajax football team. We also went to the Anne Frank House where we learnt about the tragic life of Anne Frank and her friends. Personally my favourite part was the cheese and clog factory. The cheese was absolutely marvellous. This trip created so many joyful memories for the children to treasure forever. Thank you to the teachers who gave up their time to take us!

By Evie Fell-Crook

Easter Bingo

6pm Thursday 2nd April

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Please donate Easter eggs to school for the event

<p>Foundation Phase Friday 3rd April</p> <p>Easter Bonnet Competition</p> <p>The class with the most entries will win a prize</p>	<p>Key Stage 2 - Friday 3rd April</p> <p>Decorate an Easter Egg using the Olympics as a theme</p> <p>1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes per year group</p>
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Our Memory-making Young voices Trip

We had been practising for over 2 months for the amazing experience. We arrived at 1pm and found our seats. We started our rehearsal at 2pm with Ruti (The winner of The Voice in 2018), Tony Hadley and The Shires. The rehearsal was incredible but that was just the start of it. The concert was breath-taking, creating hundreds of fantastic memories for the children who took part. Thank you to all the teachers who took us to this fabulous experienter of a trip.

By Grace Kane



Fixed Penalty Notices (FPN) Reminder

From Monday 6th of January 2020 Bodnant School has implemented the FPN procedures.

You have a legal responsibility to make sure your child attends school. If your child misses school without an acceptable reason, you could be fined or prosecuted.

Fixed Penalty Notices (Unauthorised school absences) - Frequently Asked Questions

<https://www.denbighshire.gov.uk/en/resident/education/school-attendance-fixed-penalty-notice-frequently-asked-questions-en.pdf>

School Jotter



Don't forget to download our School Jotter App, if you have not already done so. You will get alerts when we post news, have access to the school calendar, newsletters and more. To get the app, google 'School Jotter', download the App, and then add 'Bodnant Community School' or the school postcode 'LL19 9NW'.

Free School Meals
Are you entitled?

If you are in receipt of certain benefits and you think you may be entitled to Free School Meals, please call in at the School Office for an application form. It could mean a saving of over £400 a year!



Little Princess Trust

A charity to provide real hair wigs for children suffering hair loss

On Thursday 13th February at Emily Phillips, had her hair cut to donate to the Little Princess Trust. Her hair will be cut by Rebecca Morgan Hair Salon. We raised £203.54 on the day which has been donated to the charity.

Thank you so much for your support. It is very much appreciated. Diolch

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Newyddion Criw Cymraeg



Urdd Club

Our Urdd Club now meets every Thursday until Thursday 26th March.

Urdd

Congratulations to all the children who took part in the Urdd. You were all amazing and we were so proud of you all. For those who got first or second place the county round will be on Saturday 21st of March in Ysgol Brynhyfryd, Ruthin.

Useful Websites

Here are some useful websites to help your child learn Welsh.

learn-welsh.net which has lessons and games for key stage.
bbc.com/bitesize has a series of animations to encourage children to use and speak everyday Welsh. If you go to Welsh second language there is a section for Foundation Phase (3-7) and a section for KS2 (7-11)

Magi Ann app has lots of lovely stories for younger children.

Have you downloaded the new app yet? We are trying to reduce the cost of communication through text messages by sending out emails and attachments through the Schoolgateway app.

This app is easy to download and all we need is your email address to be able to link you to your child's account in school.



DATES FOR THE DIARY

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>		<u>TIME</u>
SPRING TERM			
Friday, 20th March	Year 2—Coffee and catch up		2:00pm
Friday, 20th March	Foundation Phase—Biscuits with mum (Or another female relative)		2:30pm
Saturday, 21st March	Urdd 2nd Round (County Round), Ruthin 		8am
Tuesday, 24th March	Year 5 Danger Point trip		TBC
Thursday, 2nd April	Easter Bingo		6pm
Friday, 3rd April	Easter Competition		All day
SUMMER TERM			
Monday, 20th April	School Reopens for Summer Term		
Friday 8th May	May Day—Bank Holiday		ALL DAY
Tuesday, 19th May	Foundation Phase Sports Day		AM
Wednesday, 20th May	Years 3 and 4 Sports Day		AM
Thursday, 21st May	Years 5 and 6 Sports Day		AM
Friday, 22nd May	Break up for Half Term		
May 25th—30th	Urdd Eisteddfod held in Denbigh 		
Monday, 1st June	School opens after Half Term		
Friday, 19th June	Summer Fair		2pm - 4pm
Friday 26th June	STAFF TRAINING DAY		ALL DAY
Thursday, 16th July	Leaver's Service and Disco		
Friday, 17th July	School closes for Summer Holidays		

Reminder:

School breaks up for Easter on Friday 3rd April and we return to school on Monday 20th April.