

Fairfield News

Friday 19th April 2024

Dolygaer 2024

Year 6 had a fabulous week on their residential trip to Dolygaer. They took part in lots of different fun activities such as rock climbing, gorge walking, canoeing, archery and paddle boarding. They all really enjoyed the activities and were encouraging and helping each other all the time. The instructors were very impressed by the enthusiasm and behaviour of all the children.

Well done Year 6!

More photos can be viewed on Google



Week ahead

25th April

- PTA meeting
- Y6 to Stanwell for BBC Orchestra Experience

As part of our Anti-Racist Research Project we would like input from all parents/carers. Please complete the form via the link below. Thank you to those who have already completed it.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe26q4YN2evzKEZm9GsV1kmpSkMVpOaAYGTrqIRedh_OZbow/viewform?usp=sf_link

Attendance

Can you help?

Each week teachers will use this space to ask for items / resources to support the topic work going on in school, so please keep an eye on this space to see if you have anything that we can have.

Year 3 & 4 request:

If anyone has any perennial herbs such as lavender, mint, chives, marjoram, lemon balm, sage, chamomile etc., large plastic plant pots and wellies that children have outgrown, it would be very much appreciated!

Thank you.

Eco News!

The Eco Team are proud to announce this week's winner of our **Green Ribbon award**. It goes to **Emily from Dosbarth Maselfield**. She has been recognized for volunteering to take part in a community litter pick and ongoing Eco work at school. Thank you, Emily, for helping to make your community a more pleasant place to live.

Congratulations.

The Eco Team



The highest attendance for the week was achieved by...

**Dosbarth Kipling 97.3%
Fantastic!!
Bendigedig!!**

Please make sure you inform the school of any necessary absence.



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Year 1 & 2 enjoyed a lovely walk down to the marina on Tuesday. They saw lots of different types of boats and we were lucky enough to see a boat being lifted back into the water.



On Monday the Year 3&4 children had a visit from one of our parents, Mrs Oosthuizen. She came in to speak about one of the incredible predators that live in South Africa. The cheetah. We all learned a huge amount, which will help us with our new topic, and the children asked well thought out questions in order to learn more. What a fantastic way to start our week! Thank you to Mrs Oosthuizen.

Year ahead
2023 - 24

Spring Term 2024

7/5 – Year 1 & 2 Penarth Lifeboat Station Visit

12/5 – Pen Y Fan Sponsored Walk

27/5 – 31/5: HALF TERM

10/6: Sports Day

12/6: Father's Day Shop

14/6: Reserve Sports Day

17/6 – 28/6: Year 6 Cycling

24/6 – 12/7: Year 4 Swimming

29/6 – Summer Fayre

5/7: Class Swap

5/7: Reports Home

10/7: Report Drop In

16/7: Year 6 Leavers Party

18/7: Year 6 Leavers Assembly

19/7: Last day of Summer Term

22/7: INSET DAY

Please be aware that dates may change throughout the year.

So please keep looking at these dates, along with the school website.

Seren yr Wythnos

Celebrating our stars of the week!

Meithrin – Elijah Arundel

Derbyn – Zayn Wilson

Nia Fairweather

Shakespeare – Senumi Wijesinghe

Dahl – Yahya Saqib

Kipling – Max Harrison

Shelley – Judah Oosthuizen

Byron – Jenson Kirby

Milton – Luke Orton-Rojas

Masefield – Shafie Mahamud

Ceiriog – Si Si Millham

Thomas – All year 6 at Dolygaer

Well done! Da iawn!



Cymraeg yr Wythnos Phrase of the Week Foundation Phase & KS2



Oes cath gyda ti?

Have you got a cat?

Oes, mae cath gyda fi.

Yes, I have got a cat.

Nag oes, does dim cath gyda fi.

No, I don't have a cat.

Which other animals do you know?

Sgwad Cymraeg



"Pencampwyr Cymraeg yr Wythnos" - "Welsh Champions of the Week"



**Llongyfarchiadau to
Dosbarth Milton** for
speaking the most
Welsh this week.

Fairfield PTA News

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Pen Y Fan Sponsored Walk

Up we go again! Last year's walk was such a huge success we're heading to the summit once again - and this time we hope to see some views!

Please join us and support this fantastic event to raise vitally needed funds to support our great school.

Back in April 2023 fifty brave souls, old and young, ignored the fog and rain and valiantly rose to the challenge of climbing Pen y Fan, the highest peak in the Bannau Brycheiniog. This year we've moved the date to **SUNDAY MAY 12th** in the hope of some sunshine so we can enjoy the breath-taking scenery from the summit.

Get your walking shoes on! (and pack a cagoule just in case)

<https://www.peoplesfundraising.com/fundraising/FAIRFIELD-PRIMARY-Pen-y-Fan-2024>



PTA Meeting

The next PTA meeting is being held at the Ex-Servicemen's Club in Penarth on Thursday 25th April at 7 pm.

Everyone is welcome!