

1st December 2023



GROWTH MINDSET

A positive mindset can make a big difference to how we approach things. "Strength and growth come only through continuous effort and struggle."

CYMRAEG CAMPUS

Each week we will provide you with some Welsh phrases/word to try/learn with your family or within the community. Mwynhewch! Croeso i'r gwasanaeth / Welcome to the service.

NURSERY ADMISSION

The closing date for Nursery applications for September 2024 is **16th February 2004**. Please apply online on Denbighshire County Council's website.

WANTED – LUNCH BAGS

Do you have any good quality lunch bags that you no longer need, any colour/design? If you do, could you please send them to school. Thank you for your assistance.

LANGUAGE AND PLAY

Our family link worker Teleri Richards will be providing 6 Language and Play sessions every half term at Ysgol Caer Drewyn. The bilingual sessions will be **held on a Friday morning, 9.00-10.30am, until 15th December.** Any parents with children 3 months to 3 years old are welcome to join. For more information contact Teleri Richards on 07917587405

WEBSITE

Last term our new school website went live - **www.ysgolcarrog.co.uk** The website is full of information but you may find the following of particular interest: in case the newsletters or letters do not reach you, you can read them on the school website in the news tab and if you ever need a leave of absence form, a medication form, a health appointment card or a uniform order form you can download them in the parent tab under forms. If you would like us to include anything else on the website, please let us know.

PTFA CHOCOLATE BOUQUET RAFFLE

Tickets for the PTFA chocolate bouquet raffle are now available to purchase, either through your parent pay account or by sending money to school. They will be drawn at the end of term. Photo of the bouquet can be seen on our school Facebook page.

PANTO VISIT

Pupils from Reception to Year 6 will be visiting Theatre Clwyd next week **Friday 8th December** to watch the panto Sleeping Beauty. **Please collect your child/ren from Carrog train station at 4.45pm.** The taxi companies have been informed that they are not needed as we are returning later, please ensure you make alternative arrangements. Pupils may bring a small drink (no cans/glass bottles) and snack for the interval. Full uniform to be worn. Our thanks to the PTFA for fully funding the transport.

HEADLICE

Please remember to check your children's hair and all members of the family for head lice on a **regularly basis** and treat if live lice are found. This is not the school's responsibility. **Don't forget all members of the family need to be checked and if you have had to treat, it is important to remember you must do it again the following week.**

Checking for head lice shouldn't be considered a big deal; it is just a normal part of a family's personal hygiene routine like brushing teeth or washing hair. It is best to check for head lice using a comb made for the purpose, ideally white so they can be easily seen and with teeth no more than 0.3mm apart in order to trap head lice

□ Combing through the hair when wet, or after applying a conditioner, may make the process more comfortable

□ Good lighting is important and so is comfort

Treatment should only be applied if a living, moving louse is found – never 'just in case'

Continue to check for head lice on a regular, weekly basis – **ONCE A WEEK, TAKE A PEEK** <u>www.onceaweektakeapeek.com</u>

PTFA EASYFUNDRAISER

We're now registered with easyfundraising, which means you can help us for FREE. Over 7,000 brands including all the big names like John Lewis & Partners, BT, Expedia, Argos, ASOS, Just Eat, Uswitch and many more, will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to shop with them – at no extra cost to yourself! All you need to do is sign up and remember to use easyfundraising whenever you shop online. It's easy and completely FREE! These donations really mount up, so please sign up to support us at https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/donation-

reminder/?utm_medium=productadoption&utm_source=social&utm_campaign=raisemore&utm _content=rmdrfb1

EVENTS FOR W/B: 4th December 2023

Mon 4 th	 Don't forget if you want to use the breakfast club for next week, you must register through the online form available on our Facebook page from today and pay through your Parent Pay account. The breakfast club opens at 8.15am. No piano lessons this week AM: Wildlife trust – Dosbarth Berwyn
Tue 5 th	
Wed 6 th	AM: Guitar lessons with Mr Aled Williams
	PM : PE lesson - Dosbarth Berwyn & Dyfrdwy You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.
	PM : Singing lessons with Sian Williams
Thur 7 th	AM: Drum lessons with Mr Ben Neal
Fri 8 th	Don't forget the breakfast club online registration & ability to pay on Parent Pay for next week will close at mid-day today .
	No school for nursery due to the panto trip
	Panto trip, Theatre Clwyd. Please collect from Carrog train station at 4.45pm. Pupils may bring a small drink and snack for the interval. Full uniform to be worn.
	9.00-11.00am: Language & Play Session – Parents & babies/toddlers under 3 with Teleri Richards @ Ysgol Caer Drewyn



School lunch £2.50 a day. Remember, to pay through Parent Pay.

ALL SCHOOL MEALS SHOULD BE <u>PAID FOR IN ADVANCE</u> OF MEALS TAKEN.

If you have any dietary requirements; please don't hesitate to contact our school cook Aunty Gemma

School packed lunches or filled jacket potatoes can also be provided instead of a hot meal.

Don't forget all Reception, Yr. 1, 2, 3 & 4 pupils are now entitled to a FREE lunch.

Monday	Chicken Meatballs in a Homemade Tomato Sauce Pasta
	Garlic Bread Ice Cream Pot
Tuesday	Mince Beef Topped with Sauté Potatoes and Cheese Country Style Vegetables Chocolate Rice Krispy Cake
Wednesday	Fish Cake Creamed Potatoes Beans Steamed Apple Sponge with Custard
Thursday	Roast Turkey, Stuffing & Gravy Roast Potatoes Fresh Carrots & Peas Fruit Jelly
Friday	Breaded Chicken Fillet Chips Mixed Salad & Coleslaw Granola Cereal Bar

The menu may occasionally be subject to slight change dependant on food deliveries.