

15<sup>th</sup> December 2023



#### **GROWTH MINDSET**

A positive mindset can make a big difference to how we approach things. "Anyone who has never made a mistake has never tried anything new."

#### CYMRAEG CAMPUS

Each week we will provide you with some Welsh phrases/word to try/learn with your family or within the community. Mwynhewch!

Diolch yn fawr / Thank you very much

#### NURSERY ADMISSION

The closing date for Nursery applications for September 2024 is **16<sup>th</sup> 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.

#### PTFA EASYFUNDRAISER

As we are registered with easyfundraising, you have access to over 7,000 brands including all the big names like John Lewis & Partners, BT, Expedia, Argos, ASOS, Just Eat, Uswitch and many more. **They donate to us when you use easyfundraising to shop with them, ideal for your Christmas shopping— 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 <a href="https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/donation-reminder/?utm\_medium=productadoption&utm\_source=social&utm\_campaign=raisemore&utm\_content=rmdrfb1">https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/donation-reminder/?utm\_medium=productadoption&utm\_source=social&utm\_campaign=raisemore&utm\_content=rmdrfb1</a>

#### YOUR SCHOOL LOTTERY

The PTFA has registered with 'Your School Lottery'. Parents, extended family, staff and members of the community can support the school by buying a weekly lottery ticket. Tickets cost £1 per week and the proceeds are donated to Ysgol Carrog's PTFA. The more tickets are sold the greater the weekly cash prize will be. Winners are notified by email and winnings paid into the account of your choice. There are also regular super draws with great prizes.

#### **CHRISTINGLE**

Our Christingle service for Rec to Year 6 will be held at Corwen Church on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December at 2.15pm. All parents are welcome. Please ensure your child is collected from the church by 3pm, there will be no taxi's/winter bus that afternoon. There will be a collection for Air Ambulance.

#### PTFA CHOCOLATE BOUQUET RAFFLE

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

#### CHRISTMAS HAMPER RAFFLE

Tickets for our Christmas hamper raffle are still available to purchase, either through your parent pay account or by sending money to school. The raffle will be drawn at the end of term.

#### **CHRISTMAS TREATS**

We still have some magic reindeer food @ 50p per bag and Hot Chocolate Reindeer cones @ £1 each for sale. Perfect for Christmas Eve! You can place your orders and pay through your parent pay account and the items will then be sent home. Thank you for your support.

#### SCHOOL HOLIDAY MEAL SUPPORT

If you are in receipt of free school meals and are struggling with food costs during the school holiday, please contact Canolfan Ni before 21<sup>st</sup> Christmas so that any support vouchers can be issued to you on 22<sup>nd</sup> December for the Christmas school holiday period. Either pop into Canolfan Ni or contact them on 01490 2666004

#### CHILDREN'S UNIVERSITY

Year 5 & 6 pupils are participating in the Children's University. They need to collect a minimum of 30 stamps for extracurricular activities. **Only** those who collect 30 or more will be invited to the graduation organised by Wrexham University. They only have until **5**<sup>th</sup> **January** to collect their 30 stamps – a booklet has been sent home with additional activities they can do to gain stamps and Children's university have a Facebook page with additional activities for them to do. We have done as much as we can in school to help them but they also need to do activities at home if they want to join their class mates at the graduation.

### **EVENTS FOR W/B: 18th December 2023**

Mon 18 <sup>th</sup>	Don't forget if you want to use the breakfast club <b>for next week</b> , 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. <b>PM:</b> Piano lessons with Dylan Cernyw
Tue 19 <sup>th</sup>	<b>9.30am</b> : Christingle Service @ Carrog Church Collection for Air Ambulance
Wed 20 <sup>th</sup>	AM: Guitar lessons with Mr Aled Williams  Christmas Dinner – Pupils may wear a Christmas
	jumper/top instead of their school jumper if they wish.
	Nursery to stay until 12.30pm, <u>if</u> they are staying for the Christmas lunch.
	<b>PM</b> : PE lesson - Dosbarth Berwyn & Dyfrdwy You may come dressed in your PE bottoms and Christmas Jumper.
	No Singing lessons this week with Sian Williams
Thur 21st	Don't forget the breakfast club online registration & ability to pay on Parent Pay for next week will <b>close at mid-day today</b> .
	Last day of term
	AM: Drum lessons/mini concert Mr Ben Neal
	Christmas Party – Pupils may come to school in their party clothes.
	Nursery to stay until 12.30pm, <u>if</u> they are staying for the party lunch.
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Staff Training Day – School Closed
	School re-opens on Tuesday 9th January 2024

### FOR WEEK BEGINNING: 18th December 2023

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 Sauce
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	Garlic Bread
	Christmas Shortbread
	Cinistinas Silottoread
Tuesday	Sausage
	Omelette
	Potato Waffle
	Beans
	Caramel Cornflake Cake
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Wednesday	Christmas Dinner
	Turkey with Gravy
	Roast Potatoes
	Carrots, Broccoli & Sprouts
	Christmas Ice Cream Pot
Thursday	Christmas Party
	Pizza Fingers
	Chicken strips/mini sausages
	Mini Waffles
	Assorted sandwiches/baps
	Salad Sticks
	Green Jelly
Friday	Staff Training Day

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