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Newyddion Ysgol Bro Famau Newsletter

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Blwyddyn Newydd Dda a chroeso nol! Happy New Year and welcome back! I hope that you all had a relaxing break with friends and family.

Spring term is already looking busy with lots of exciting activities planned. The Juniors are going to Glanllyn and Llangrannog and the pupils in Early Years and Years 3 and 4 are starting Forest School activities with Miss Wray. We will also be getting ready for the Urdd Eisteddfod and practising for our own celebrations for Saint David's Day.

We look forward to an exciting term.

Mrs Knight

JUNIORS Swimming Lessons and Forest School Activities

Years 5 and 6 will be starting swimming lessons on <u>Friday January 12th.</u> Years 3 and 4 (and half of Year 5) will start after Easter.

We will be asking for a contribution towards the cost of the transport (£2 per child per week) which will be put on ParentPay.

Years 3 and 4 (and half of Year 5) will be taking part in Forest School activities with Miss Wray. They should come to school in suitable warm, outdoor clothing

Years 3 and 4 (and half of Year 5) should also bring their PE clothes in a bag to do PE.

Junior children will remain in Llanferres ALL DAY ON A FRIDAY.

Therefore pupils should be dropped off at Llanferres and picked up from Llanferres.



Toddler Group

A toddler group is held in Llanferres between 9.15am - 11.30am every Monday.

All parents/carers welcome

Breakfast Club New prices

The Governors have made the difficult decision to increase the price of Breakfast Club due to recent cost of living pressures. We have still managed to keep our prices lower than many other local schools and childcare providers. The prices from January 2024 will be:

8.00am – 8.25am	£1.50 per child per day to include childcare and breakfast.
	50p for each additional sibling
8.25am – 8.55am	No charge. Last breakfast served at 8.30 am

In order to make it more convenient for parents/carers, Breakfast Club will now be billed through ParentPay. A register will be kept and the amount owing will be put on ParentPay the following week.

Thank you for your continued support.

Patrwm yr Wythnos



Blwyddyn Newydd Dda Happy New Year

Forest School

We are very excited to start Forest School activities with the children following Miss Wray's training.

The children will have lots of opportunities to work outside and we are grateful to Miss Wray for all her effort and commitment.

If there are any parents or grandparents who would like to help on a Wednesday or a Friday morning, we would love to hear from you! Please contact school.











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Dates for the Diary

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17 + 18.1.24	Years 3 and 4 Glanllyn (RE+HD)
24.1.24	Cariad@Urdd /Mistar Urdd
25.1.24	Santes Dwynwen – wear pink/red
26.1.24	VoC Indoor Atletics
31.1.24 - 2.2.24	Years 5 and 6 to Llangrannog (RE+HD)
5.2.24	Closing date for Urdd competitions
5.2.24	11.15am Little Ladybirds meeting
9.2.24	VoC - Cross Country Finals
9.2.24	School closes
19.2.24	School opens
21.2.24	VoC Netball
21.2.24	PTFA meeting
24.2.24	Area Eisteddfod Cylch Ysgol Brynhyfryd
1.3.24	Dydd Gŵyl Dewi
4 + 5.3 24	Early Years' Parents' Evening
6.3.24	VofC Netball Finals
11 + 12.3.24	Juniors Parents' Evening
22.3.24	School closes



School term dates 2023 to 2024 – subject to change

Autumn term

Starts: Friday 1 September 2023Ends: Friday 22 December 2023

Autumn half term: Monday 30 October 2023 to Friday 3 November 2023
Christmas holiday: Monday 25 December 2023 to Friday 5 January 2024

Spring term

• Starts: Monday 8 January 2024

• Ends: Friday 22 March 2024

• Spring half term: Monday 12 February 2024 to Friday 16 February 2024

• Easter holiday: Monday 25 March 2024 to Friday 5 April 2024

Summer term

Starts: Monday 8 April 2024Ends: Friday 19 July 2024

• Early May bank holiday: Monday 6 May 2024

• Summer half term: Monday 27 May 2024 to Friday 31 May 2024

Staff Training Days

- 1 September 2023
- 22 December 2023
- 8 January 2024
- 8 April 2024
- 14 June 2024 (Primary schools only)
- 19 July 2024