



Newyddion Ysgol Bro Famau Newsletter

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This term, we say goodbye to Sheila, our caretaker in Llanferres. We would like to thank her for her commitment and contribution to our school community over the last 5 years and wish her all the best for the future. Sheila will continue to run Breakfast Club.

We are also pleased to welcome David as our new caretaker. We are delighted to have him as part of our team.

DIOLCH!

Thank you to all parents and carers who attended our recent Parents' Evenings. It was wonderful to celebrate the children's achievements and discuss their next steps in learning. A strong partnership between home and school is vital in helping every child thrive, and we greatly value your continued support.



Harvest Service

We had a wonderful turn out for our Harvest Festival in support of our chosen charity Water Aid. Your donations and generosity helped us raise **£180**.

Diolch yn fawr!



 **WaterAid**



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Llanarmon 01824 780722



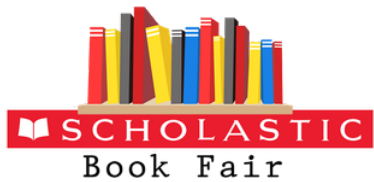
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Bro Famau



Ysgol Bro Famau



Scholastic Book Fair

We will be holding a Scholastic Book Fair on **Monday 9th November** and **Tuesday 10th November** at the **Llanferres Village Hall** from 3:30pm until 5:30pm.



PTFA

HALLOWEEN PARTY

The PTFA have organised a Halloween Party on **Thursday 22nd October** at Llanferres Village Hall from 4pm until 5:30pm.

Please pay via Parent Pay by **Tuesday 20th October**.



HALF TERM

School will close for half term on **Friday 23rd October**. To help raise funds for the school, children are invited to wear their own clothes in exchange for a £1 donation.

We would like to thank you for your continued support and wish all our families a lovely and restful half-term break. School will reopen on **Monday 2nd November**, and we look forward to welcoming everyone back.

Tempest Photography

We are pleased to let parents know that Tempest Photography will be visiting the school on **Monday 9th November**. Families who would like a family photograph will have the opportunity to do so from 8am at the Llanferres site before the school day begins.

Urdd Membership 2026/27

Urdd Membership for 2026/27 is now open! For children to take part in CogUrdd and the Urdd Eisteddfod, they need to be members of the Urdd.

Here is the link for the website for more details:

<https://urdd.cymru/en/join/>



Urdd

Nursery School Dinners

Denbighshire County Council have reminded schools that nursery children need to pay for a school dinner. The cost of a school dinner is £3.20 and should be paid via Parent Pay. If you require any assistance in using Parent Pay, please let school know.



Support fund raising for Ysgol Bro Famau

Download the app 'Easyfundraising' and find the cause 'Ysgol Bro Famau' to help raise funds for our school.



SCAN HERE!



COMMUNITY NEWS

The Llanferres Community Council and Clwydian Range and Dee Valley National Landscape have organised an astronomical event in the Llanferres Village Hall on **Thursday 28th October** during half term. The event starts at 3pm and is free to attend.



Attendance



WHAT DOES ATTENDANCE REALLY MEAN?



REMEMBER

If your child is absent, please notify the school by voicemail or email before the start of the school day. Keeping us informed helps us safeguard all pupils. Diolch.

Class	Attendance week beginning 28 th September	Attendance week beginning 5 th October
Early Years	89.3%	95.1%
Year 3 and 4	96.7%	100%
Year 5 and 6	98.3%	95%

Overall attendance since September 3rd

92.3%

Admissions for September 2027 timetable

Admission Phase	Admission forms available	Closing date for receipt of completed forms	Parents informed by
Secondary	1/9/26	31/10/26	1/3/27
Reception	21/9/26	15/1/27	16/4/27
Nursery	21/9/26	15/2/27	5/5/27

You need to apply for a place through the Denbighshire County Council website.

Dates for the Diary

October

19th - 20th Juniors Parents' Evenings

23rd School closes for Half Term

November

2nd School opens

9th TEMPEST Photography

9th - 10th Scholastic Book Fair in Llanferres

December

2nd Theatr Clwyd Panto (Rec - Year 6)

10th Christmas Concert in Llanferres Village Hall (evening)

11th Christmas Dinner & Secret Santa in Llanferres

17th Christmas Parties

18th School closes for Christmas

Please note that more details for some of these dates will be given nearer the time.

Family Link Worker

Our Family Link Worker for this academic year is **Stephanie Mather**. Her contact details are as follows:

stephanie.mather@denbighshire.gov.uk



Safeguarding

Child protection is everyone's business. Any disclosure made by a child/concern/issue to do with child protection and safeguarding should be reported immediately to the school Child Protection Officer, Mrs Elizabeth Knight (Headteacher). If unavailable report to Teacher in Charge of Llanarmon, Mrs Rachel Davies (**01824 780722**) or Teacher in Charge of Llanferres, Mr Matthew Jones (**01352 810242**).



How to Support Ysgol Bro Famau Using Easyfundraising

Your
shopping
can make a
big difference!



- 1** Open the Easyfundraising app and tap the search bar.



- 2** Search for "Ysgol Bro Famau".



- 3** Select Ysgol Bro Famau from the list of causes and tap Support This Cause.



- 4** Whenever you shop online, open the Easyfundraising app first and choose the retailer you wish to shop with.



- 5** The app will take you directly to the retailer's website as normal.



- 6** Complete your purchase as usual at no extra cost to you.



- 7** The retailer will then make a donation to Ysgol Bro Famau, helping us raise valuable funds for the school.



That's it!

Every eligible purchase can help support our pupils, and it won't cost you a penny extra.

Thank you for your support. 😊

School Menu

NEXT WEEK

Week beginning 19th October 2026

WEEK 2

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Sticky BBQ Chicken 10,14	Penne Pasta Arrabiata 14	Beef Chilli	Roast Turkey Stuffing 14	Fish Burger 10,14
Cauliflower and red lentil Dahl	Sausage Pizza 11,12,13,14	Macaroni Cheese 13,14	Roast Vegetable Tart 12,13,14	Cheese and Onion Slice 12,13,14
Boiled rice	Garlic Bread 12,13,14	Savoury Rice Herby Bread 12,13,14	Roast Potatoes Gravy	Seasoned Wedges
Sweetcorn Garden Peas	Mixed Salad Rainbow Coleslaw 11	Carrot & Cucumber Sticks Cherry Tomatoes	Seasonal Greens Fresh Carrots	Baked Beans
Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt 13	Apple and Cinnamon Flapjack 11,14	Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt 13	Chocolate and Orange Saucy Pudding 12,14	Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt 13

FRUIT YOGHURT WITH A SELECTION OF FRUIT WEDGES OR WHOLE FRUIT AVAILABLE DAILY

Also a choice of Filled Jacket Potato or a Sandwich are AVAILABLE DAILY

1.CELERY 2.MUSTARD 3.SESAME 4.MOLLUSCS 5.LUPIN 6.NUTS 7.SOYA 8.PEANUTS 9.CRUSTACEAN 10.FISH 11.SULPHITES 12.EGGS 13.MILK 14.GLUTEN

FOLLOWING WEEK

Week beginning 2nd November 2026

MENU 3

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Big Breakfast 7,11,12,13	Chicken Korma 11	Lasagne 13,14	Roast Chicken Fillet, Stuffing and gravy 14	Battered Fillet of fish 10,14
Welsh Rarebit 2,12,14	Pesto Pasta Homemade Bread 11,12,13,14	Creamy Broccoli Bake 13,14	Sage and Onion Loaf 13,14	Vegetable Burger In a bun 14
Potato Waffle	Pilau Rice	Garlic Bread 12,13,14	Creamed Potatoes	Chips
Baked Beans Grilled Tomato	Peas and Sweetcorn	Mixed Salad Coleslaw 12	Fresh Carrots Broccoli/Cauliflower	Peas Tomato salsa
Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt 13	Oaty Fruit Cookie 14	Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt 13	Fruit Crumble and Custard 13,14	Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt 13

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