

CYLCHLYTHYR/NEWSLETTER



Hoffem achub ar y cyfle hwn i ddiolch i bawb sydd wedi dewis cefnogi ein hysgol drwy Gronfa Gymunedol y Co-op. Mae eich haelioni yn ein helpu i symud yn agosach at ein targed o greu campfa awyr agored newydd i'n disgyblion.

Bob tro y byddwch yn siopa yn y Co-op, bydd ein hysgol yn elwa, gan ein helpu i godi arian hanfodol ar gyfer y prosiect cyffrous hwn.

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We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who has chosen to support our school through the Co-op Community Fund. Your generosity is helping us move closer to our target of creating a new outdoor gym for our pupils.

Every time you spend at the Co-op, our school will benefit, helping us raise vital funds for this exciting project.

Providing opportunities for exercise and time outdoors is incredibly important for the health and wellbeing of our young people, and this project will help encourage pupils to stay active while enjoying the benefits of being outside.

If you would like to support our cause, please click the link below. Thank you so much for your continued support!

We're part of the @coopuk Local Community Fund. Co-op Members can help raise funds for our project by choosing Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn 'Outdoor Gym' as their cause at <https://membership.coop.co.uk/causes/94997>

Co-op Member Pioneer Tywyn



Croeso i Gylchlythyr yr Ysgol y Mis Yma!

Cadwch yn gyfoes â phopeth sy'n digwydd yn Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn! Yn y rhifyn hwn, rydym yn dod â'r newyddion ysgol diweddaraf i chi, digwyddiadau cyffrous sydd ar y gweill, a dathliadau o lwyddiannau anhygoel ein disgyblion. O lwyddiannau academaidd i fuddugoliaethau chwaraeon, prosiectau creadigol, a gweithgareddau arbennig, mae bob amser rhywbeth i fod yn falch ohono yn ein hysgol.

Welcome to This Month's School Newsletter!

Stay up to date with everything happening at Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn! In this issue, we bring you the latest school news, exciting upcoming events, and a celebration of our students' amazing achievements. From academic successes to sporting victories, creative projects, and special activities, there's always something to be proud of at our school.

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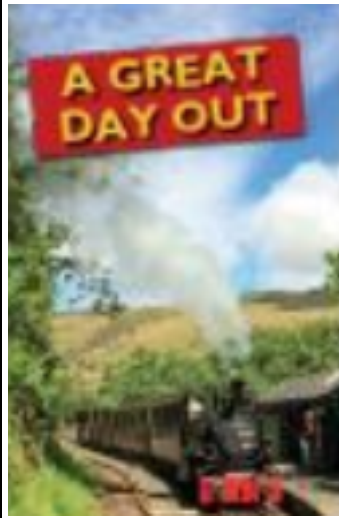
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www.tywyn.gwynedd.sch.uk

Edrychwch ar ein gwefan ysgol newydd sydd wedi bod wrthi'n cael ei hadeiladu!

Check out our new school website which has been under construction!

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**COMIC
RELIEF**

2026

**Comic Relief -
Dydd Gwener / Friday 20/3/26**



AM WYTHNOS GYFFROUS A CHOFIADWY IAWN CAWSOM YN YR YSGOL, I GYD ER BUDD COMIC RELIEF!



CAFODD AELODAU STAFF Y DEWRDER I WIRFODDOLI I GYMRYD RHAN YN EIN GÊM THEMA TRAITORS EIN HUNAIN. GYDA'R AMLENNI WEDI'U SELIO YN DATGELU A OEDDENT YN FFYDDLONIAID NEU'N FRADWYR, DECHREUODD Y TENSIWN AR UNWAITH! YNA CYMERODD Y STAFF RAN MEWN DAU WEITHGAREDD, LLE'R OEDD RHAI I'R BRADWYR SABOTAJIOR GÊM YN GYFRINACHOL HEB GAEL EU DAL.

AR ÔL LLAWER O DRAFOD A MYFYRIO GOFALUS, PLEIDLESIODD Y STAFF AR BWY OEDD, YN EU BARN NHW, Y BRADWYR. SAFODD Y TRI A GAFODD Y NIFER FWYAF O BLEIDLEISIAU — MR ROBERTS, MRS KENDALL A MR FREEMAN — I DDATGELU EU ROLAU... A DARGANFUWYD UN BRADWR — MR FREEMAN! 🙄

OND NID DYNA DDIWEDD Y STORI... DATGELODD DAU FRADWR ARALL EU HUNAIN — MR THORP A MISS HOPE! AM DRO ANNISGWYL!

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DIOLCH O GALON I BAWB A GYFRANNODD AC A WNAETH Y DIWRNOD YN LLWYDDIANT MAWR.

DIOLCH YN FAWR IAWN HEFYD I MISS BETHAN AM DREFNU DIGWYDDIAD MOR GWYCH AC AM SICRHAU BOD POPETH WEDI RHEDEG YN ESMWYTH. 🙌

WHAT AN EXCITING AND MEMORABLE WEEK WE'VE HAD AT SCHOOL, ALL IN SUPPORT OF COMIC RELIEF! 💖

STAFF BRAVELY STEPPED FORWARD TO TAKE PART IN OUR VERY OWN TRAITORS-THEMED GAME. WITH SEALED ENVELOPES REVEALING WHETHER THEY WERE A FAITHFUL OR A TRAITOR, THE TENSION BEGAN STRAIGHT AWAY! STAFF THEN TOOK PART IN TWO ACTIVITIES, WHERE THE TRAITORS HAD THE TRICKY TASK OF SECRETLY SABOTAGING THE GAME WITHOUT BEING DETECTED.

AFTER PLENTY OF DISCUSSION AND CAREFUL DELIBERATION, STAFF CAST THEIR VOTES ON WHO THEY BELIEVED THE TRAITORS WERE. THE THREE WITH THE MOST VOTES — MR ROBERTS, MRS KENDALL AND MR FREEMAN — STOOD UP TO REVEAL THEIR ROLES... AND ONE TRAITOR WAS UNCOVERED — MR FREEMAN! 👁️

BUT THE DRAMA DIDN'T END THERE... TWO MORE TRAITORS CAME FORWARD — MR THORP AND MISS HOPE! WHAT A TWIST!

THE EVENT WAS RECORDED, AND PUPILS ENJOYED WATCHING THE ACTION UNFOLD IN THEIR CLASSROOMS FOR A £1 DONATION. THERE WAS LOTS OF EXCITEMENT AS THEY SHARED THEIR PREDICTIONS AND THEORIES —. CLASSES MADE THEIR PREDICTIONS, AND THE WINNERS WILL BE ANNOUNCED AND AWARDED THEIR PRIZE! IT REALLY WAS A FANTASTIC DAY FOR EVERYONE INVOLVED.

WE ALSO HELD A CAKE STALL, WHERE DELICIOUS TREATS WERE AVAILABLE FOR 50P, AND PUPILS CAME TO SCHOOL IN THEIR OWN CLOTHES OR FUN THEMED OUTFITS FOR A £1 DONATION. 🍰🎉

THANK YOU SO MUCH TO EVERYONE WHO CONTRIBUTED AND MADE THE DAY SUCH A SUCCESS.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU GOES TO MISS BETHAN FOR ORGANISING SUCH A BRILLIANT EVENT AND ENSURING EVERYTHING RAN SMOOTHLY. 🙌



Bradwyr YUT Traitors

*Mr Thorp, Mr Ingram, Mr
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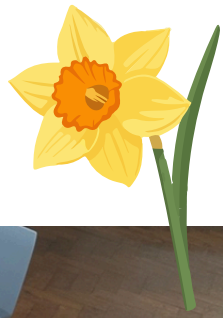
COMIC RELIEF

2026



We are delighted to announce that we have successfully raised **£744.73**
Rydym yn falch iawn o gyhoeddi ein bod wedi llwyddo i godi **£744.73**
Diolch i bawb a gymerodd ran ac am gefnogi achos mor wych
Thank you to everyone involved and for supporting such a great cause.

DYDD GWYL DEWI ST DAVID'S DAY



**'Wal Goch'
'Red Wall'**

03/03/26

Ddydd Mawrth, 3ydd Mawrth, daeth y disgyblion i'r ysgol yn gwisgo coch i ddathlu Dydd Gŵyl Dewi – Wal Goch.

Yn ystod amser egwyl, cafodd y disgyblion gyfle i addurno cacennau cri ac i gymryd rhan mewn amrywiaeth o weithgareddau Cymreig.

Bydd yr holl arian a godwyd yn cael ei roi i'n Fforwm Cymraeg a'r grŵp Llais y Disgybl. Da iawn i bawb a gymerodd ran! 🌟

On Tuesday 3rd March, pupils came to school wearing red to celebrate St David's Day – Wal Goch.

During break time, pupils had the opportunity to decorate Welsh cakes and take part in a variety of Welsh-themed activities.

All money raised will be donated to our Welsh Forum and Pupil Voice group. Da iawn and well done to everyone who took part! 🌟



★CYFANSWM YR ARIAN A GODWYD★

AMOUNT RAISED

★£248.60★

★DIOLCH I BAWB A GYFRANNODD / THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO CONTRIBUTED★

Bwyd a Maeth / Food and Nutrition Arholiad TGAU / GCSE Exam Blwyddyn 11 / Year 11

Ym mis Mawrth, bu disgyblion Blwyddyn 11 yn ymgymryd â'u harholiad ymarferol TGAU, gan arddangos eu sgiliau coginio wrth greu amrywiaeth o brydau trawiadol. Dros ddau ddiwrnod, bu dau grŵp yn gweithio'n ddiwyd ac yn dangos eu dawn o dan arweiniad arbenigol Miss Tronet. Llongyfarchiadau i bob un o'r disgyblion am eu hymdrech, eu creadigrwydd a'u hymroddiad—mae'r canlyniadau'n wirioneddol arbennig. Isod ceir detholiad o'r prydau bendigedig a grëwyd ganddynt.

In March, our Year 11 students completed their practical GCSE exam, demonstrating their culinary skills through a range of impressive dishes. Across two days, two groups worked diligently, showcasing their talents under the expert guidance of Miss Tronet. Congratulations to all the pupils for their effort, creativity, and commitment—the results were truly exceptional. Below is a selection of the wonderful dishes they created.

*Bon
Appétit!*







Bon Appétit!





Gwaith TGAU Dylunio a Technoleg

GCSE work for Design and Technology

Blwyddyn 11 / Year 11

Llongyfarchiadau mawr i'n disgyblion Blwyddyn 11 TGAU, sydd wedi cynhyrchu rhai darnau gwirioneddol wych fel rhan o'u harholiadau eleni.

Mae ansawdd, creadigrwydd ac amrywiaeth y gwaith sydd wedi'i arddangos wedi bod yn arbennig o drawiadol, gyda'r disgyblion yn dangos ystod eang o dalentau, technegau a syniadau drwy eu darnau terfynol. O ddyluniadau manwl a meddylgar i greadigaethau beiddgar a dychmygus, mae safon y gwaith wedi bod yn arbennig drwyddi draw.

Mae wedi bod yn hyfryd gweld gwaith caled, ymroddiad a sgiliau artistig ein disgyblion yn disgleirio mewn cymaint o wahanol ffyrdd, a dylent fod yn hynod falch o'u cyflawniadau.

Da iawn Blwyddyn 11

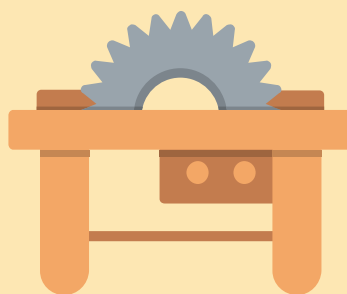
A huge well done to our Year 11 GCSE pupils, who have produced some truly fantastic pieces as part of their examinations this year.

The quality, creativity and variety of the work on display has been incredibly impressive, with pupils showcasing a wide range of talents, techniques and ideas through their final pieces. From detailed and thoughtful designs to bold and imaginative creations, the standard of work has been outstanding throughout.

It has been wonderful to see the hard work, dedication and artistic skills of our pupils shine through in so many different ways, and they should all be extremely proud of what they have achieved.

Da iawn Year 11







Eisteddfod 2026

Llongyfarchiadau i'r disgyblion canlynol o Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn a gystadlodd yn Eisteddfod Meirionnydd. Canlyniadau gwyh – da iawn i chi gyd!

Aneira Jones (Blwyddyn 10)

1af – Unawd Piano

2il – Unawd Telyn

3ydd – Unawd Adrodd

Gwilym Jones (Blwyddyn 9)

2il – Unawd Adrodd

3ydd – Unawd Piano

Ella Woodward (Blwyddyn 7)

1af – Unawd Gitâr



Congratulations to the following pupils of Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn who competed at the Meirionnydd Eisteddfod. These are fantastic results – well done to you all!

Aneira Jones (Year 10)

1st – Piano Solo

2nd – Harp Solo

3rd – Reciting Solo

Gwilym Jones (Year 9)

2nd – Reciting Solo

3rd – Piano Solo

Ella Woodward (Year 7)

1st – Guitar Solo



Eisteddfod: Meirionnydd
Cystadleuaeth: 138 - Llefaru Unigol Bl.7, 8 a 9

Enw	Cangen	Canlyniad
Grug Gwent	Adran Llanuwchllyn	1af
Gwilym Jones	Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn	2il
Gwenno Edwards	Ysgol Ardudwy	3ydd

Eisteddfod: Meirionnydd
Cystadleuaeth: 138 - Llefaru Unigol Bl.7, 8 a 9

Enw	Cangen	Canlyniad
Grug Gwent	Adran Llanuwchllyn	1af
Gwilym Jones	Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn	2il
Gwenno Edwards	Ysgol Ardudwy	3ydd

Eisteddfod: Meirionnydd
Cystadleuaeth: 141 - Llefaru Unigol Bl.10 a dan 19 oed

Enw	Cangen	Canlyniad
Malena Aled	Ysgol Godre'r Berwyn	1af
Elias Jones	Aelwyd Penllyn	2il
Aneira Jones	Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn	3ydd

Eisteddfod: Meirionnydd
Cystadleuaeth: 69 - Unawd Piano Bl.10 a dan 19 oed

Enw	Cangen	Canlyniad
Aneira Jones	Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn	1af
Malena Aled	Ysgol Godre'r Berwyn	2il

Eisteddfod: Meirionnydd
Cystadleuaeth: 69 - Unawd Piano Bl.10 a dan 19 oed

Enw	Cangen	Canlyniad
Aneira Jones	Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn	1af
Malena Aled	Ysgol Godre'r Berwyn	2il

Eisteddfod: Meirionnydd
Cystadleuaeth: 61 - Unawd Piano Bl.7, 8 a 9

Enw	Cangen	Canlyniad
Rhys Jones	Ysgol Godre'r Berwyn	1af
Llwal Edwards	Ysgol Godre'r Berwyn	2il
Gwilym Jones	Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn	3ydd

Eisteddfod: Meirionnydd
Cystadleuaeth: 64 - Unawd Telyn Bl.10 a dan 19 oed

Enw	Cangen	Canlyniad
Malena Aled	Ysgol Godre'r Berwyn	1af
Aneira Jones	Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn	2il

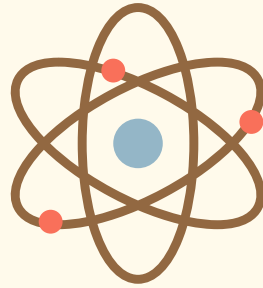
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Cystadleuaeth: 64 - Unawd Telyn Bl.10 a dan 19 oed

Enw	Cangen	Canlyniad
Malena Aled	Ysgol Godre'r Berwyn	1af
Aneira Jones	Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn	2il

Eisteddfod: Meirionnydd
Cystadleuaeth: 58 - Unawd Gitâr Bl.7, 8 a 9

Enw	Cangen	Canlyniad
Ella Woodward	Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn	1af

ROWNDIAU TERFYNOL GENEDLAETHOL CYBERFIRST STEM – CASNEWYDD STEM CYBERFIRST NATIONAL FINALS-NEWPORT 24/3/26



Ar 23 Mawrth 2026, cafodd ein merched Blwyddyn 8 eu gwahodd unwaith eto i Ddigiwyddiad Dathlu CyberFirst a gynhaliwyd yn yr ICC yng Nghasnewydd ar ôl dod yn 7fed yng Nghymru yng Nghystadleuaeth Flynyddol CyberFirst.

Roedd hyn yn gyflawniad anhygoel i'r merched, a fu'n cystadlu yn erbyn cannoedd o ddisgyblion eraill o bob rhan o Gymru.

Yn anffodus, oherwydd taith trên anodd, fe gyrhaeddodd ni'n hwyrach na'r bwriad ac fe gollon ni'r cinio bwffe a'r cyfle i gymryd rhan yn y gystadleuaeth Capture the Flag (CTF). Er gwaethaf y rhwystr hwn, arhosodd y merched yn gadarnhaol ac fe wnaethant ymgartrefu'n gyflym yn y gynhadledd cyn mynd ymlaen i'n gwesty i baratoi ar gyfer cinio tri chwrs, lle cawsant gyfle i gymysgu â menywod sy'n gweithio ym maes seiberddiogelwch o bob rhan o Ewrop.

Llongyfarchiadau mawr i Poppy Collister a enillodd wobwr 'Dadansoddwr Gorau' — cyflawniad arbennig iawn! Roedd y digwyddiad yn gyfle gwych i'r merched gyfarfod a dysgu gan eraill sy'n ymwneud â seiberddiogelwch, yn ogystal â dathlu eu llwyddiant ar lefel genedlaethol.

Rydym yn gobeithio y bydd y merched yn parhau i ysbrydoli disgyblion iau i gymryd rhan mewn heriau seiber. Mae'r wybodaeth a'r sgiliau y maent wedi'u hennill yn amhrisiadwy wrth eu helpu i ddeall sut i gadw eu hunain yn ddiogel ar-lein.

Da iawn ferched — rydym yn hynod falch ohonoch!

On the 23rd March 2026, our Year 8 girls were once again invited to the CyberFirst Celebratory Event held at the ICC in Newport after coming 7th in Wales in the annual CyberFirst Competition.

This was an amazing achievement for the girls, who competed against hundreds of other pupils from across Wales.

Unfortunately, due to a difficult train journey, we arrived later than planned and missed both the buffet lunch and the opportunity to take part in the Capture the Flag (CTF) competition. Despite this setback, the girls remained positive and quickly settled into the conference before heading to our hotel to prepare for a three-course dinner, where they had the opportunity to mingle with women working in cyber security from across Europe.

Well done to Poppy Collister who won 'Best Analyser'—A great achievement!

The event was a fantastic opportunity for the girls to meet and learn from others involved in cyber security, as well as celebrate their success at a national level.

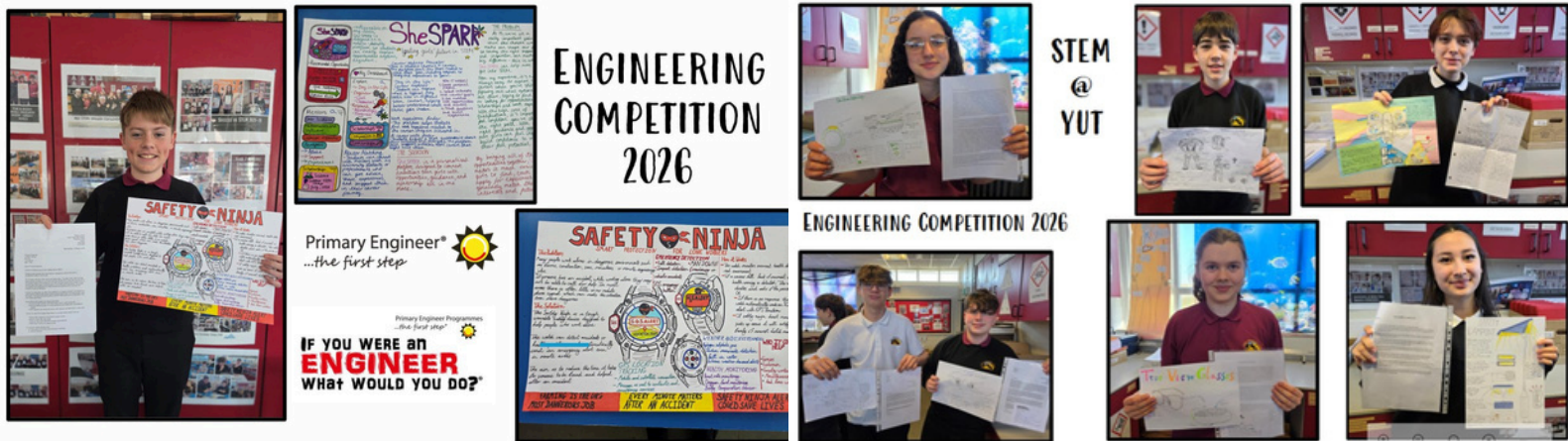
We hope that the girls will continue to inspire younger pupils to get involved in cyber challenges. The knowledge and skills they have gained are invaluable in helping them understand how to keep themselves safe online.

Well done to the girls — we are very proud of you!



CYSTADLEUAETH 'PRIMARY ENGINEER' - EBRILL 2026

PRIMARY ENGINEER COMPETITION- APRIL 2026



Rydym hefyd yn falch o gyhoeddi bod 100 o'n disgyblion wedi cymryd rhan yn ddiweddar yn y gystadleuaeth ysbrydoledig 'PRIMARY ENGINEER', "If you were an engineer, what would you do?" – her STEM genedlaethol sy'n annog pobl ifanc i feddwl yn greadigol am sut y gall peirianeg wella bywydau. Gofynnwyd i'r disgyblion nodi problem, dylunio dyfais i helpu rhywun, creu lluniad manwl o'u syniad ac ysgrifennu llythyr yn egluro sut y byddai eu dyfais yn gweithio.

Cynhyrchodd y gystadleuaeth rai syniadau gwych, gyda disgyblion yn dangos dychymyg, creadigrwydd a sgiliau datrys problemau trawiadol drwy eu dyluniadau arloesol. Roedd yn wych gweld cymaint o ddysgwyr yn meddwl fel peirianwyr go iawn ac yn ystyried sut y gall technoleg a dyfeisgarwch wneud gwahaniaeth cadarnhaol yn y byd.

Rydym nawr yn aros yn eiddgar am ganlyniadau'r gystadleuaeth, y disgwylir iddynt gyrraedd dros yr wythnosau nesaf. Bydd pob disgybl a gymerodd ran yn derbyn tystysgrif wedi'i graddio i gydnabod eu cyflawniad, tra bydd ymgeiswyr ar y rhestr fer yn cael eu gwahodd i fynychu seremoni wobrwyo arbennig yng Nghaerdydd y tymor hanner nesaf.

Da iawn i bawb a gymerodd ran ac a gynrychiolodd yr ysgol mor wych.

Primary Engineer Competition- April 2026 (photos of designs/pupils attached)

We are also proud to announce that 100 of our pupils also recently entered the inspiring 'PRIMARY ENGINEER' competition, "If you were an engineer, what would you do?" – a national STEM challenge that encourages young people to think creatively about how engineering can improve lives. Pupils were asked to identify a problem, design an invention to help someone, create a detailed drawing of their idea and write an accompanying letter explaining how their invention would work.

The competition produced some fantastic ideas, with pupils demonstrating impressive imagination, creativity and problem-solving skills through their innovative designs. It was wonderful to see so many learners thinking like real engineers and considering how technology and invention can make a positive difference in the world.

We are now eagerly awaiting the competition results, which are expected over the next few weeks. Every pupil who entered will receive a graded certificate in recognition of their achievement, while shortlisted candidates will be invited to attend a special awards ceremony in Cardiff next half term.

Well done to everyone who took part and represented the school so brilliantly

CYSTADLEUAETH CWPAN 'CYBER EXPLORERS' – MAWRTH 2026 CYBER EXPLORERS CUP COMPETITION- MARCH 2026



CYBER EXPLORERS CUP 2026



Yn ddiweddar, cymerodd dysgwyr Blwyddyn 8 ran yng Nghystadleuaeth Cwpan Cyber Explorers eleni, lle cafodd timau ddim ond un awr i ddatrys cymaint â phosibl o bosau heriol ar-lein ym maes seiberddiogelwch. Gwelodd y gystadleuaeth genedlaethol 170 o ysgolion a 484 o dimau yn cystadlu yn erbyn ei gilydd mewn prawf cyflym o ddatrys problemau, gwaith tîm a sgiliau digidol.

Perfformiodd ein myfyrwyr yn arbennig o dda drwy gydol y digwyddiad, gyda'r tîm *No More Mister Wifi* yn sefyll allan. Llwyddodd y tîm i gwblhau pob pos o fewn yr amser a neilltuwyd – camp drawiadol iawn o ystyried cryfder y gystadleuaeth.

Llongyfarchiadau i'r holl ddysgwyr a gymerodd ran ac a gynrychiolodd yr ysgol mor wych!

Year 8 learners recently took part in this year's Cyber Explorers Cup Competition, where teams had just one hour to solve as many challenging online cyber security puzzles as possible. The national competition saw 170 schools and 484 teams competing against each other in a fast-paced test of problem-solving, teamwork and digital skills.

Our students performed brilliantly throughout the event, with the team *No More Mister Wifi* standing out. They successfully completed every puzzle within the allocated time – an impressive achievement against such strong competition.

Congratulations to all the learners who took part and represented the school so well!

CYSTADLEUAETH 'STEM ON TRACK' - EBRILL 2026

STEM ON TRACK COMPETITION- APRIL 2026



YEAR 8 'STEM ON TRACK' F1 LIVERY DESIGN COMPETITION

Yn ddiweddar, cymerodd myfyrwyr ran yng nghystadleuaeth ddylunio genedlaethol gyffrous 'STEM ON TRACK', lle'r heriwyd dysgwyr i greu'r graffeg a'r cynllun lliwiau ar gyfer cart rasio newydd sbon ar steil Formula 1. Gallai'r dyluniadau gael eu hysbrydoli gan un o dri thema – Legacy, Dream neu Rise – gan annog myfyrwyr i gyfuno creadigrwydd, arloesedd a dawn chwaraeon moduro.

Roeddem wrth ein bodd yn derbyn dros 100 o geisiadau gan ddisgyblion ar draws yr ysgol, gan arddangos talent artistig, dychymyg a sgiliau dylunio rhagorol. Roedd safon y gwaith a gynhyrchwyd yn anhygoel o uchel, gyda myfyrwyr yn creu cynlluniau beiddgar a phroffesiynol eu golwg, yn deilwng o'r trac rasio.

Mae'r gystadleuaeth genedlaethol yn cynnig gwobr anhygoel, gyda'r dyluniad buddugol cyffredinol o bob rhan o'r DU yn cael ei droi'n gart rasio go iawn y bydd myfyrwyr yn ei adeiladu ac yn ei rasio eu hunain fel rhan o raglen STEM On Track. Yn ogystal, bydd y 10 dyluniad gorau ar y rhestr fer yn ennill tocynnau i fynychu cystadleuaeth y Rownd Derfynol Genedlaethol.

Da iawn i bawb a gymerodd ran ac a ddangosodd gymaint o greadigrwydd a brwdfrydedd dros STEM a chwaraeon moduro. Rydym yn edrych ymlaen at gael adborth gan y beirniaid y mis nesaf.

Students recently took part in the exciting national STEM ON TRACK design competition, where learners were challenged to create the graphics and colour scheme for a brand-new Formula 1-style racing kart. Designs could be inspired by one of three themes – Legacy, Dream or Rise – encouraging students to combine creativity, innovation and motorsport flair.

We were delighted to receive over 100 entries from pupils across the school, showcasing some outstanding artistic talent, imagination and design skills. The standard of work produced was incredibly high, with students creating bold and professional-looking liveries worthy of the racing grid.

The national competition offers an amazing prize, with the overall winning design from across the UK being turned into a real racing kart that students will build and race themselves as part of the STEM On Track programme. In addition, the top 10 shortlisted designs will win tickets to attend the National Finals competition.

Well done to everyone who entered and demonstrated such fantastic creativity and enthusiasm for STEM and motorsport. We look forward to receiving some feedback from the judges next month.

Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn

DIWRNOD HWYL FUN DAY

DYDD SADWRN/SATURDAY
20/6/2026

11:00YB – 15:00YP
11:00AM – 15:00PM

Blaen yr ysgol
Front of school!



Uchafbwyntiau'r Ddiwyddiad
Event Highlights

**CASTELL NEIDIO
BWYD A LLUNIAETH
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PAENTIO WYNEBAU
GWERTHU O GEFN Y CAR A LLAWER MWY!**

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Ddiwrnod Hwyl i'r
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Family Fun Day!



PROSIECT DEWIS BYWYD CHOOSE LIFE PROJECT

15/4/26



Ddydd Mercher y 15fed, cawsom y pleser o groesawu Steve, Tracey, Mathew a PC Delyth i'n hysgol fel rhan o brosiect Choose Life.

Cymerodd disgyblion Blwyddyn 9 ran yn y sesiwn, a roddodd fewnwelediad pwerus a gonest i realiti camddefnyddio sylweddau. Yr hyn sy'n gwneud y prosiect hwn mor effeithiol yw'r defnydd o brofiadau bywyd go iawn—gan rannu lleisiau a theithiau unigolion sydd wedi goresgyn dibyniaeth i addysgu ac rhoi gwybod i bobl ifanc. Rhoddodd eu straeon bersbectif dwys ac ystyrlon ar y risgiau a'r canlyniadau sy'n gysylltiedig â chyffuriau Dosbarth A.

Mae prosiect Choose Life wedi bod yn cyflwyno'r neges bwysig hon ers dros 25 mlynedd, gan esblygu o gyfnod pan oedd addysg am gyffuriau yn gyfyngedig ac yn aml yn aneffeithiol. Heddiw, mae'n canolbwyntio ar ymgysylltu ystyrlon, gan ddefnyddio profiadau personol i greu effaith barhaol ac annog dewisiadau gwybodus. Yn ogystal â gweithio gydag ysgolion, mae'r prosiect yn parhau i gefnogi carchardai ac i gydweithio â'r heddlu i wella dealltwriaeth ac ymwybyddiaeth o ddibyniaeth.

Yn ystod y sesiwn, cafodd y disgyblion hefyd gyfle i ofyn cwestiynau, gan eu helpu i ddyfnhau eu dealltwriaeth ac ymgysylltu'n agored â'r siaradwyr. Roedd clywed y profiadau gonest ac emosiynol hyn yn atgoffa pwerus o bwysigrwydd gwneud penderfyniadau diogel a gwybodus.

Hoffem ddiolch i Steve, Tracey, Mathew a PC Delyth am rannu eu profiadau mor agored ac am gyflwyno sesiwn mor bwysig a chofiadwy.

On Wednesday 15th, we were pleased to welcome Steve, Tracey, Mathew and PC Delyth into our school as part of the Choose Life project.

Our Year 9 pupils took part in the session, which offered a powerful and honest insight into the realities of substance misuse. What makes this project so impactful is its use of real-life experiences—sharing the voices and journeys of individuals who have overcome addiction to help educate and inform young people. Their stories provided a deeply moving and authentic perspective on the risks and consequences associated with Class A drugs.

The Choose Life project has been delivering this vital message for over 25 years, evolving from a time when drug education was limited and often ineffective. Today, it focuses on meaningful engagement, using lived experiences to create lasting impressions and encourage informed choices. In addition to working with schools, the project continues to support prisons and collaborate with police services to improve understanding and awareness around addiction.

During the session, pupils were also given the opportunity to ask questions, helping to deepen their understanding and engage openly with the speakers. Hearing these honest and emotional accounts offered a powerful reminder of the importance of making safe and informed decisions.

We would like to thank Steve, Tracey, Mathew and PC Delyth for sharing their experiences so openly and for delivering such an important and memorable session.



VISIT FROM ARAD GOCH 23/3/26

‘Natur’



Diolch yn fawr i **Theatr Arad Goch** am ymweld â'r ysgol heddiw i berfformio eu cynhyrchiad drama pwerus “Natur” i ddisgyblion Blwyddyn 6 a 7. Cafodd y sioe ei mwynhau'n fawr gan bawb ac fe sbardunodd lawer o drafodaeth ystyrlon.

Mae “Natur” yn ddrama gerddorol sy'n archwilio ein cysylltiad â'r byd naturiol o'n cwmpas. Mae'n ein herio i feddwl sut mae ein ffordd o fyw yn effeithio ar y blaned a bywyd gwyllt, ac yn gofyn cwestiwn pwysig: beth all pob un ohonom ei wneud i helpu atal llygredd a chynhesu byd-eang?

Crëwyd y cynhyrchiad gan y cerddor a'r cyfansoddwr Morgan Elwy, ac mae'n mynd â'r gynulleidfa ar daith fythgofiadwy trwy ryfeddodau—ac argyfyngau—y byd rydym yn rhan ohono. Perfformiad gwirioneddol ysbrydoledig sy'n ein gadael i gyd yn gofyn: a allwn ni achub y blaned cyn ei bod hi'n rhy hwyr?

A huge thank you to **Theatr Arad Goch** for visiting the school today to perform their powerful drama production “Natur” for our Year 6 and 7 pupils. The show was thoroughly enjoyed by all and sparked plenty of thoughtful discussion.

“Natur” is a musical drama that explores our connection with the natural world around us. It challenges us to consider how our way of life impacts the planet and wildlife, and asks an important question: what can each of us do to help prevent pollution and global warming?

Created by musician and composer Morgan Elwy, the production takes audiences on an unforgettable journey through the wonders—and the crises—of the world we are part of. A truly inspiring performance that leaves us all asking: can we save the planet before it's too late?





GWASANAETH GWOBRWYO DYDD GŴYL DEWI – BLYNYDDOEDD 7, 8 A 9

ST DAVID'S DAY AWARDS SERVICE – YEARS 7, 8 AND 9



Daeth disgyblion Blynyddoedd 7, 8 a 9 ynghyd yn ddiweddar i ddathlu Dydd Gŵyl Dewi mewn gwasanaeth gwobrwyo arbennig yn yr ysgol. Roedd y gwasanaeth yn gyfle i nodi llwyddiannau nifer fawr o ddisgyblion ac i ddathlu eu cyfraniad gwerthfawr at fywyd yr ysgol.

Seiliwyd y gwobrau ar eiriau enwog Dewi Sant – “Gwnewch y pethau bychain” – ynghyd ag egwyddorion craidd yr ysgol: parch, cyfrifoldeb a balchder. Roedd hyn yn gyfle i gydnabod disgyblion sy'n dangos y gwerthoedd hyn yn eu gwaith a'u hymddygiad bob dydd.

Rhodddwyd dros 200 o wobrau yn ystod y gwasanaeth, gan gynnwys gwobrau am lwyddiant mewn gwahanol bynciau, gwobrau i ddisgyblion sydd wedi bod yn ffrindiau da i eraill, cyfraniadau cadarnhaol o fewn cymuned yr ysgol, yn ogystal â gwobrau am bresenoldeb rhagorol.

Cafwyd hefyd gyfraniadau arbennig gan ddisgyblion ar ffurf darlleniadau a darnau cerddorol, a helpodd i greu awyrgylch gynnes a dathliadol ar gyfer yr achlysur. Llongyfarchiadau mawr i bawb a dderbyniodd wobwr, ac i'r holl ddisgyblion am gyfrannu at wasanaeth mor gadarnhaol a chofiadwy.

Students from Years 7, 8 and 9 recently came together to celebrate St David's Day in a special awards service at the school. The service provided an opportunity to recognise the achievements of many students and to celebrate their valuable contributions to school life.

The awards were based on the famous words of St David – “Do the little things” – together with the school's core values: respect, responsibility and pride. This was an opportunity to acknowledge students who demonstrate these values in their work and behaviour every day.

Over 200 awards were presented during the service, including awards for achievement in different subjects, recognition for students who have been good friends to others, contributions to the school community, as well as awards for excellent attendance. The service also included special contributions from students in the form of readings and musical performances, helping to create a warm and celebratory atmosphere for the occasion.

Congratulations to everyone who received an award, and to all students for contributing to such a positive and memorable celebration.

P E N C A M P W Y R G E M A U T A I / H O U S E G A M E S C H A M P I O N S

Llongyfarchiadau mawr i **Dysynni** am ennill Gemau'r Tai eleni! 🎉

Mwynhaodd y disgyblion brynhawn gwych oddi ar yr amserlen i ddatlu, gyda gweithgareddau yn cynnwys tenis bwrdd, dartiau, cerddoriaeth, celf a chreffft, ynghyd â lluniaeth ysgafn haeddiannol.

Da iawn i bawb a gymerodd ran — a llongyfarchiadau arbennig i Dysynni am eu cyflawniad arbennig! 🙌🙌

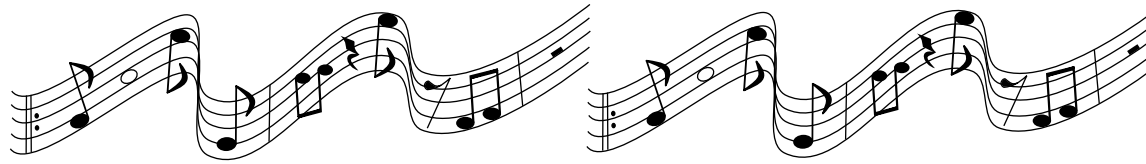
A huge congratulations to **Dysynni** for being crowned this year's House Games champions! 🎉

Students enjoyed a fantastic afternoon off timetable to celebrate, taking part in a range of activities including table tennis, darts, music, arts & crafts, along with some well-earned light refreshments.

Well done to everyone who took part — and a special shoutout to Dysynni for their outstanding achievement! 🙌🙌







🎵 LLONGYFARCHIADAU! 🎵

Llongyfarchiadau mawr i ddisgyblion Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn a fu'n sefyll eu harholiadau ROCKSCHOOL yn ddiweddar yn Totaleigh Music.



🎵 Gyda'r athro Connor Newdick:

- ★ **Bailey Green** – Gradd 1 Lleisiol
- ★ **Daisy Reacord** – Gradd 1 Lleisiol
- ★ **Molly Hodges** – Gradd 4 Lleisiol

🎹 Gyda'r athro Leigh Mathews:

- ★ **Sara Williams** – Gradd 1 Piano Clasurol

Rydym yn hynod falch o'r holl ddisgyblion am eu gwaith caled, eu hymroddiad a'u cyflawniadau gwych ym myd cerddoriaeth.



- 🎺 Llongyfarchiadau arbennig hefyd i'n **Miss Tronet** ein hunain, a fu'n sefyll ei harholiad ABRSM (Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music) Gradd 5 Trwmped yn ddiweddar ac a enillodd y sgôr uchaf! Cyflawniad arbennig iawn – da iawn i bawb! 🌟

🎵 CONGRATULATIONS! 🎵

Huge congratulations to pupils of Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn who recently sat their ROCKSCHOOL examinations at Totaleigh Music.

🎵 With teacher Connor Newdick:

- ★ **Bailey Green** – Grade 1 Vocals
- ★ **Daisy Reacord** – Grade 1 Vocals
- ★ **Molly Hodges** – Grade 4 Vocals

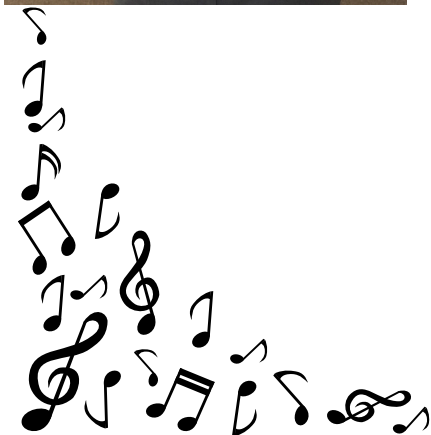
🎹 With teacher Leigh Mathews:

- ★ **Sara Williams** – Grade 1 Classical Piano

We are incredibly proud of all pupils for their hard work, dedication and fantastic achievements in music.



- 🎺 A very special congratulations also goes to our very own **Miss Tronet**, who recently sat her ABRSM (Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music) Grade 5 Trumpet examination and achieved the highest score! An amazing achievement – da iawn to everyone involved! 🌟



GWOBR DUG CAEREDIN ARIAN DUKE OF EDINBURGH SILVER AWARD



Llongyfarchiadau i'r dysgwyr blwyddyn 11 yma fu'n gwneud eu hyfforddiant Gwobr Dug Caeredin Arian dros gwyliau'r Pasg.

Congratulations to these year 11 learners who took part in Duke of Edinburgh Silver Award training over the Easter holidays.



Diwrnod Hwyl Drwy'r Gymraeg A Fun Day Through the Welsh Language

Dydd Mercher 25ain o Fawrth yn Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn, roeddem yn falch iawn o groesawu disgyblion Blwyddyn 6 i ymuno â Blwyddyn 7 am ddiwrnod llawn hwyl o weithgareddau drwy gyfrwng y Gymraeg.

Roedd y diwrnod yn cynnwys amrywiaeth o sesiynau difyr, gan gynnwys gweithdy iwcalili, gemau yn y ganolfan hamdden, Pilates a gweithgareddau ffitrwydd yn y gampfa, a sesiynau canu bywiog yn yr ystafell gerdd.

Roedd hi'n braf gweld pawb yn cymryd rhan gyda chymaint o frwdfrydedd—mwynhaodd y disgyblion yn fawr ac ymgolli'n llawn yn y profiad.

Diolch yn fawr i staff yr ysgol a gyfrannodd at drefnu'r diwrnod a'i wneud yn llwyddiant ysgubol, yn enwedig i Erin o'r Urdd (gweithgareddau yn y ganolfan hamdden), Mei Gwynedd (cerdd a chanu), Huw (gweithgaredd ukulele) a Kelly (Pilates).

Diwrnod llawn hwyl!



On Wednesday 25th March at Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn, we were delighted to welcome Year 6 pupils to join our Year 7 cohort for a fun-filled day of activities through the medium of Welsh.

The day featured a variety of engaging sessions, including a ukulele workshop, games in the leisure centre, Pilates and fitness activities in the gym, and lively sing-along music sessions in the music room.

It was wonderful to see everyone taking part with such enthusiasm—pupils thoroughly enjoyed themselves and fully immersed in the experience.

Many thanks to the school staff who contributed to organising the day and making it a great success, especially Erin from the Urdd (activities at the leisure centre), Mei (Gwynedd – music and singing), Huw (ukulele activity) and Kelly (Pilates).

A day full of fun!





Diwrnod Hwyl Prwy'r Gymraeg A Fun Day Through the Welsh Language





BREICHAU HIR A CELAVI

21/3/26

Llongyfarchiadau mawr i'r holl ddisgyblion a gymerodd i'r llwyfan am noson gofiadwy: Noson yn Dathlu Cerddoriaeth Roc Gyfoes Gymreig gyda Breichiau Hir a Celavi! Trefnwyd y digwyddiad gan gasgliad o hyrwyddwyr ifanc lleol, sy'n arwain y ffordd wrth drefnu digwyddiadau cerddoriaeth Gymraeg i rai dan 18 oed yn Nhywyn. Roedd y noson yn llwyddiant ysgubol, ac fel ysgol rydym yn hynod falch o'n disgyblion — ddoe a heddiw — am gymryd rhan a dangos eu doniau.

Well done to all the pupils who took to the stage for an unforgettable evening: A Night Celebrating Contemporary Welsh Rock Music featuring Breichiau Hir and Celavi! This event was organised by a young local promoter collective, who are leading the way in creating under-18 Welsh-language music events in Tywyn. The event was a great success, and as a school we are incredibly proud of our pupils — past and present — for getting involved and showcasing their talents.

TRIP GLANLLYN TRIP

9/3/26



Dydd Llun, 9 Mawrth, cafodd rhai o ddisgyblion Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn gyfle i fwynhau taith gyffrous i Lanllyn. Drwy gydol y dydd, bu'r disgyblion yn cymryd rhan mewn amrywiaeth o weithgareddau, yn mentro i roi cynnig ar bethau newydd ac yn gwneud y gorau o'r profiad. Roedd hi'n braf iawn gweld pawb yn mwynhau, yn magu hyder ac yn creu atgofion parhaol gyda'i gilydd.

Diolch o galon i Liz Wyn Jones, Swyddog Ymgysylltu Cymunedol a Theuluoedd, am drefnu'r daith ac am fynd gyda'r disgyblion. Roedd ei chefnogaeth a'i hymroddiad yn allweddol i lwyddiant y diwrnod i bawb.



On Monday 9th March, a group of pupils from Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn had the opportunity to enjoy an exciting trip to Glanllyn. Throughout the day, the pupils took part in a wide range of activities, embracing new challenges and making the most of the experience. It was wonderful to see everyone having such a great time, building confidence, and creating lasting memories together.

A heartfelt thank you goes to Liz Wyn Jones, Community and Family Engagement Officer, for organising the trip and accompanying the pupils. Her support and dedication helped make the day such a success for everyone involved.





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- YMUNWCH Â'N CYMUNED YSGOL
- GWNEWCH I'CH LLAIS GYFRIF
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- SUPPORT LOCAL EDUCATION



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Cyfnewidfa Ffrengig gyda Le Likès, Quimper

Exchange with Le Likès, Quimper



Mae Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn yn dal yn fwrlwm o gyffro yn dilyn ymweliad cyntaf partneriaid cyfnewid Ffrengig o ysgol Le Likès yn Quimper, Llydaw. Cafodd y syniad ei eni rhwng Dr Byrne a Mme Pointot o Le Likès ar ddiwedd yr haf, er mwyn creu cysylltiad rhwng y ddwy ysgol. Mae cyfnewidfeidd yn hynod fuddiol i ddysgwyr ieithoedd – maent yn caniatáu iddynt weld pobl go iawn, gwneud ffrindiau go iawn a chymharu ieithoedd a diwylliannau ei gilydd. Daeth pedwar ar hugain o fyfyrwyr a dau athro draw o Le Likès ar y 5ed o Fai ac arhosodd y rhan fwyaf gyda theuluoedd lletyol gyda’u partneriaid ysgol. Yn ystod yr ymweliad, mynychodd y myfyrwyr Ffrengig wersi gyda’u partneriaid Cymreig; cawsant wers gyflwyno i’r Gymraeg gan Mrs Jarman; chwaraeasant gêm rownders ar Gae Rhianfa ac aethant ar daith wych ar Reilffordd Talyllyn gyda stop cinio yng Nghrug Dolgoch. Roedd yn hyfryd gweld ein hysgol gyfan yn cymryd rhan ac yn mwynhau’r fenter hon. Rydym yn edrych ymlaen yn fawr at ein hymweliad dychwelyd (bydd manylion pellach yn cael eu rhannu gyda chi tua diwedd tymor yr haf).

Trodd hyn yn fenter gymunedol gyfan. Yn y diwedd, roedd nifer o deuluoedd a fyddai wedi hoffi lletya ond nad oeddent yn gallu gwneud hynny, a phump o fyfyrwyr Ffrengig heb deuluoedd lletyol. Dyma lle dechreuodd y stori dylwyth teg. Perswadiodd tylwyth teg yr ysgol, Hils Rowlands, ei ffrind i ganiatáu i ni ddefnyddio Tŷ Mawr i gartrefu’r myfyrwyr hynny nad oeddent yn gallu aros gyda theuluoedd lletyol. Cytunodd Lloyds Coaches i adael i’n hymwelwyr deithio gyda’u lletywyr ar fysiau’r ysgol. Dywedodd Rachel yng nghegin yr ysgol y gallai ddarparu cinio ysgol i’r grŵp a phicnic ar gyfer eu teithiau. Soniodd wedyn am ein menter wrth Harlech Foods, a roddodd yn hael greision, byrbrydau a diodydd ar gyfer y picniciau. Dywedodd Rachel wrthyf hefyd i siarad â’i gŵr, Simon, ar Reilffordd Talyllyn, ac fe berswadiodd y rheilffordd yn hael i roi taith i’n grŵp. Roedd Hils mor garedig â chynnig coginio prydau blasus i’r rhai oedd yn rhannu’r tŷ, a chynhyrchodd hi a Jane o’r ysgol farbeciw anhygoel nos lau yn Nhy Mawr ar gyfer y plant lleol hynny nad oeddent yn gallu lletya ac ar gyfer y myfyrwyr Ffrengig oedd yn byw yno. Ni fyddai dim o hynny wedi bod yn hawdd oni bai am y gwaith codi arian hael gan drigolion lleol a gynhaliodd werthiant cist car dros benwythnos Calan Mai a noson bingo yn Neuadd Pendre. Bwytaom fyrgyrs a gwyllo’r haul yn machlud, gan wybod mai dyma oedd cam cyntaf perthynas hir rhwng y ddwy ysgol.

Hoffwn fynegi fy niolch diffuant i bawb a wnaeth y gyfnewidfa hon yn bosibl: i Mr Thorp a Mrs Sterritt am fod yn ddigon dewr i gefnogi menter newydd; i Hils am ei hymdrechion anhygoel i helpu a’i lletygarwch arbennig; i Mr Evans am ei haelioni wrth gludo’r myfyrwyr a’u croesawu wedi iddynt gyrraedd yn hwyr; i’r athrawon a staff yr ysgol a gefnogodd ein gwersi a’n gweithgareddau yn yr ysgol; i’r rhieni a letyodd ein hymwelwyr a rhoi profiad bythgofiadwy iddynt ac, yn olaf, i’n myfyrwyr yn YUT a groesawodd eu hymwelwyr ac a ddangosodd y gorau o letygarwch Cymreig a rhyfeddod ein hysgol.

Cefais lythyr ddydd lau gan ddwy o’n myfyrwyr a gofynnwyd i mi ei ddarllen i’r myfyrwyr Ffrengig cyn iddynt adael. Roedd yn cynnwys y geiriau hyn: “Rydym wedi gwneud ffrindiau am oes” a “Cawsom yr amser gorau erioed”. Do wir. A chawsom.

Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn is still buzzing with the excitement of the first visit of French exchange partners from Le Likès school in Quimper, Brittany. The idea was hatched between Dr Byrne and Mme Poinot from Le Likès at the end of the summer, to create a link between the two schools. Exchanges are incredibly beneficial for language learners – they allow them to see real people, make real friends and to compare one another’s languages and cultures. Twenty-four students and two teachers came over from Le Likès on 5th May and most stayed in host families with their partners from school. During the visit, the French students attended lessons with their Welsh partners; had an introduction to Welsh lesson from Mrs Jarman; played a rounders match on Cae Rhianfa and went on a fabulous trip on the Talyllyn Railway with a lunch stop at Dolgoch Falls. It was wonderful to see our whole school involved in and enjoying this venture. We’re very much looking forward to our return visit (the details of which will be with you towards the end of the summer term). This turned out to be a whole community venture. In the event, we had a number of families who would have liked to host but couldn’t and five French students who didn’t have host families. This is where the fairytale came into being. Fairy godmother of the school, Hils Rowlands, persuaded her friend to allow us to use Ty Mawr to house the students who couldn’t stay in host families. Lloyds Coaches agreed to let our visitors travel with their hosts on the school buses. Rachel in the school canteen said she could provide school lunches for the group and picnics for their travels. She then mentioned our venture to Harlech foods who generously donated crisps, snacks and drinks for picnics. Rachel also told me to talk to her husband, Simon, at the Talyllyn Railway and he generously persuaded the railway to treat our group to a ride. Hils was kind enough to offer to cook delicious meals for the housemates and she and Jane from school produced an amazing barbeque on the Thursday evening at Ty Mawr for those local children who couldn’t host and for the French students living there. None of that would have been easy but for the generous fundraising of local residents who held a car boot sale on May Day weekend and a bingo evening in the Neuadd Pendre. We ate burgers and watched the sun set, knowing that this was the first leg in a long relationship between the two schools. I would like to express my wholehearted thanks to all those who made this exchange possible: to Mr Thorp and Mrs Sterritt for being brave enough to encourage a new venture; to Hils for her incredible efforts to help and her unbelievable catering; to Mr Evans for his generosity in transporting students and meeting their late arrival; to the teachers and school staff who supported our lessons and activities in school; to the parents who hosted our visitors and gave them the time of their lives and, finally, to our students at YUT who welcomed their visitors and who showed them the best of Welsh hospitality and the wonder of our school. I was handed a letter on Thursday by two of our students which I was asked to read to the French students before they left. It included these words, “We have made friends for life” and “We had the best time ever”. We have. And we did.

*Dr Jane Byrne-Athrawes Ffrangeeg/French Teacher
Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn*

Gan bawb yn Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn, diolch yn fawr iawn i bawb a gyfrannodd at wneud y gyfnewidfa arbennig hon yn gymaint o lwyddiant – a diolch arbennig iawn i Dr Byrne am ei holl waith caled, ei hymroddiad a’i threfniadaeth drwy gydol y cyfnod. From everyone at Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn, a huge thank you to all those who played a part in making this wonderful exchange such a success – and a very special thank you to Dr Byrne for all of her hard work, dedication and organisation throughout.



Her Gymunedol Community Challenge 6/5/26



Ar y 6ed o Fai, ymunodd disgyblion Blwyddyn 6 o Ysgol Pen y Bryn, Ysgol Dyffryn Dulas ac Ysgol Craig y Deryn efo disgyblion Blwyddyn 7 i gymryd rhan mewn amrywiaeth o weithgareddau a drefnwyd ac arweiniwyd gan ddisgyblion Blwyddyn 10.

Roedd y gweithgareddau yn cynnwys gymnasteg, badminton, pêl-droed a dodgeball, a chafodd pob un eu cynllunio fel rhan o Her Gymunedol disgyblion Blwyddyn 10 ar gyfer eu cymhwyster Bagloriaeth Cymru.

Roedd y diwrnod yn llwyddiannus, gyda disgyblion Blwyddyn 10 yn ymgymryd â rôl a chyfrifoldeb hyfforddwyr er mwyn ennill eu cymhwyster. Roedd hefyd yn gyfle gwych i ddisgyblion o bob grŵp blwyddyn gydweithio, meithrin perthnasoedd newydd a mwynhau bod yn egnïol. Hoffem ddiolch yn fawr i'r holl ddisgyblion a staff a fu'n rhan o wneud y digwyddiad yn achlysur mor gofiadwy.

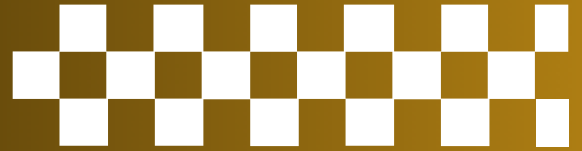
On the 6th of May, Year 6 pupils from Ysgol Pen y Bryn, Ysgol Dyffryn Dulas and Ysgol Craig y Deryn joined the Year 7 pupils to take part in a variety of activities organised and delivered by Year 10 pupils.

The activities included gymnastics, badminton, football and dodgeball, all planned as part of the Year 10 pupils' Community Challenge for their Welsh Baccaulaureate qualification.

The day was an enormous success, with the Year 10 pupils taking on the role and responsibility of coaches in order to gain their qualification. It was also a fantastic opportunity for pupils from all year groups to work together, build new friendships and enjoy being active. A big thank you goes to all pupils and staff involved in making the event such a memorable occasion.

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PELDROED FOOTBALL



Llongyfarchiadau i **Egan Evans** ac **Oli Watterson** ym Mlwyddyn 9, a oedd yn fuddugoliaethus ddydd Sadwrn 2 Mai 2026 wrth chwarae i dîm Dan 15 Iau Aberystwyth, gan sicrhau teitl y gynghrair. Roedd yn ddiwrnod gwych o bêl-droed ac yn gamp arbennig i'r tîm. Dylai'r ddau fachgen fod yn hynod falch o'u gwaith caled, eu hymroddiad a'u llwyddiant drwy gydol y tymor. Llongyfarchiadau mawr i'r ddau ohonoch ar y gamp wych hon!

Congratulations to **Egan Evans** and **Oli Watterson** in Year 9, who were triumphant on Saturday 2nd May 2026 as they played for the Under 15s Junior Aberystwyth team, securing the league title. It was a fantastic day of football and a brilliant achievement for the team.

Both boys should be incredibly proud of their hard work, commitment and success throughout the season. Congratulations to you both on this outstanding accomplishment!





Llongyfarchiadau i ddisgyblion Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn a gynrychiolodd BMO Coaching mewn twrnaint dros benwythnos y 9fed a'r 10fed o Fai ac a gafodd llwyddiant arbennig drwy gael eu coronï'n bencampwyr yn erbyn timau o bob cwr o Gymru a Lloegr.

Roedd y garfan dalentog yn cynnwys Egan Evans, Harrison Wright, Charlie McDowall, Charlie Witchell, Sam Thorpe a Flynn Nicholls, a chwaraeodd oll ran enfawr yn llwyddiant arbennig y tîm. Wrth gystadlu yn erbyn gwrthwynebwyr cryfion drwy gydol y twrnaint, dangosodd y tîm sgiliau gwych, gwaith tîm arbennig, penderfyniad a chwarae teg i ddod i'r brig.

Llongyfarchiadau arbennig hefyd i Egan Evans, a enwyd yn Chwaraewr y Twrnaint am ei berfformiadau arbennig dros y penwythnos.

Mae pawb yn Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn yn hynod falch o'r bechgyn a'u llwyddiant. Da iawn i bawb a fu'n rhan o'r gamp!

Congratulations to pupils from Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn who represented BMO Coaching at a tournament held over the weekend of 9th–10th May and achieved an incredible success by becoming champions against teams from across Wales and England.

The talented squad included Egan Evans, Harrison Wright, Charlie McDowall, Charlie Witchell, Sam Thorpe and Flynn Nicholls, who all played a huge part in the team's outstanding achievement. Competing against strong opposition throughout the tournament, the team showed fantastic skill, teamwork, determination and sportsmanship to come out on top.

A special congratulations also goes to Egan Evans, who was named Player of the Tournament in recognition of his exceptional performances across the weekend.

Everyone at Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn is extremely proud of the boys and their achievements. Da iawn to all involved!

Chwaraewr y Twrnaint
Player of the Tournament: **Egan Evans**





Llongyfarchiadau mawr i'n disgyblion, Egan Evans ac Oli Watterson, ar eu llwyddiant arbennig yn cynrychioli Aberystwyth Town FC U14s yn Rownd Derfynol Cwpan Canolbarth Cymru Dan 14 yn Llanidloes yn erbyn Caersws FC ddydd Sul 17 Mai 2026.

Cafodd Egan berfformiad arbennig gan sgorio dwy gôl a chyfrannu un assist i helpu ei dîm i sicrhau buddugoliaeth wych o 5–2 a dod yn enillwyr y cwpan.

Yn anffodus, oherwydd anaf, nid oedd Oli yn gallu chwarae yn y rownd derfynol, ond dangosodd ysbryd tîm gwych drwy fod yno i gefnogi ei gyd-chwaraewyr drwy gydol y gêm.

Perfformiadau anhygoel a chyflawniad gwych gan y ddau fachgen. Rydym yn hynod falch ohonoch — da iawn fechgyn!

Congratulations to our pupils, Egan Evans and Oli Watterson, on their fantastic achievement representing Aberystwyth Town FC U14s in the Central Wales FA U14 Final in Llanidloes against Caersws FC on Sunday 17th May 2026.

Egan delivered an outstanding performance, scoring two goals and providing one assist to help his team secure a brilliant 5–2 victory and become Central Wales FA Cup winners.

Unfortunately, due to injury, Oli was unable to play in the final, but he showed great team spirit by being there to support his teammates throughout the match.

Unbelievable performances and a fantastic achievement from both boys. We are incredibly proud of you both — well done, boys!

Hoci Hockey



Llongyfarchiadau i dîm hoci bechgyn ysgol dan 16 ar orffen yn 3ydd yng Nghymru yn y rowndiau terfynol ym mis Chwefror. Camp wych a chanlyniad i fod yn falch iawn ohono!

Congratulations to the Under-16 schoolboys' hockey team on finishing 3rd in Wales at the February finals. A fantastic achievement and a result to be very proud of!

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U16 Schoolboys / Open (7's)

REGIONAL FINALS REGIONAL FINALS - KNOCKOUTS
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Finals	PLD	PTS	GD
1 Bishopston	3	7	4
2 Bro Caereinion	3	5	2
3 Tywyn	3	4	-2
4 QEHS	3	0	-4

Fixtures Finals





Rydym yn hynod falch o ddathlu llwyddiannau pedwar o'n disgyblion yn Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn — Ben Rosamillia, Euan Bird, Eli Steele, Harry Kendall, Lola Richards a Ava McCall — sydd wedi cael eu dewis ar gyfer carfan hoci Dreigiau Gogledd Cymru.

Mae hon yn gamp arbennig ac yn gydnabyddiaeth o'u gwaith caled, eu hymroddiad a'u talent yn y gamp. Bydd y bechgyn nawr yn mynd ymlaen i gynrychioli Gogledd Cymru yn Nhwrnamaint Nottingham ym mis Mehefin a'r Merched ym mis Gorffennaf.

Mae pawb yn Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn yn dymuno'r gorau iddynt, ac rydym yn edrych ymlaen at glywed am eu profiadau a'u llwyddiannau yn y twrnamaint. Da iawn pawb!



We are incredibly proud to celebrate the achievements of six of our pupils at Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn — Ben Rosamillia, Euan Bird, Eli Steele, Harry Kendall, Lola Richards and Ava McCall— who have all been selected for the North Wales Dragons hockey squad.

This is a fantastic achievement and recognition of their hard work, dedication, and talent within the sport. The boys will now go on to represent North Wales at the Nottingham Tournament in June, and the girls in July.

Everyone at Ysgol Uwchradd Tywyn wishes them the very best of luck, and we look forward to hearing all about their experiences and successes at the tournament. Da iawn pawb!



HER CEFN GWLAD COUNTRYSIDE CHALLENGE 01/05/26

**LLONGYFARCHADAU
CONGRATULATIONS!**



Rydym yn falch iawn o longyfarch disgybl Blwyddyn 8, **Reese Thomas**, ar ei llwyddiant gwych yn y gystadleuaeth Her Cefn Gwlad, a gynhaliwyd ddydd Gwener, 1 Mai 2026 yng Nghanolfan Marchogaeth Penycoed yn y Trallwng.

Perfformiodd Reese yn eithriadol o dda, gan sgorio 87.5% ac ennill y safle cyntaf yng Ngogledd Cymru yn ei grŵp. O ganlyniad i'w pherfformiad rhagorol, mae hi bellach wedi cymhwyso ar gyfer y Rowndiau Terfynol Cenedlaethol.

Llongyfarchiadau mawr i chi, Reese!

We're delighted to congratulate Year 8 pupil **Reese Thomas** for her fantastic achievement in the Countryside Challenge competition, held on Friday 1st May 2026 at Penycoed Riding Centre in Oswestry.

Reese performed exceptionally well, scoring an impressive 87.5%, and came 1st in North Wales in her group. As a result of her outstanding performance, she has now qualified for the National Finals.

This is a brilliant accomplishment — well done, Reese!

🚴♂️ Llongyfarchiadau i ddisgybl Blwyddyn 8, Bertie Joble! 🚴♂️

Llongyfarchiadau mawr i Bertie, a lwyddodd yn ddiweddar i sicrhau lle mewn ras beicio mynydd lawr allt genedlaethol yn Antur Stiniog, Blaenau Ffestiniog. Roedd hwn yn gyfle gwych iddo gystadlu ar lefel genedlaethol yn ei gategori oedran yn erbyn beicwyr o bob rhan o'r wlad.

Cafodd Bertie benwythnos arbennig o lwyddiannus yn rasio ac fe orffennodd mewn safle gwych, sef 16eg allan o 40 o gystadleuwyr — camp arbennig iawn ac un y dylai fod yn hynod falch ohoni!

Da iawn Bertie — edrychwn ymlaen at glywed am dy lwyddiannau rasio yn y dyfodol!



🚴♂️ Congratulations to Year 8 pupil Bertie Joble! 🚴♂️

A huge well done to Bertie, who recently secured an entry into a national downhill mountain bike race at Antur Stiniog, Blaenau Ffestiniog. This was a fantastic opportunity for Bertie to compete at a national level within his age category against riders from across the country.

Bertie had an excellent weekend of racing and finished in an impressive 16th place out of 40 competitors — a brilliant achievement and one he should be very proud of!

Da iawn Bertie — we look forward to hearing about your future racing successes! 🏆



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