



## Newsletter- Friday 30<sup>th</sup> January

It's been another wonderfully busy week here at St Chad's. Alongside all the exciting learning happening across the school, our pupils in Years 2-6 have been completing their personalised assessments. It has been such a joy to share the results with the older children — they've shown fantastic progress, and we are so proud of the effort and positivity they bring each day.

We're very much looking forward to seeing you next week at Parents' Evening. It's a lovely chance to sit down together, celebrate your child's achievements, and chat about their next steps as they continue to grow and shine.

Wishing you all a restful and enjoyable weekend

Warm Wishes

Nicola Locker and the St Chad's Team



Dosbarth 4- creating the solar system as part of their Science and Technology work based on Space.



Our Well-Being Warriors are planning something exciting as part of our Health and Well-Being offer!

Watch this Space!



Month	Event
<b>February</b>	
Tues 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Parents Evening- Booking details below
Thurs 5 <sup>th</sup>	Parents Evening
Fri 6 <sup>th</sup>	Dosbarth 2 Victorian School day
Weds 11 <sup>th</sup>	Valentines disco- details below
Thurs 12 <sup>th</sup>	Governors meeting Tidy up day- details below
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Science workshop- Class 4 Break up for Half term
Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Children back to school
<b>March</b>	
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Shrek Dress Rehearsal at the Maelor school- details below
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup>	Eisteddfod
Mon 16 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Bike course
Tues 17 <sup>th</sup>	
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup>	Know your Church Workshop
Fri 27 <sup>th</sup>	Easter Service Church- Parents welcome Break up for Easter
<b>April</b>	
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup>	Children back in
Weds 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Earth Day- Xplore workshop
	<a href="#">Click here for 2026/2027 term dates</a>

Class 4 (possibly class 3 too) have been invited to watch the dress rehearsal of Shrek the Musical at The Maelor School . It will be lovely to see some St Chadian's perform!



If you would like tickets for the performances- tickets are available at [www.ticketsource.co.uk/the-maelor-school](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/the-maelor-school)



Our Celebration Collective Worship





Our Paint and Sip Night was a lovely evening — just the boost we all needed to brighten up January! Hosted by the brilliant Adele at *Waterside Paint*, the event brought together creativity, laughter, and a wonderfully relaxed atmosphere.

Everyone enjoyed unwinding with friends and colleagues while creating their own masterpieces, and the feedback has been fantastic.

We'll *definitely* be organising more Paint and Sip events in the future — watch this space!

## Attendance

This week- 98%

School Year average- 96%

Wrexham average 94%



Thank you to all families for your positive response to our Late Book system. We're delighted to see a significant improvement in children arriving on time. Your efforts make a real difference to the smooth start of our school day.

As a reminder, we are required to report our attendance figures to the Welsh Government twice a day, so every minute counts. Many activities take place first thing in the morning, including settling-in routines, wellbeing check-ins, reading, and key learning tasks.

Arriving just 15 minutes late each day adds up to more than an hour of lost learning every week. Over time, this has a real impact on progress, confidence, and classroom participation.

Thank you for continuing to support good punctuality.



Our School Council, with the help of Friends of Hanmer are hosting a Valentine's Disco. Ticket money to be brought in, in a named envelope please. All age groups.



# Valentine's Disco

Wednesday 11th February  
St Chad's School  
3:15-4:30 £5 includes  
Hot dog and drink



# DISCO

Glitter Bar/ Tuck Shop/ Valentine's Shop



# Parents Meetings

Parents meeting will take place on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> and Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> February. This is an opportunity for you to have a talk to your child's class teacher about how your child is progressing in the school year.

Please click on the links below to arrange a time suitable, any problems, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Nursery children parents will have the opportunity to come for a 'Come and Play' morning after half-term. (No booking required)

Mrs Edwards (Reception children)

[Book time with V Edwards \(St Chad's CiW VA Primary School\): Mrs Edwards Parents Meeting](#)

Miss Griffiths (Year 1 and 2 children)

[Book time with E Griffiths \(St Chad's CiW VA Primary School\): Miss Griffiths' Parents Evening](#)

Mr Maddocks (Year 3 and 4 children)

[Book time with T Maddocks \(St Chad's CiW VA Primary School\): Mr Maddocks' Parents Evening](#)

Mr Edwards (Year 5 and 6 children)

[Book time with R Edwards \(St Chad's CiW VA Primary School\): Mr Edwards Parents' evening](#)



Dosbarth 3 have been showing their creative flare-creating 3D Cardboard models of the staff at School!



After posting this on social media we have had good feedback! The facts are very interesting!  
Lets hope this has a positive effect on reducing the speed in our community,

Average speed: 26.6 mph

Highest recorded speed: 56.2 mph

Morning peak: 8–9 AM, with 1,537–1,755 vehicles and average speeds in the 31–32 mph range

91.5 % exceed the speed limit  
(19,509 out of 21,328)

Only 8.5% of vehicles obey the speed limit.

Afternoon peak: 3–5 PM, with 1,788–2,116 vehicles. Slight increase in speed during school-run hours.



'This is very dangerous for children as a lot of them run around at the end of the school day and sometimes walk on the road' WG Yr 6

Please keep our community safe

Data retrieved from Hanmer Traffic report  
Nov 17<sup>th</sup> 2025-Jan 19<sup>th</sup> 2026

