

## St Chad's Church in Wales VA Primary School

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#### Newsletter Dydd Gwener 4ed Gorffennaf

Bobal bach! What an eventful week it has been! Our school been full of excitement. We began the week with Dosbarth 4 showcasing their enterprising presentation at the Maelor School, a proud moment for both the children and Mr Edwards. Following this, our 'Amasing' choir gave a fantastic performance at Chester Cathedral, where Mr Adams also won a music workshop for the autumn term—huge diolch yn fawr for that! Wednesday was bright and sunny, perfect for our much-anticipated sports day. We appreciate all the support from parents and families as the children demonstrated incredible sportsmanship. Congratulations to Hanmer, who took home the sports cup—an achievement that has been over 25 years in the making!

Later in the week, our Criw Cymraeg hosted our Welsh Jamboree, where the children sang their hearts out to our favourite Welsh songs, with the odd water gun squirted! We wrapped up the week with our Well-Being day, filled with activities organised by our Well-Being Warriors, and finishing off the day was our annual colour run. The children went home buzzing with excitement, while the staff are certainly feeling a bit wedi blino!

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend ahead!

Warm wishes Nicola Locker and the St Chad's Team

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| Month                     | Event                                    |  |
|---------------------------|--|--|
| July                      |  |  |
| Monday 7 <sup>th</sup>    | Year 4 and 5 Pentre Llyn- meeting        |  |
|                           | 3:20pm                                   |  |
| Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup>   | Girls and Boys football match 3:15pm     |  |
| Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> | Whole school trip- Llangollen            |  |
|                           | Eisteddfod- Active on Parent Pay – No EE |  |
|                           | on this day                              |  |
| Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> | Friends of Hanmer Meeting 7:30pm At      |  |
|                           | The Hanmer Arms                          |  |
| Friday 11th               | Year 6 Leavers Service 9:30am in Church  |  |
| Monday 14-                | Year 4-5 Pentre Llyn- details out        |  |
| 16th                      |  |  |
| Friday 18th               | Children break up for summer- Non-       |  |
|                           | Uniform day                              |  |
| Monday 21 <sup>st</sup>   | Training day                             |  |
| Training Days             | Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> September 2025    |  |
| 2025/26                   | Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2025   |  |
|                           | Fri 24 <sup>th</sup> October 2025        |  |
|                           | Mon 5 <sup>th</sup> January 2026         |  |
|                           | Mon 13th April 2026                      |  |
|                           | Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> July 2026        |  |
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Please support us with attending our Friends of Hanmer Meeting on Thursday 10th July at 7:30pm at the Hanmer Arms to plan the events for next year!





After- School Clubs\*

\*Clubs above are £4 per session

# <u>afterschoolclubhanme</u> <u>r@qmail.com</u>



Please keep our children and village safe.





#### Punctuality

School gates open at 8:50am, with registration commencing promptly at 9:00am.

Arriving late means missing crucial early-morning learning activities like phonics,

handwriting, and number work. This puts children at a significant disadvantage.

Late arrivals disrupt the class and can make it difficult for both the latecomer and their peers to concentrate.

Our Breakfast Club is available from 7:50am to assist with morning routines. If you are experiencing difficulties with punctuality, please do not hesitate to contact me to discuss potential solutions.

We appreciate your cooperation in ensuring your child arrives at school on time. Together, we can create a positive and productive learning environment for all.

#### Attendance

|  | 100% |  |
|--|------|--|
| School days missed<br>in an academic year  | 98%  | © very good  |
| 7 School days missed<br>in an academic year                                      | 96%  | © GOOD   |
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| 29 School days missed<br>in an academic year                                     | 85%  | (8) CONCERNED  |
| 40 School days mitsed in an<br>asadomic year<br>(squivalient is a day each weet) | 80%  | (R) VERY CONCERNED   |

95% Whole School Attendance (Wrexham 94%)

### Parent Meetings

## Year 4-5 -Pentrllyncymer

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July 3:20-4:00pm



A meeting to go through the itinerary, kit lists etc and to ask any questions

#### **Dinners**

Thank you for bearing with us this week-the menu is now in sync. Please use Parent Pay to book your child's food choices this week.



#### Pen-blwyddyn Hapus Mr Edwards!





We are looking forward to our whole school trip to Llangollen Eisteddfod on Wednesday (9<sup>th</sup>). Full uniform to be worn please and bring a packed lunch. If you are ordering a lunch from school, please ensure it is booked by Monday. All payments due in on Monday please.



Dosbarth 4 representatives presenting their presentation at The Maelor School





What a great Well-Being day! Our Well-Being Warriors planned an action-packed day including Zumba, den making, rounders and making healthy fruit snacks.



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We all had a gwych time at our Jamboree this week! We sung our favourite Welsh songs including Jumbo Jet, Lan y mor, Aderyn Melyn and dw'in hoffi cyfrir











What a great sports day! It was lovely to welcome our special visitors, Tina Mannering the Mayor of Wrexham and Jeremy Newtown our Councillor. Da iawn to Hanmer for winning the Sports Cup and all the children who showed great sportsmanship and put in so much effort.











What an amazing opportunity our 'Amasing' choir had! Miss Griffiths and her choir performed at Chester Cathedral as part of the Amasing choir with over 300 children. They were all fantastic!

