



# Cogan Primary News

Dydd Gwyl Dewi / St David's Day/World Book Day...

This week is a very busy week celebrating Cynefin, World Book Day and St David's Day. Our Eisteddfod will be full of Welsh traditions and provide an excellent platform for learning about Wales. This week has been planned with lots of Welsh themed assemblies and activities. We will be hearing a story, singing in Welsh and listening to and celebrating the competition winners. We will be chairing our Year 6 Bard on Friday afternoon. The poems submitted have been excellent, Mrs Owen has had a hard job judging such wonderful entries. We have so many amazing art and film entries across the school. Thank you to parents and carers for supporting us.

During our Eisteddfod on Friday we will be announcing the remaining competition winners of the home tasks. The children entered many competitions and the work was as usual, of a very high standard.

We will be also celebrating World Book Day and we are looking forward to having our dads, grandads, brothers and uncles in to share so many wonderful books with the children. We will have a further session later on in the year for mums and grandmothers, sisters and aunties!

Exciting news- we have achieved our Silver Cymraeg Campus Award- Mrs Sibert, Mr Lewis and two Criw Cymraeg children will be going to a ceremony at the Vale Hotel on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> March to celebrate such a wonderful achievement.

There are many events coming up in this short term, please see diary dates. There will be a Book Fair between 10<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> March. Books can be purchased after school, in the main hall. The PTA will be supporting this.

Year 6 are off to Dolygaer the same week as well.

Our value of the month is 'Happiness'- we are thinking about how 'it's good to be me' and how we can help and support others.

Please can you contact Mrs Psarelis in the office on 02920 708497 if any of your personal details have changed, especially your email. Also, a reminder that we have a School App 'OurSchoolApp' which you can download to get regular updates of school events. The school website and Twitter feed are also a means of accessing information. Thank you once again for all the parents and carers who took part in our questionnaire. The results were sent out this week for your information.

Best wishes,  
Mrs S. M. Sibert



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## Superstar Corner



Congratulations to:

### **Proud to Present winners for February- Health & Wellbeing focus**

Positive Relationships/being a good friend

Infant class— Year 1 –

Y3— Jax L

Rec- Finley M Y3- Livvie B Y6- Vega

Y4— Ollie P

Y1- Zara C Y4- Ted E

Y5— Theo L

Y2- Luca O Y5- Laci-Jay

Y6— Connor R

Handwriting— Noah H, Thomas C, Kate H and Zoe D

Criw Cymraeg—

Y1— Emily W

Y4— Evie D

Y2- Rico- AD

Y5— Jaxon M

Y3— Layla B

Y6— Owen R



Attendance winners this month:

1<sup>st</sup>- 95.6% - Year 4

2<sup>nd</sup> 95.1% - Years 2 and 3



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## Diary Dates...

**Inset Days**

**23/05/25**

**21/07/25**



- 06:03:25- World Book Day- Dads and Grandads Reading session
- 07:03:25- St David's Day (as the 1<sup>st</sup> was on a Saturday) / Chairing of the Bard
- Wb 10:03:25- Dolygaer Adventure Week- Year 6 / Book Fair week run by PTA
- 13:03:25- Litter Pick Assembly online
- 17:03:25- Llais Groups
- 18:03:25- Year 6 PC Reed Cyber Safety
- 19:03:25- Rhondda Heritage Trip Year 2
- 21:03:25- Red Nose Day- Comic Relief- wear red to school
- 24/25/26:03:25- **Parents' Evenings N2-Year 6**
- 27:03:25- Year 2 class assembly / Sustrans Street Closure day- Cawnpore Street/ **N1 Nursery afternoon children Open afternoon for parents**
- 28:03:25- Cuppa with the Headteacher / Mother's Day Room
- 31:03:25- Llais Groups
- 01:04:25- New Nursery intake show around and meeting 2:30pm at EY Unit
- 02:04:25- Joint School Council / Y5 Harry Potter Trip
- 03:04:25- Proud to Present
- 04:04:25- Rock Steady Concert for parents
- 08:04:25- Neon Disco-PTA

**End of term 11:04:25 Easter Break**

**Back to school on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2025**

Shh!.. We will be organising our Mother's day event this year. The children will be able to purchase a gift for their mum on Friday 28th March. All they need to do is bring in money (£2) and the staff will assist them to choose a gift and have it wrapped. Look out for the PTA information sheet/Twitter about this.



### Keeping Learners Safe

Useful websites:

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/>

<https://www.childnet.com/>

<https://www.barnardos.org.uk/get-support/support-for-parents-and-carers/child-abuse-and-harm/keeping-children-safe-online/how-to-talk-children-safe-online>

### Comic Relief Day- Friday 21st March 2025

The children are invited to wear Red and bring in cash donations on this day.

## WORLD BOOK DAY



World Book Day will be celebrated on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March- letter out soon. Please come dressed as your favourite book character. Book Fair Monday 10<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> March in the main hall.

Parents' Evenings 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> March 2025. (No clubs this week)







Happy St David's Day!  
Dydd Gwyl Dewi Hapus!

