

Friday 14th February 2020

Reminders

- We broke up for half term today, we hope you have a restful break with your families. There is an INSET day on Monday 24th February and the children return to school on Tuesday 25th February 2020.
- Year 3&4 are going swimming after half term.
- The art deadline is the first Wednesday back - please see Y Cyngor Cymraeg box on the next page for Welsh week details.



Safer Internet Day

SID 2020 has been celebrated throughout the school this week with some very important messages shared - please see our Twitter pages for images/videos.

Below are the results for the Safer Internet Day Competition:

Foundation Phase	KS2
1st - Ben	1st - Princess-Karissa
2nd - Ameilia	2nd - Melissa
3rd - Annie	3rd - Eva H

Princess-Karissa was the overall winner and will work with Miss Mansfield to design her own phone/tablet case!

Links with the comprehensive school

Dosbarth Ramsey had the opportunity to visit the comprehensive school yesterday to watch a performance of Grease! Our pupils were delighted to be able to see their friends and past pupils on the stage doing so well. Lucy reported "The songs were really catchy and the outfits were class!" Members of staff from other schools mentioned how well-behaved they were throughout the visit. Da iawn pawb!

Visitors and visits

Mark bond, from Pembrokeshire County Council, came in to lead a workshop on recycling in Dosbarth Skomer this week. The children researched an app called #RefillPembrokeshire - the app tells you where you can have your reusable bottles filled up instead of buying more and more plastic.

Dosbarth Caldey visited the Torch Theatre this week to finish their 'Lights, Camera, Action!' topic. They were taken under the stage, in the control room and into the backstage area. We look forward to continuing to work with our local community to enhance our topics throughout the year.

Dosbarth Ramsey were the winners of the attendance shield again this week. Three classes above 95% attendance this week - let's keep this going!



Attendance

Dosbarth Seren y Môr	85.25%
Dosbarth Dolffin	90.53%
Dosbarth Caldey	95.11%
Dosbarth Skomer	95.24%
Dosbarth Ramsey	95.37%
Whole School Total	92.20%

Parish Links

Our next whole school Mass will be celebrated on the 12th March where Dosbarth Skomer will be taking the lead.

If you would like your child to make their First Holy Communion this year (either in year 3 or 4) then please contact the school office by Friday 28th February.

Friends

The Friends of St Francis will be holding a meeting during the first week back to decide upon dates for future events throughout the year.

Parking

Parking in the disabled bays are reserved for Blue Badge holders only. Please respect the rights of those who need the spaces.

Home/School link

The homework diaries are the main home-school link. Important dates and messages are shared. All pupils in Caldey, Skomer and Ramsey were given a diary at the start of the year, it is important that they are brought in to be signed on a weekly basis.

Birthdays

Tyler - 10 oed
Logan - 11 oed
Meghan - 11 oed
Isla - 11 oed





Y Cyngor Cymraeg

Y Cyngor Cymraeg went to the Dragon's Den last week and successfully 'pitched' for money for a Welsh music project. They came home with the highest amount of money from the dragons! They will be purchasing outdoor speakers to play Welsh language music on the yard. Watch this space for updates!

Wythnos Gymreig/Welsh Week

Please click the link below for important information regarding Welsh Week:

https://bbecad97-b607-4cc9-9823-a5153e92222a.filesusr.com/ugd/8f6dcc_f2ba5f008b1d4cecaf1022ba6d05a315.pdf

Merit Certificates

Dosbarth Seren y Môr	Fraser Barrow "Fantastic counting this week"
Dosbarth Dolffin	Harley Armstrong "His excellent attempt at holding a sentence during phonics"
Dosbarth Caldey	Charlie Allen "Fantastic effort to be ready, respectful and safe during our Torch Theatre trip"
Dosbarth Skomer	Kai James "For showing kindness and helping his peers during group work"
Dosbarth Ramsey	Ashton Perry "Working hard throughout the week"

The school Twitter handle is:

[@St_FrancisPembs](https://twitter.com/St_FrancisPembs)

To find out what's happening in each class please follow:

[@DosbarthSerenYM](https://twitter.com/DosbarthSerenYM)

[@DosbarthDolffin](https://twitter.com/DosbarthDolffin)

[@DosbarthCaldey](https://twitter.com/DosbarthCaldey)

[@DosbarthSkomer](https://twitter.com/DosbarthSkomer)

[@Dosbarth_Ramsey](https://twitter.com/Dosbarth_Ramsey)

The Friends' Twitter handle is:

[@friendsofstfran](https://twitter.com/friendsofstfran)



Dosbarth Ramsey have been exploring what it means to be 'Enterprising, Creative Contributors'. They decided upon and created the images to match the statements. To find out up to date information about the new curriculum for Wales please find information on our website.

I have good ideas and use them to make new things.



Connect and apply their knowledge and skills to create ideas and products.

Tweet of the week!



Our [#ESafety](#) team and [#DigitalLeaders](#) shared some important messages today. Our Digital Leaders shared their 'Tip yr Wythnos' and how to be [#SMART](#) online. Our [#ESafety](#) team led assembly and explored online identity using the [#FreeToBeMe](#) resource. [#PupilLeadership](#) [#SID2020](#) 🌍



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