Ysgol Gynradd Tairgwaith
Tairgwaith Primary School

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NEWSLETTER / CYLCHLYTHYR

July 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,

SAFEGUARDING

Hot weather

If the weather continues to be hot, then the wearing of uniform will be relaxed so that children can wear cooler items of clothing. However, please make sure that the clothing is appropriate for school, for example please refrain from wearing clothes that are revealing or footwear that is not secure to the foot.
Also, a reminder that school staff are not permitted to apply suncream to your child / suncream brought in must be applied by the child themselves / suncream brought in must be labelled with your child's name and handed to staff who will store it in a safe place.

Bikes / scooters

A few children persist in riding their bikes and scooters down the path – **PLEASE STOP YOUR CHILD FROM DOING SO** due to safety reasons.

ATTENDANCE

Attendance currently for this academic year is 91.3% Please can we make every effort to attend school as it would be wonderful if we could finish with a percentage of 92% or more. **Children with 100% attendance will receive an award. The class that has the highest attendance throughout the year will be able to choose to have a picnic in a local area.**

SPORTS DAY

A huge thank you to all that supported our Sports Day event, even though the weather was against us. The children thoroughly enjoyed despite the rain. The winning team will be announced at the end of term, as points from weekly Seren Yr Wythnos also adds to the scores. An all-year-round effort! **The winning team will be able to choose to have a picnic in a local area.**

PTA

Sponsored colour run event

Thank you again to our wonderful PTA for this amazing event – what a fantastic experience and the money that was raised will go towards school funds.



ENTERPRISE DAY

The children are looking forward to Thursday the 2nd of July, when our children will be selling their products to raise funds for their classes. Nursery children at 11am before picking up time. The Enterprise event for Reception to Year 6 will begin at 2.15pm where the PTA will be supplying refreshments that you can purchase.

APOLOGIES

Unfortunately, due to the extreme weather that we have recently experienced, a few events had to be cancelled. We do apologise for any upset or inconvenience that this has caused.

DYFFRYN AMAN TRANSITION INFORMATION

Transition Days – Thursday 2nd and Friday 3rd July (Pupils to attend Dyffryn Aman School). These days ensure that Year 6 pupils get a taste of secondary school life. They will meet their registration teachers and get involved in a variety of activities.

Pupils to travel on the Dyffryn Amman School bus. If you are where the nearest pickup point or time is for your child, please contact Dyffryn Aman directly.

FAMILY ENGAGEMENT

Lesley is continuing with her supporting role within the school in the next school year– please come along and join her if you have time to spare as these sessions give parents / carers an opportunity to chat and form positive relationships within the school community.

Family Engagement Activities

September - October 2026

	Wednesday	Thursday
AM	**Parent / Volunteer /Carer** **Gardening & Yard Maintenance session** Any help with maintaining the yard area to ensure it stays in the best condition possible for our children would be very much appreciated.	**Parent Coffee Hour** 8.45-9.45 **Parent & Baby Session** @Canolfan Maerdy 10-11am
PM	**Parent & Child Session** **Course Title TBC** Starting 16/9/26 for 5 weeks 1.15-3pm Run by Adult learning	**Parent Session** **Essential Skills Wales Qualification** English Maths ICT

If you would like to attend any of the above sessions please message or call Lesley on: 07484 986765.

Alternatively contact the School Office

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NEGES O'R COPS CYMREIG / A MESSAGE FROM COPS CYMREIG

Try out our new Welsh phrase:

Beth wyt ti'n hoffi chwarae? What do you like to play?

You need to be signed in to your Hwb account to access this.

Download and play 'Ap Y Mis' – have fun whilst learning Welsh

Ap Y Mis	
Gorffenaf - July	
Younger Learners	Older Learners
Meithrin – Blwyddyn 2/3	Blwyddyn 3/4 - 6
	
Cywion Bach	Guto Nyth Brân
https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.games.clothcat.cywionBach	https://www.gemau-o-gymru.co.uk/app/guto-nyth-bran/

LEAVERS ASSEMBLY

Our Year 6 Leavers' Assembly will take place on Thursday 16th July at 1:45pm. We would love you to join us in celebrating our brilliant children as they move on to comprehensive school—we are so proud of them and excited for what lies ahead. Refreshments will be available afterwards.

CLASSES FOR THE NEW ACADEMIC YEAR ARE:

Ms T Morris – Foundation Learners – Dosbarth Y Ddraig & Dosbarth Y Ddraig Bach
Mrs J Thomas – Year 3 and 4 - Dosbarth Llewellyn
Mrs K Field - Year 5 and 6 – Dosbarth Glyndwr

A FOND FAREWELL

I am writing to share some news regarding much-valued members of our school staff. After much consideration, Mr G Griffiths has decided to leave his role as school caretaker. While we are naturally sad to see him go, we fully support his decision and wish him well. A new caretaker will be appointed soon.
Please join us in thanking Mr Griffiths for his hard work and commitment, and in wishing him every success and happiness for the future.

We would also like to share our thanks and best wishes to Miss S Wallace, who will be leaving Tairgwaith Primary School as her contract comes to an end.
During her time with us, Miss Wallace has taken on the role of Foundation Learners Lead, providing valuable cover for Miss Morris, who will return to the post in September. She has been a wonderful addition to our school community, bringing enthusiasm, care and commitment to all that she has done.
Miss Wallace will be greatly missed by staff and pupils alike, and we are grateful for the positive impact she has had during her time with us.
We wish her every success and happiness in her future endeavours.

A WARM WELCOME

We are very pleased to welcome Mr Gary Cole as our new Head Teacher from September 2026. With his extensive experience and passion for education, we feel honoured to have him leading our school. We are excited for the future and the opportunities his leadership will bring for our pupils, staff, and wider community.

THANK YOU

As we come to the end of another school year, we would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to all our parents and guardians for your continued support and involvement throughout the year.
Our pupils have worked incredibly hard, showing great determination, creativity, and resilience. Their achievements – both big and small – are a credit to their effort and enthusiasm, and we are so proud of every one of them.
A special thank you must also go to our wonderful PTA, whose tireless fundraising has made a real difference to the experiences and opportunities we're able to offer our

children. Your generosity and commitment help bring our school community closer together, and we are truly grateful.
As we reflect on all we've accomplished together this year, we also prepare to say farewell to our Year 6 pupils. They leave us ready to take on the next exciting chapter of their journey in comprehensive school. We wish them every success and happiness for the future – they will always be part of our school family.
Thank you again for being such a vital part of our school community. We wish you all a restful and enjoyable summer break.

DATES FOR THE DIARY FOR THIS MONTH

Thursday 2nd: School Enterprise Day.
Thursday 2nd & Friday 3rd: Dyffryn Aman transition days.
Friday 3rd: Year 6 Prom.
Monday 6th: Year 6 leavers trip to Heatherton.
Friday 10th: Class 'Move-up Morning'.
Friday 10th: End of Year Reports out to parents / carers.
Monday 13th & Tuesday 14th: Parent consultation opportunity.
Thursday 16th: Year 6 Leavers assembly.
Friday 17th: Last day of the school year.
Monday 20th: INSET

SEPTEMBER

Tuesday 1st and Wednesday 2nd: Inset Days.
Thursday 3rd: Start of the new school year for pupils.

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'Paratoi pob plentyn am dyfodol gwell. / Preparing every child for a better future.'