



Annwyl Pawb

Tomorrow **Saturday 23rd April** is our **grand Family Spring Clean** of the school and grounds on. Do please come along even if you can only spend half an hour. There are all kinds of jobs to be done – a list is available on our school [website](#). Tea, coffee & squash available all day and free bacon butties for all volunteers at about noon. Please speak to Jackie Oliphant for more details: 01874 611862 or feel free to email me (judith@cradoc.powys.sch.uk).

Reminder that Class Photos are being taken next Wednesday, 27th April.

I am sure you will join me in wishing Miss Roberts a loud get well soon. She still sounds like Kevin and Perry and will not be in school next week. Mr A will continue to cover her class and Mrs Jones will be in Hazel Class on Friday next week.

Cofion/regards

Judith Morris

School Dinners - Week 3

Day	Main Meal	Vegetarian Option	Accompaniments
Monday	Ham & Cheese Pasta/Chilli & Rice	Veg & Cheese Pasta/ Quorn Chilli & Rice	Garlic Bread, Veg, Coleslaw
Tuesday	Chicken Curry/Chicken in Gravy	Veg Curry/Quorn in Gravy	Rice, Veg, Naan
Wednes	Roast Beef & Yorkshire	Lentil Bake	Mash & Roast Potato, Green beans & Carrots/Salad
Thursday	Sausage	Glamorgan Sausage	Mash/Pasta, Peas/beans
Friday	Fish finger/Fishcake,	Cheese & Onion Quiche	Chips/mash/pasta, beans/peas

Jacket potato, salad bar and puddings available daily.

Cornel Cymraeg / Welsh Corner

All of the words this time relate to our new menu.

GEIRFA (GUY R FA)	VOCAB
afal	apple
gellygen	pear
mefus	strawberries
oren	orange
grawnwin	grapes
afal pîn	pineapple
eirin	plums
lemwn	lemon
ceirios	cherries



A pronunciation guide can be found at <http://www.learn-welsh.net/welshvocabulary?topic=Fruit%20and%20veg&level=secondary> and at [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HHQhghNirr4http://www.learn-welsh.net/welshvocabulary?topic=Numbers%20-%20to%20100%20\(2\)&level=primary](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HHQhghNirr4http://www.learn-welsh.net/welshvocabulary?topic=Numbers%20-%20to%20100%20(2)&level=primary)

3@Cradoc

Mrs Davies is merrily taking bookings for 3@Cradoc for children to attend the setting in the afternoons.

If you would like to book afternoon sessions or extra hours, please speak to Mrs Davies.

As previously mentioned, places are now very **COOLKIDS** limited in CoolKids and it is absolutely vital that you pre-book in order to secure your child's place. Until now we have been able to accept children on the day but this will be much more difficult in future and will be dependent on places being available.

CoolKids is now taking bookings for the Summer holidays and places are filling up fast. They will be open daily from 8am to 6pm throughout the holiday, until Friday 26th August. To book a place for your child in the Summer holiday club or in Breakfast or After School club, please telephone 07914886648 or email coolkidscradoc@gmail.com.

Thanks for your understanding.

Jan Owen

Gold Awards Winners

Beech	Halle Riley	For neat handwriting when writing a list For being a polite and helpful member of the class
Elm	Alfred Deri	For listening well and contributing in discussion lessons For trying hard with his reading
Hazel	Rhys D and Rhodri	For their perseverance and Growth Mindset during a Maths lesson on Fractions
Lime	Chloe	For showing such a positive attitude during our practice maths tests
Oak	Lewis Cerys B	For the huge effort he made writing an amazing poem this week For amazing perseverance in her maths practise – excellent calculations

MATHS OF THE MONTH (APRIL) – identify the appropriate steps and information needed to complete the task or reach a solution

We set out below what a child is likely to be able to do in each year group. Please practice some of these with your child each week for this month. Thank you for your support.

YN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> complete a task requiring several steps
YR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practise ‘think aloud’ with an adult With support, represent the task or problem using pictures or concrete objects
Y1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choose to ‘think aloud’ as a strategy for making sense of a problem – for understanding what needs to be done Represent the task or problem using pictures or concrete objects and talk about the similarities in the different representations – how different specific aspects of the task are represented in alternative ways – does it help me know what to do? What does it show me?
Y2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choose to ‘think aloud’ as a strategy for making sense of a problem With support, identify ‘givens, goals and gaps’ – ‘what do they know?’, ‘what do they need to know?’, ‘how might they obtain that information?’
Y3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Talk about experiences (in a very wide range of everyday life and the pupil’s personal experiences) and knowledge that might be useful for the new problem Talk about how they will know when they have reached a solution
Y4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe and explain their decisions and solutions Suggest possible sources of data for an investigation
Y5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choose to use a classification task as part of a problem solving strategy Reflect on the original problem when explaining the solution reached
Y6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choose to use a classification task as part of a problem solving strategy With confidence, be able to justify their solution to a problem
Ext	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discuss how to tackle a substantial investigation or problem-solving task and formulate a simple plan

DIARY:

Monday April 25 JM@IV	Tuesday April 26	Wednesday April 27 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Class Photos Full Governor's meeting 	Thursday April 28 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 	Friday April 29 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 100 Club Draw Y1 & Y5 Swimming
Monday May 2 JM@ BANK HOLIDAY	Tuesday May 3 JM@C	Wednesday May 4 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welsh National Tests start 	Thursday May 5 JM@C: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 	Friday May 6 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y1 & Y5 Swimming
Monday May 9 JM@IV	Tuesday May 10 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welsh National Tests finish Counter terrorism training (JM & BR) 	Wednesday May 11 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> School Council Consultation at Ysgol-y-Bannau (JM & School Council) 	Thursday May 12 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 	Friday May 13 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y2 & Y6 Swimming Buddy Bench Biscuit Bakeoff
Monday May 16 JM@IV	Tuesday May 17 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Traffic awareness – Yr 5/6 	Wednesday May 18 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 	Thursday May 19 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trip to Cantref (FP) School Council Meeting (JM&EP) 	Friday May 20 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y2 & Y6 Swimming
Monday May 23 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y5&Y6 to Staylitttle 	Tuesday May 24 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y5&Y6 to Staylitttle 	Wednesday May 25 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y5&Y6 to Staylitttle 	Thursday May 26 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> KS2 trip to Hay Festival 	Friday May 27 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 100 Club Draw Y2 & Y6 Swimming
Monday May 30 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HALF TERM 	Tuesday May 31 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HALF TERM 	Wednesday June 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HALF TERM 	Thursday June 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HALF TERM 	Friday June 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HALF TERM
Monday June 6 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 	Tuesday June 7 JM@C	Wednesday June 8 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 	Thursday June 9 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grand Royal Birthday Party TBC? 	Friday June 10 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Heads Conference Y2 & Y6 Swimming
Monday June 13 JM@IV	Tuesday June 14 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y1 phonic reading check 3.30pm PTA 	Wednesday June 15 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y1 phonic reading check 	Thursday June 16 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> School Council Meeting (JM&EP) 	Friday June 17 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y2 & Y6 Swimming
Monday June 20 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> South Powys track & field championships for Y5/6 (BR). 	Tuesday June 21 JM@C	Wednesday June 22 JM@IV	Thursday June 23 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3.45/5pm Staff Meeting: 	Friday June 24 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 100 Club Draw Y2 & Y6 Swimming
Monday June 27 JM@IV	Tuesday June 28 JM@C	Wednesday June 29 JM@IV	Thursday June 30 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sports Day 	Friday July 1 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y2 & Y6 Swimming
Monday July 4 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BHS Y6 induction Day (1) 	Tuesday July 5 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pie Corbett Course @ Metropole (BP & CH) BHS Y6 induction Day (2) BHS Parent Induction 	Wednesday July 6 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 	Thursday July 7 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Summer Fayre 	Friday July 8 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y2 & Y6 Swimming
Monday July 11 JM@IV	Tuesday July 12 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 	Wednesday July 13 JM@IV	Thursday July 14 JM@C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> School Council Meeting (JM&EP) 	Friday July 15 JM@IV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 100 Club Draw Children break up