

Dyddiad: Friday 24th April 2026

# Ysgol Sant Ioan

## St. John the Baptist School

### Weekly School Newsletter



As we settle into the Summer Term, plenty of activities have been going on to enhance our pupils learning and experiences. Our Internet Cafe was a great chance for parents to find out about ways to protect their children and keep a look out for the exciting events the HSA have planned for the future. *by Mrs Tiryaki*

#### DYDD LLUN - 27TH APRIL 2026

NEWYDD WEEK 2

RECORDERS - WHOLE CLASS DOSBARTH 3

CLARINET, VIOLIN, AND PIANO LESSONS

#### DYDD MAWRTH - 28TH APRIL 2026

PC STUART IN ALL DAY

SWIMMING LESSONS FOR DOSBARTH 3 A 4  
JUNIORS TO WEAR THEIR PE KITS PLEASE  
OR YOUR TIE DYE T-SHIRT.

GUITAR LESSONS

DOSBARTH 1 A 2 - PE KITS OR TIE DYE T-SHIRT

#### DYDD MERCHER - 29TH APRIL 2026

#### DYDD IAU - 30TH APRIL 2026

CASTELL ALUN HEAD OF YEAR 7 TO SEE YEAR 6

YEAR 2 FOREST SCHOOL

CLWB NETBALL FOR YEARS 3 TO 6 UNTIL 4.15PM

#### DYDD GWENER - 1ST MAY 2026

### Upcoming Dates

WEDNESDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> AND  
THURSDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> MAY -  
YEAR 6 CYCLE CLWYD

FRIDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> MAY -  
SCHOOL CLOSSES  
FOR HALF TERM

MONDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> JUNE -  
SCHOOL REOPENS  
AFTER HALF TERM

FRIDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> JUNE -  
INSET DAY

WEDNESDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> JUNE OR  
WEDNESDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> JULY -  
SPORTS DAY

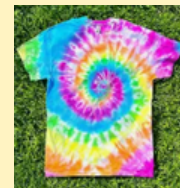
WEDNESDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> JUNE -  
CELEBRATION SERVICE  
6PM IN ST JOHN'S CHURCH  
(MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW)

### **Important !**

Please do not send toys in with your child as they are causing disruption in class.

### **Food Sharing**

Please remind your child that they are not to share food from their lunchbox or snack with other children.



If you participated in the HSA tie dye event please wear your t-shirt for your next PE session.



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## CRICKET TASTER SESSION

Dosbarth 4 were given the opportunity by Hawarden Cricket Club to take part in a taster session. They learnt and practised a range of cricket skills coached by several coaches including Rachel from Cricket Wales. It was a fantastic experience.



## Weekly Attendance

Dosbarth 2  
**96.2%**

Dosbarth 3  
**93.7%**

Dosbarth 4  
**96.2%**

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Dosbarth 1  
**98.7%**

## TRANSITION

The year 6 pupils enjoyed a great day at Castell Alun for the start of their transition to high school. They took part in art, PE and drama workshops and got to meet other pupils who will be starting at Castell Alun in September too.



Diolch for supporting the Book Fair. Your purchases have raised £167 for us to spend on books for school.

## Internet Cafe

Diolch to Mr Gocher and the Digital Leaders for holding a very informative internet cafe.

Parents were able to find out information about how to keep their children safe online and found the event really useful and enlightening.

We hope to hold another cafe in the Autumn Term!

Further information regarding internet safety will be sent out to all parents in the near future so keep an eye out for an email.



## A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A CELT!

Years 3, 4 and 5 had a fabulous time in our Celtic Warrior training camp on Wednesday.

They designed and defended their roundhouse before designing a warrior training camp. We also designed a symbol for the clan and had our own warrior war paint. The busy day ended with reflection and a story around the campfire.

Da iawn everyone.

You were fantastic Celtic warriors.

