14TH OF MARCH

Ysgol Treganna

Weekly Newsletter



This Week

Eisteddfod Cylch yr Urdd

Thank you to everyone who came to the Cylch Eisteddfod on Saturday. Thank you to all the parents and staff for your support. This year, for the first time, there were no auditions held at the school, and everyone had the opportunity to compete in the Eisteddfod. Over the past few weeks, the staff have been teaching the recitation and singing solos to everyone in the school to ensure that every pupil had the same opportunity. On Saturday, it was fantastic to see over 100 Treganna pupils taking part, with a large percentage of them competing for the first time. Huge congratulations to everyone, we are so proud of everyone's efforts! We had great success at the Eisteddfod, and Treganna pupils will be competing in the Year 2 and under solo, Year 2 and under recitation, Year 3 and 4 solo, Year 3 and 4 recitation, Year 5 and 6 solo, Year 5 and 6 recitation, Year 6 and under folk song, and Year 6 and under duet competitions at the Urdd County Eisteddfod. An amazing achievement! The Cân Actol, the vocal ensemble, the Cerdd Dant party, the Year 6 duet group, the Year 5 duet group, and the Cerdd Dant soloists will also be competing at the Urdd County Eisteddfod. All the results are on our Instagram account. Thank you once again to everyone for your support, and to the staff for providing all these opportunities for the pupils.

Urdd Dance Eisteddfod

Congratulations to everyone who competed last night at the Urdd County Dance Eisteddfod. Well done to Lefi (individual disco dance for years 6 and under), the Folk Dance groups for years 3 and 4, the Multi-media dance group, the Hip-hop dance group, Caio Jon, and Caio Ifan (individual step dance for boys in years 9 and under) for their fantastic performances! All the results are on our Instagram account. Congratulations to Caio Ifan for winning the individual step dance competition and to the Multi-media dance group for their win. Caio and the Multi-media dance group will now be competing at the Urdd National Eisteddfod in Margam during Whitsun. Thank you parents for your support and to the school staff for all their hard work. Thank you to the girls from Plasmawr for helping with the Multi-media group and to Dancefit for their support with the Hip-hop group.

Calendar



PTA disco 20/3/25

Urdd Eisteddfod Theatre Competitions 1/4/25

Urdd County Eisteddfod 5/4/25

School Eisteddfod

Congratulations to everyone who competed in our school eisteddfod yesterday. We had a lovely morning celebrating the results of the literature and art work school competitions. Thank you to the judges Mrs. Kate Melsom-John, Ms. Nia Morgan, Mr. Rhys Harries, and Ms. Mari Stevens. Thank you also to Mrs. Fflur Rowlands from Plamsawr School for attending our Eisteddfod. All the results from the Eisteddfod are on our Instagram page. The Eisteddfod trophy this year was awarded to Nel Roberts from Year 6 for writing a soliloquy as a soldier in World War II. According to the judge, "This piece grabs the reader from the first word. The author conveys an interesting story and very lively dialogue. Throughout, the character's feelings and emotions are prominently displayed. I'm confident you could write great scripts!"

Congratulations to Nel!

School Gates

Following advice from the county's Health and Safety officer, we will be closing the main school gates from 9:15 am to 3:10 pm every day.

We will trial this system for two weeks, and after that, we will review the situation with the Health and Safety officer.

Thank you very much for your cooperation.

PTA disco

The PTA will be organising an Easter disco on Thursday evening, March 20th. The Reception and Year 1 pupils' disco will be from 3:30 pm to 4:15 pm, the Year 2 and 3 pupils' disco from 4:30 pm to 5:15 pm, and the Year 4, 5, and 6 pupils' disco from 5:30 pm to 6:15 pm. Volunteers from the PTA and school staff will be looking after the children, so there is no need for parents to stay. Disco tickets are available to purchase on Parent Pay. Thank you to the PTA for all their hard work, and we look forward to the PTA events organised for this term.

Football

Congratulations to the school boys' football team for winning the 5-a-side tournament in Cardiff and the Vale, and the team will now progress to the next round. Thank you to the staff for coaching the pupils.

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Autism/ADHD Parent Forum

Thank you to all the parents who attended this morning, and to Elen Derrick for generously sharing her time and expertise with us. As a school we value the partnerships we build with you as parents – thank you!

Parent Workshop (with coffee and cake!).

Dr Luke Ryan, the school's Educational Psychologist, will be holding a parent workshop on Friday 4th of April at 9.15am on Emotion Coaching."*Emotion Coaching is helping children and young people to understand the different emotions they experience, why they occur, and how to deal with them.*" (Gottman, 1997)

The session will last approximately 45 minutes and will be presented through the medium of English. Everyone welcome, but please <u>click here to register your attendance.</u>

Makaton

As a school, we are introducing a Makaton sign each week. We encourage everyone in the school to practice and use the sign throughout the week. Thank you to the Nursery class pupils for showing us how to communicate via Makaton.



Language Pattern of the Week

Next week's language pattern

Ble es ti ddoe/ dros y penwythnos?(Where did you go yesterday/ over the weekend?) Es i... (I went to...)

Challenge

Beth yw dy wyliau delfrydol? (What is your ideal holiday?) Yn ddelfrydol, byddwn i'n hoffi.... (Ideally, I would like to...)

Discussion topic of the week

Dywedwch stori am ennill rhywbeth.(Tell a story about winning something.)

Song of the week Gwilym a Hana Lili - Cyn bo hir

Idiom of the week

Siarad trwy ei het (Talking nonsense)

