

Radnor Primary School Ysgol Gynradd Radnor

Newsletter 19

30th January 2026



Together we can do our best!

Be Ready

Be Respectful

Be Reliable

Be Responsible/Safe

Dates for your Diary 2025-2026

FEBRUARY

- Friday 6th February - National Wear Red Day to support children with heart conditions £1 donation.
- Friday 27th February – Eco Eisteddfod – children dress in traditional Welsh clothes/house colours
- **Monday 16th – Friday 20th February –HALF TERM**
- **Monday 23rd February Children return to school.**

MARCH:

- Thursday 5th March – World Book Day
- Monday 9th March to Wednesday 11th March – Y6 Residential to Llangrannog
- Thursday 19th March – 9:45am and 1:45pm Dosbarth Glas a Blwyddyn 5 Spring Term Performance
- Thursday 19th March – Radnor After School Clubs End
- Monday 23rd March and Wednesday 25th March – Parent/Carer Meetings
- **Monday 30th March to Friday 10th April – Half Term**



Llongyfarchiadau! – Congratulations

★★ Seren Y Wythos ★★

Dosbarth Enfys	Dosbarth Coch	Dosbarth Oren	Dosbarth Melyn	Dosbarth Gwyrdd	Dosbarth Glas	Dosbarth Indigo	Dosbarth Fioled
Heath	Arya	Leo	May	Matilda	Matilda	Wren	Teddy

★★ Siaradwr Cymraeg Yr Wythnos ★★

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Laci	Rose	Harris	Nia	Gianella	Fraser	Louie	Mario



This week's Headteacher's Heroes are:

Miss Wainwright and Mr Morgan

For presenting at the Cardiff ALN Conference on Tuesday about the amazing work we do to support the development of relationships and regulation at Radnor.

The workshop was full and we have received fantastic feedback on our work around inclusive environments, trauma informed awareness and zones of regulation through Zoom or Zen.



Estyn Interim Visit Letter

The summary of our feedback from Estyn was published yesterday and has been shared with all our families via class dojo or email.

We are extremely proud of the letter and the recognition of the progress made since the last inspection.

Punctuality – Being in school on time!

For the children, being in school on time provides a GREAT START to the day, putting your child in a positive frame of mind to make the most of the day's learning and activities. It helps your child make friends which leads to improved self-confidence and therefore SUCCESS. It sets your child up for their future – whether it is college, work or university, they could lose their place or lose their job if they think it is ok to be late!

Unfortunately, this is an area we need to improve. Since September 2025, we have 720 late marks recorded on our registers with 119 late marks recorded since our return to school in January.

I would really appreciate your support in addressing this and reducing these figures.

Please remember, the school gates open at 8:45am and closes at 8:55am to enable school to start smoothly; if you arrive after this time and come in via the smaller gate, your child will be marked late.

Please ensure your child arrives to school by 8:55am

Parking Outside the School

On Tuesday, our local PCSOs were present outside the gates and requested for the school to provide further correspondence regarding parking. The concerns area round parking during drop-off and pick-up times. In particular, cars stopping on corners, on the yellow zig-zag markings, and on double yellow lines are creating significant safety risks.

Parking in these areas reduces visibility, creates blind spots for pedestrians, and removes safe crossing points for children and adults. To support the safety of everyone in our school community, we kindly ask all parents and carers to plan their journeys so they have enough time to park safely and legally.

The officers also informed us that there has recently been a theft from a car during drop-off time. We therefore urge you to stay vigilant and avoid leaving your vehicle unlocked or unattended.

Thank you for working with us to keep all our children safe on their way to and from school.

Job Opportunity in the Education Catering Department

Cardiff Council are looking to recruit within the Education Catering Department – a Mobile Cook and Development Officer to work in our school kitchens to help cover absence, but also to help with development of the teams if this is needed.

If you would like to find out more about this opportunity, please click the link below:

[MOBILE COOK & DEVELOPMENT OFFICER](#)



2026 February Half Term Youth Activities Llanover Hall Arts Centre



Tuesday 17th February

- 10-12pm Science Lab (8yrs+)
- 10-12pm Clay Club: Ceramic Pencil Pots (8yrs+)
- 10-12pm Felt and Stitch Workshop (5-8yrs)
- 1-3pm Little Potters: Clay Animals (5-8yrs)
- 1-3pm Surprise Pop Up Boxes (5-8yrs)
- 1-3pm Sew a Gift Bag or Purse (8yrs+)



Wednesday 18th February

- 10-12pm Wax and Wash Art 5-8yrs
- 10-12pm Clay Club: Dragontastic 8yrs+
- 10-12pm Hand Dyed T Shirts (5-8yrs -Please bring a 100%



Cotton pastel or plain white t shirt (pre-washed or pre-used) in your size. (The tutor will have a few in limited sizes £3.00 in cash only)

- 1-3pm Little Potters: Daffodil Plaques (5-8yrs)
- 1-3pm Screen Printed T Shirts (8yrs+) Please bring a 100% cotton pastel or plain white t shirt (pre-washed or pre-used) in your size. (The tutor will have a few in limited sizes £3.00 in cash only)



Thursday 19th February

- 10-12pm Collage Owls 5-8yrs
- 10-12pm Little Artists: Painting - "Our Nature Awakening" (5-8yrs)
- 10-12pm Clay Club: Botanical Pottery (8yrs+)
- 10-12pm Batik Art (8yrs+)
- 1-3pm Changing Scenes (5-8yrs)
- 1-3pm Safari Sketching and Painting (8yrs+)
- 1-3pm Little Potters Pet Pots (5-8yrs)



Let's Act presents ... Escape Room!
Suitable for children 8-12yrs
17th-19th February
10am-3pm

Taking inspiration from the book 'Escape Room' by Christopher Edge the Let's Act group will create, rehearse and then perform an exciting new play on the final day for friends and family right her in our theatre!

Children on all 2 hour sessions will require adult supervision if they stay during the lunchtime

*Please note we are unable to enrol any children under 5 years old.

Arts & Crafts Sessions 2 hours £10.00
Little Potters & Clay Club 2 hours £11.00
Let's Act Presents course £66.00 for 3 days
Call now to book your place: 029 2087 2030

www.adultlearningcardiff.co.uk

We reserve the right to cancel at any time where there are insufficient numbers to run the workshops.



LITTLE KEYPERS

February Holiday Scheme 2026

Games & activities all day every day

Monday 16th February to Friday 20th February

We are open from 8.30am to 5.30pm

Parachute games
Indoor Den Building
Pancake Station
Craft & Building
Scooter Course
Cooking Tournament Day

Caters for children in reception to Year 6

The Holiday Scheme is held at Pontcanna Scout Base CF11 9HX.

For Bookings & more details please email littlekeepers@hotmail.co.uk