

# Radnor Primary School Ysgol Gynradd Radnor

## Newsletter 31

### 15<sup>th</sup> May 2026



**Together we can do our best!**

Be Ready

Be Respectful

Be Reliable

Be Responsible/Safe

### Dates for your Diary 2025-2026



#### MAY

- Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – Y3-Y6 Personalised assessments
- Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – Bike Bus
- Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May – HALF TERM**

#### JUNE

- Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June - Children return to school**
- Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June – Sports Day at Thompson Park – KS2 am and FP pm.
- Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June to Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June– Y2 Personalised assessments
- Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June – Bike Bus
- Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June – Bike Bus
- Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June – INSET Day 5 – School closed for children**

#### JULY

- Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July – Reserve Sports Day at Thompson Park – KS2 am and FP pm.
- Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July – Radnor After School Clubs End
- Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July – Bike Bus
- Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July – 1:30pm Year 6 Leavers Performance
- Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July – INSET Day 6 – School closed for children**

### New Date for the Diary – Y4 Swimming

Swimming is an important life skill and is a vital element of our curriculum offer at Radnor. From **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June until Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June**, the children in Year 4 will attend swimming lessons in Howells School during the mornings. These lessons will be delivered by Sink or Swim School.

Please note that the lessons are part of the curriculum, so we encourage all children to take part, if you have any concerns please speak to Mr Morgan or Mrs Williams.

If any parents are available to walk to the pool with us. Please let your child's teacher/the school office know as soon as possible.



### Llongyfarchiadau! – Congratulations

#### ★★ Seren Y Wythnos ★★

Dosbarth Enfys	Dosbarth Coch	Dosbarth Oren	Dosbarth Melyn	Dosbarth Gwyrdd	Dosbarth Glas	Dosbarth Indigo	Dosbarth Fioled
Gwennie	Lincoln	Theo	Aizah	Greyson	Fliss	Peter	Olly

#### ★★ Siaradwr Cymraeg Yr Wythnos ★★

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Robin	Emlyn	Sophie	May	Omid	Rens	Emily H	Jac

## Specialist Resource Base (SRB) Update - May 2026

The contractors who are completing the works on the Radnor Fach building in preparation for the opening of the SRB in September, have secured their compound.

This has been set up to ensure everyone is kept safe whilst the work is undertaken. I have spoken to the children this week about the changes made to the playground and I am liaising closely with the contractors to try to limit any disruption.



If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

## Radnor News and Celebrations



We are absolutely thrilled to share some incredible news with you all!

### **Radnor has come first in Wales in our category in the Big Walk and Wheel 2026!**

During the two week competition, our school community showed an amazing commitment to active travel. We saw a continued surge in pupils (and parents!) walking, wheeling, scooting and cycling to school. Your combined efforts have not only helped us win this prestigious title but have also made our journeys to school healthier, greener, and more fun.

This is a fantastic achievement, and we are so proud of everyone's participation and enthusiasm.

Thank you all for your support and for again making Radnor Primary School a leading example of active travel in Wales.

**Let's keep on walking and wheeling!**

# Arddangosfa'r Wythnos – Dosbarth Melyn a Gwyrdd



## Power of Performance

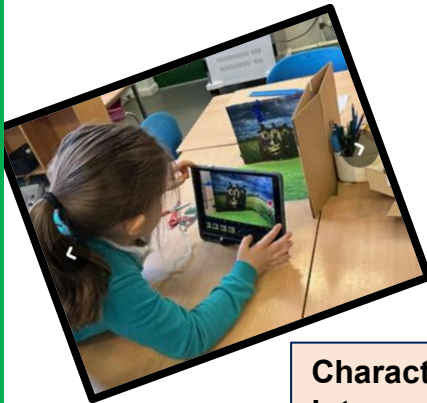
Our curriculum focus for the first half of the summer term is:

### The Power of Performance

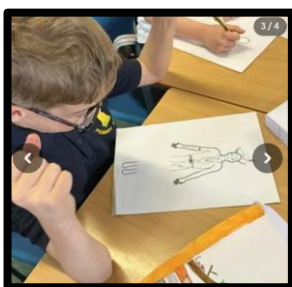
Dosbarth Gwyrdd and Melyn are having a solar-powered Summer term so far, featuring a residential trip, a Tempest rap and outdoor learning in the park. Find out more below!

## Costume Design for The Tempest

*'Double, double toil and trouble...'* was no trouble for our Stop-Motion animators in Year 3 who, with the help of Dosbarth Glas, created this famous scene from Shakespeare's murderous Macbeth.



**Character Designs-** We had fun drawing our own interpretations of Caliban and Ariel from *The Tempest*.



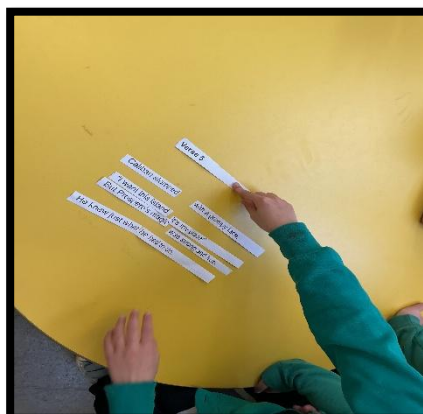
We created our own model sets.



Eco Eisteddfod Fashion Show extravaganza!  
We made some fabulous outfits, all from recycled clothing.



We haven't wasted any time showcasing the poetry, rhythm and rapping credentials of our Canton Crew - summoning storms to crash down upon our imagined enemies.



Our Year Four pupils explored the coast and faced their fears in and around the ground of St Donat's Castle at their Atlantic College residential.



We took The Tempest to Thompson's Park! Dosbarth Melyn had a fabulous time creating maps of Prospero's island using natural materials.



Here we are, running rings around our Place Value Practical Maths problems.





# Llanover Hall Arts Centre Children's May Half Term Activities 2026



## Wednesday 27th May

- 10am-12pm Mixed Craft Celebration Cards (8yrs+)
- 10am-12pm Block Printed T Shirts (5-8yrs) \*Bring your own prewashed cotton t-shirt.
- 10am-12pm Clay Club: Throwing and Making (8yrs+)
- 1pm-3pm Screen Printed T-Shirts (8yrs+) \*Bring your own prewashed cotton t-shirt.
- 1pm-3pm Little Potters: Animal Pinch Pots (5-8yrs)
- 1pm-3pm Pegboard Printers (5-8yrs)

## Thursday 28th May

- 10am-12pm Clay Club: Owl Workshop (8yrs+)
- 10am-12pm Little Artists: "May Spring Holiday Fun" Painting (5-8yrs)
- 10am-12pm Stick and Sew Felt Pictures and Bags (5-8yrs)
- 1pm-3pm Little Potters: Hedgehog Workshop (5-8yrs)
- 1pm-3pm Paper Kites (5-8yrs)
- 1pm-3pm Embossed Art and Keepsake Creations (8yrs+)



## Drama Days

Wednesday 27th, Thursday 28th & Friday 29th May 10am-3pm Ages 8-12yrs

Three days jam-packed full of exciting drama games and fun improvisation, character building, devising brand-new scenes and much more - all in our theatre!

Join up for 1, 2 or all 3 days!



## Friday 29th May

- 10am-12pm Science Lab (8yrs+)
- 10am-12pm Little Potters: Animal Magic Pottery Boxes (5-8yrs)
- 10am-12pm 3D Art and Watercolour Workshop (8yrs+)
- 1pm-3pm Clay Club: Cactus Creations (8yrs+)
- 1pm-3pm Games Workshop : Craft (5-8yrs)



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

Refunds are subject to a minimum of 24 hours' notice before the course begins.

£10.00 per 2 hour art and crafts session  
£11.00 per 2 hour session Clay Club and Little Potters  
Drama Days £22 per Day  
Book by Phone  
029 20872030  
[www.adultlearningcardiff.co.uk](http://www.adultlearningcardiff.co.uk)

Our Kitchen Café and Tuckshop will be open throughout the scheme .



Held at Pontcanna Scout Base

**LITTLE KEYPERS**  
2026

Open 8.30am - 5.30pm

**May**

**Holiday Scheme Fun**

We are open Tues 26<sup>th</sup> - Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May

Ages 4-12 years

A fun filled week of activities:  
Team day Challenges  
Little Keepers Cafe  
Milkshake bar  
Den Building

Craft & Cooking

For Bookings & more details please email [littlekeepers@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:littlekeepers@hotmail.co.uk)