

# Newyddion Cwmfelin News

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Autumn Term 2  
2025



## *From the Head...*

We have finally reached the end of the Autumn Term and what a busy couple of weeks it has been! The children have worked so hard to put on fantastic Christmas performances and I am so proud of their achievements - they are all superstars! As well as Christmas concerts, Classes 1 - 6 enjoyed watching Rapunzel at Maesteg Town Hall and Nursery/Reception visited Wiggles Farm to see Father Christmas. We were also lucky enough to receive a visit from Santa on Monday where he issued selection boxes to all pupils. We had Christmas dinner and everyone looked very festive in their Christmas hats! Thank you to our PTA for donating crisps, squash and cakes for our class parties on Thursday, the children had a super time in the disco - what a very busy final week of term! They are so excited for the Christmas holidays and are looking forward to a wonderful break with family and friends.

As we come to the end of this term, we would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to all parents and carers for your continued support. Your encouragement and involvement make a huge difference to our school community. We look forward to welcoming everyone back in January as we continue our exciting learning journeys together.

On behalf of all the staff, I would like to thank you all for your kind gifts, cards and Christmas messages which are very appreciated.  
Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and a happy, healthy New Year.  
Nadolig Llawn a Blwyddyn Newydd Dda i chi gyd.



Cofion gorau / Best wishes  
Mrs Edwards



## *A Huge Thank You!*

We would like to thank all parents and carers for your generous donations on Thursday, 11th December, when we took part in Christmas Jumper Day. Thanks to your support, we raised an amazing £167.50 for Save the Children.

We also appreciate your contributions to the collection at St Michael's Church following our Junior Nativity. The wardens were delighted that over £220 was donated, which will go towards new heaters for the church.

Your kindness helps make a real difference, and we are proud to be part of such a caring school community.

## Christmas Tree Festival

On Thursday 11th December, our school choir had the privilege of attending the Christmas Tree Festival at St Michael's Church. They sang beautifully and received many compliments on their performance—well done to all the boys and girls for making it such a special morning!

During the visit, we viewed the Christmas trees on show, as well as our Cwmfelin tree. We also listened to Reverend Lisa share the Christingle story, which was a lovely reminder of the meaning behind this festive tradition. A big thank you to all parents and family members who came along to support and enjoy the occasion with us.



## Cwmfelin Credits

Our Cioŷg Cwmfelin opened this morning for the children to spend the tokens they have earned during the Autumn Term. For every 10 credits they are awarded for good work and behaviour, they are given 1 star token to spend in the Cioŷg and the shop was very busy! The children also cashed in their tokens for a movie afternoon which they thoroughly enjoyed. A huge thank you to Emilia, Cerys and Nevaeh, our Admin Assistants for running the shop so efficiently. After counting all our house points, Ty Melyn are in the lead with 117 points.

Well done to everyone for working so hard, your rewards are thoroughly deserved.



## Diary dates

Event	Date
<b>SPRING TERM 2026</b>	
School closed - INSET day	Monday 5th January
First day for pupils	Tuesday 6th January
Young Voices trip - Birmingham World Resort Centre	Monday 12th January
Class 6 Level 1 cycling proficiency	Tuesday 20th January Wednesday 21st January
Internet safety workshops - pupils & parents in Classes 5 & 6	Monday 9th February
Class 6 visit to Maesteg School to watch Oliver!	Monday 9th February
Safer Internet day	Tuesday 10th February
<b>HALF TERM - Monday 16th - Friday 20th February</b>	
St David's Day Eisteddfod	Monday 2nd March
World Book Day	Thursday 5th March
Easter Bonnet parade	Tuesday 24th March 2pm
End of Spring term	Friday 27th March
<b>EASTER HOLIDAYS - MONDAY 30TH MARCH - FRIDAY 10TH APRIL</b>	
<b>SUMMER TERM 2026</b>	
First day for pupils	Monday 13th April
Intensive swimming - Classes 3 & 4	Monday 20th April - Friday 24th April
Parent consultation evenings	Wednesday 22nd / Thursday 23rd April
School closed - May Day Bank Holiday	Monday 4th May
Sports day - Early Years (am) / Years 1 - 6 (pm) *weather permitting	Wednesday 20th May
Sports day - reserve date 1	Thursday 21st May
Sports day - reserve date 2	Friday 22nd May
<b>HALF TERM Monday 25th - Friday 29th May</b>	
First day for pupils	Monday 1st June
Manor Adventure (Year 6 only)	Wednesday 17th - Friday 19th June
Class 6 transition days at Maesteg School	w/c Monday
Leavers assembly	Thursday 9th July
Last day of term	Friday 17th July
School Closed - INSET DAY	Monday 20th July