



Learn, Live, Believe

St Bernadette's Catholic Primary School
Ysgol Gynradd Gatholig Santes Bernadette
We are a Christ centred community reaching out to others. We learn, grow and celebrate together.

Weekly Newsletter

26th Mehefin 2026

News from Mrs Williams:

Well, it has certainly been an interesting week!

- ♦ In all my years of teaching, I have never known schools to close due to heat. Yesterday at 7:30am, some of our classrooms were already recording temperatures of 29°C—and that was without children and staff in school. This is why the decision was made to close for the day, with the safety and wellbeing of everyone in mind.
- ♦ While we all enjoy the sunshine, please ensure that if it continues, the children come to school prepared with appropriate protection, including sun hats, sunscreen, and their water bottles.
- ♦ At present, it has not been possible to find a replacement date for Sports Day due to the number of commitments and events already scheduled for different classes between now and the end of term. If we are able to secure an alternative date, we will let you know as soon as possible.
- ♦ We are all very excitedly preparing for our Summer fete, this Wednesday 1st July 3:30 -4:30 pm. Please remember that children need to be accompanied by an adult. We hope to see as many people there as possible and that the sun shines for the day—although perhaps not quite as hot as it has been recently!
- ♦ Please look out for your child's end-of-year report. We are aiming to send these out to parents electronically by the end of next week. Please remember to complete the response form with your child(ren), as this helps us to continue to improve.

Summer Fair – Wednesday 1st July, 3.30–4.30pm

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are delighted to let you know that our Summer Fair will take place on **Wednesday 1st July from 3.30–4.30pm.**

As part of the event, we will be holding both a **raffle** and a **bottle tombola**, and we are kindly asking for donations to support these stalls.

Raffle prize donations could include **vouchers, toiletries, chocolates, or other small gifts.**

For the bottle tombola, we welcome donations of **bottles of alcohol, soft drinks, shampoo, deodorant**, or any other bottled items. All donations can be sent directly to the **school office.**

Thank you for your continued support — it really helps make the event a success.



Start Sunday at junior parkrun!



NIAC junior parkrun

junior parkrun is a free, fun, friendly, weekly community event organised by volunteers of all ages for children aged 4 to 14 and their families.

Grown ups are welcome to join in too!

Starting from the outdoor athletics track

9:00am start, join the warm-up at 8:45am!

Address: Cardiff Met University, Cyncoed Campus, CF23 6XD



**Register for free - scan the
QR code to sign up today**

junior parkrun

Health & Wellbeing Fortnight

This week we kicked off our Health and Wellbeing week with a World Cup Opening Ceremony. Our focus for the fortnight is based around 3 themes.



Play – Everyone has the right to participate

Respect – Everyone deserves Fairness and Dignity

Belong – Everyone should feel included and valued



We are using the World Cup as a source of inspiration for our learning this fortnight. Each class has been assigned a World Cup team to support and learn about. The children have also had the opportunity to share what they would like to learn, and their ideas include: writing match reports and creating podcast episodes, designing and

choreographing football celebrations, training like a footballer, researching the team they are supporting and learning about its culture, and creating player fact files.

This fortnight will also provide opportunities to develop teamwork skills, learn how to manage our emotions when things do not go our way in sport, discuss stereotypes in sport, build resilience, understand how to keep our bodies fit and healthy, and demonstrate good sportsmanship.

During our opening ceremony, each class participated in a range of activities, including football skills challenges, football games, teamwork tasks, a fitness session, dance choreography inspired by the World Cup song, a Parkrun taster event, and learning experiences designed to promote understanding of diversity and inclusion in sport.



Remember – Sport is for Everyone!



Seren Yr Ythnos

Nursery - Hezeikh –For having such a big smile and being so happy when coming into the Nursery each day

Reception – Eliva - Eliva has really impressed us with how hard she has been working on her writing and reading in school and at home. She tries very hard to sound out new words in her writing and can always be relied on to try her best. Da iawn Eliva!

Year 1 – Bryan—A brilliant effort in his story writing—excellent work Bryan we are very proud of you!

Year 2 – Nile—for working hard in everything especially his Maths and for being kind and caring to everyone around him

Year 3 – Petra—Petra has shown an excellent understanding of adding money in Maths and is a delight to have in class

Year 4 – Ella- Well done to Ella, who has shown fantastic enthusiasm towards her learning this week. Her handwriting and presentation have been a real delight. Keep up the great work. Da iawn, Ella!

Year 5 – Daniel P - Daniel P has fully immersed himself in every task of our Health and Wellbeing fortnight, particularly enjoying locating World Cup countries on a world map. He has also impressed us with his thoughtful job advert for a positive role model in football.

Year 6– Tiago—Excellent behaviour— a true role model during our transition day at Corpus Christi



MEET YOUR INSTRUMENT DAY

A CHANCE TO TRY OUT
YOUR NEW INSTRUMENT
- FOR FREE!

CHOOSE YOUR INSTRUMENT AND SIGN UP

*Bassoon, Cello, Clarinet, Cornet,
Flute, Oboe, Recorder, Trombone,
Trumpet, Viola, Violin*



- Whitchurch High School, Lower School Site
- Thursday 2nd July 4.15-5.15pm

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