



Newyddion Josef Sant St Joseph's News



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19th May 2025



% Attendance – whole school – 94.7% TARGET 94%						
Week ending- 16 th May 2025						
Rec	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
94.7%	95.8%	95%	94.8%	95.5%	95.1%	92.4%

5th Sunday of Easter Year C- John 8:1-11

Important Information

On Tuesday 20th May we will be having a new phone system fitted, so we will not be contactable by phone. If you need to get in touch, please email the school (address is at the top of the newsletter) or contact us through Parentmail. We will let you know the new phone number as soon as we have it.

Home time

There are an increasing number of children on the playground on the astroturf after collection time. Please be aware that staff lock the gates at the end of the day and have a number of duties after school and are unable to wait for your children to finish playing. Please could you leave the yard after you have collected your children? Thank you.

Gilwern Trip

They had a wonderful time and we are proud to say, they were a credit to you, their parents and the school. It was a trip they will remember for years to come.

Have a lovely half term break!

Welsh Phrase of the week is back!

Rwy'n dy garu di.
I love you



Recipe of the week

Dear Parents,

Here is our Healthy Schools Parliament Group Recipe for this week. It's Alex's Mediterranean Vegetable Toasted Cheese Sandwich.

Ingredients

1 red onion - peeled and cut into 1cm slices
1 pepper - deseeded and cut into chunks
1 small courgette - cut into slices
1 /2 teaspoon garlic granules (or 1 clove)
1 /2 teaspoon mixed herbs
1 teaspoon vegetable oil
4 slices brown bread
2 teaspoons vegetable oil
2 teaspoons pesto
40g reduced fat cheddar cheese – grated

Method

Prepare the vegetables and place into the mixing bowl.

Add the garlic, herbs and oil and mix together. Transfer the vegetables to a baking tray and cook under a preheated grill (low/medium heat) for 8-10 minutes until softened and slightly charred on the edges.

Place 2 slices of bread onto the chopping board and brush with a little oil.

Turn the bread over (so that the oiled side is down on the board) and spread 1 teaspoon pesto over each slice of bread.

Arrange the roasted vegetables on the bread and sprinkle over the cheese. Finally add another slice of bread on top and lightly brush with oil.

To cook, heat a large non-stick frying pan over a medium heat. Once hot, add the sandwiches and cook for 3-4 minutes on each side until the bread is golden brown and the cheese has started to melt inside the sandwich.

Serve the sandwich with a delicious fresh salad

Training Days – school closed to children

27th June 2025

21st July 2025

Bank Holiday

Please check the calendar regularly as items are added weekly – we would not like you to miss anything.

Calendar Dates	
Thurs 1st – Thurs 22nd May	St Dwynwen - Y2 -County in the Community
Thurs 1st – Thurs 22nd May	St George -Y6 Forest Schools
WB 19th May	Science Week – whole school
Weds 21st May	St Carlo – YR- 2.30pm- Service for Mary, Jesus' mother, parents welcome
Mon 26th - Fri 30th May	HALF TERM
Mon 2nd June	St Francis Y3 -Trip to Caerleon
Weds 4th June	Caffi Cymraeg – Criw Cymraeg lead- families join us
Thurs 5th June	St Cecilia – Y4 -2.45pm -Class assembly –parents invited
Thurs 5th – Thurs 26th June	St Peter Y1 – County in the Community
Fri 6th and Fri 13th June	St Peter Y1- Forest Schools
Fri 6th June	YR St Carlo– Noah's Ark Zoo Farm trip
Mon 9th and 16th June	Expressive Arts week 1&2
Weds 11th June	St Dwynwen – Y2 -2.45pm Class assembly parents invited
Weds 11th June	St Peter Y1 – trip to Bristol Zoo Project
Thurs 3rd – Thurs 17th July	St Carlo YR – County in the Community
Tues 17th June	Year group photos
Mon 23rd June	Dolman Theatre Extravaganza – more details to follow
Thurs 26th June	Ordinary Clothes day – collecting for SVP – see ParentPay
Fri 27th June	Inset Day – school closed to children
Thurs 3rd and Fri 4th July	St George – Y6 Transition Days at SJHS
Tues 8th July	2pm - Year 5&6 Summer production
Weds 9th July	2pm Year 5&6 Summer production
Fri 11th July	Ss Cecilia and Veronica Y4 &5 trip - Techniquet
Fri 11th July	St George -Y6 trip to Twmbarlwm
Tues 15th July	St George -Y6 Leavers assembly – 2pm -parents invited
Fri 18th July	Last day of school for children
Mon 21st July	Inset Day – school closed to children