

PEN Y MYNYDD



Dy ro dy law i mi ac fe awn i ben y mynydd!



Profiad bythgofiadwy Taith De Affrica

Roedd y daith i Dde Affrica yn brofiad bythgofiadwy, yn llawn cyfleoedd addysgol, chwaraeon a chymdeithasol gwerthfawr. Cafwyd y cyfle i chwarae pêl-droed a rygbi yn erbyn timau lleol, gan greu atgofion arbennig. Ymwelais ag Ynys Robben i ddysgu am fywyd Nelson Mandela a hanes apartheid, tra hefyd yn cyfrannu at waith Sefydliad Winnie Mabaso drwy gefnogi plant llai ffodus. Ymhlith uchafbwyntiau'r daith roedd dysgu syrffio, gwyllo rownd derfynol Cwpan y Byd, a mynd ar saffari i weld bywyd gwylt yn ei gynefin naturiol. Roedd hefyd yn gyfle gwych i wneud ffrindiau newydd a datblygu perthnasoedd gyda disgyblion eraill.

An unforgettable South Africa experience

The trip to South Africa was an unforgettable experience, full of valuable educational, sporting, and social opportunities. We had the chance to play football and rugby against local teams, creating special memories along the way. We visited Robben Island to learn about Nelson Mandela's life and the history of apartheid, while also contributing to the work of the Winnie Mabaso Foundation by supporting less fortunate children. Highlights of the trip included learning to surf, watching the World Cup Final abroad, and going on safari to see wildlife in its natural habitat. It was also a wonderful opportunity to make new friends and build stronger relationships with other pupils.

Rhys Lewis, Blwyddyn 12 | Year 12



Newyddion o'r 6ed - Prif ddisgyblion a Swyddogion Bl 13

Llongyfarchiadau mawr iawn i Seren Bowen a Iosi Russell ar gael eu hethol yn Brif ddisgyblion yr ysgol ar gyfer y flwyddyn hon. Yn ymuno â Seren a Iosi bydd Gwen Norton, Elan Roberts a Finley Shaw fel Dirprwy Brif Ddisgyblion. Bydd y 5 yn arwain tîm cryf o swyddogion Blwyddyn 13 yn ogystal â phwyllgorau'r disgyblion – Cymreictod, Cydraddoldeb, Ysgol Isaf, Eco ac Elusennol. Edrychwn ymlaen at weithio gyda nhw i gyd.

News from the Sixth Form - Head Prefects and Year 13 prefects

Congratulations to Seren Bowen and Iosi Russell on being elected as the school's Head Pupils for this academic year. Joining Seren and Iosi as Deputy Head Pupils will be Gwen Norton, Elan Roberts and Finley Shaw. The five students will lead a strong team of Year 13 prefects, as well as the pupil committees for Welshness, Equality, Lower School, Eco and Charity. We look forward to working with them all throughout the year.



De Affrica

Bydd y daith ysgol i Dde Affrica yn aros yn atgof gwerthfawr am byth. Dechreuodd ein hantur yn Cape Town, dinas syfrdanol gyda mynyddoedd, traethau a golygfeydd arbennig. Cawsom gyfle i chwarae rygbi a phêl-droed yn erbyn timau lleol, gwneud ffrindiau newydd a mwynhau profiadau unigryw fel syrffio. Yna teithion ni i Johannesburg, lle chwaraeom ragor o gemau, ymweld ag amddifadfa ac Amgueddfa Apartheid, gan ddyfnhau ein dealltwriaeth o hanes y wlad. Roedd pob diwrnod yn llawn gweithgareddau, hwyl a chyfeillgarwch. Daeth y daith â ni'n agosach fel grŵp a chreu atgofion oes. Diolch o galon i Mr Evans a'r staff am drefnu profiad mor arbennig.

South Africa

The school trip to South Africa will remain a treasured memory forever. Our adventure began in Cape Town, a stunning city surrounded by magnificent mountains, beautiful beaches, and breathtaking scenery. We had the opportunity to play rugby and football against local teams, make new friends, and enjoy unique experiences such as surfing. We then travelled to Johannesburg, where we played more matches and visited an orphanage and the Apartheid Museum, deepening our understanding of the country's history. Every day was filled with activities, fun, and friendship. The trip brought us closer together as a group and created memories that will last a lifetime. Heartfelt thanks to Mr Evans and all the staff for organising such a special experience.

Iosi Russell, Blwyddyn 13 | Year 13



Llwyddiant Safon Uwch

Yn dilyn adroddiad Estyn rhagorol ym mis Mehefin, mae Ysgol Gymraeg Bro Morgannwg yn dathlu'r canlyniadau Safon Uwch gorau yn ei hanes. Mae'r llwyddiant hwn yn adlewyrchu gwaith caled y disgyblion, ymroddiad y staff a'r diwylliant cadarnhaol sy'n hyrwyddo uchelgais a chyrhaeddiad. Enillodd 98% o'r disgyblion dair gradd A*-E, gyda 82% o'r holl raddau yn A*-C a thraean yn A*-A. Cyflawnodd un o bob pump dair gradd A*-A, tra enillodd dros chwarter y cohort ddwy radd A*-A neu fwy. Roedd canlyniadau'r Fagloriaeth Gymreig hefyd yn arbennig o gryf, gyda 30% yn sicrhau graddau A*-A. Mewn Mathemateg Safon Uwch, cafodd 73% o'r 37 disgybl a safodd y pwnc radd A* neu A. Mae'r ysgol yn diolch i rieni, gofawyr a'r gymuned am eu cefnogaeth barhaus. Llonyfarchiadau arbennig i dri disgybl sydd wedi sicrhau lleoedd ym Mhrifysgol Rhydychen neu Gaergrawnt, ac i Wil Thomas, sydd wedi dewis astudio Cyfrifiadureg ym Mhrifysgol Stanford.

A Level success

Following an excellent Estyn report in June, Ysgol Gymraeg Bro Morgannwg is celebrating the best A Level results in its history. This success reflects the hard work of students, the dedication of staff, and a positive culture that promotes ambition and achievement. A total of 98% of students achieved three A-E grades*, with 82% of all grades awarded at A-C* and one third at A-A*. One in five students achieved three A-A grades, while more than a quarter of the cohort gained two A-A grades or more.

Results in the Welsh Baccalaureate were also particularly strong, with 30% achieving A-A grades. In A Level Mathematics, 73% of the 37 students entered for the subject achieved an A or A grade. The school would like to thank parents, carers and the wider community for their continued support.

Special congratulations go to three students who have secured places at the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge, and to Wil Thomas, who has chosen to study Computer Science at Stanford University.



Llwyddiant TGAU

Llongyfarchiadau mawr i ddisgyblion Blwyddyn 11 ar eu canlyniadau TGAU rhagorol, a oedd yn rhagori ar safonau uchel Haf 2025. Sicraodd 81% o ddisgyblion o leiaf bum gradd A*-C, gyda 30 o ddisgyblion yn ennill deg gradd A*-A neu fwy. Enillodd 29% bum gradd A*-A, tra derbyniodd 22% A* mewn Mathemateg. Roedd dros dri chwarter y flwyddyn wedi sicrhau graddau A*-C yn y pynciau craidd. Dywedodd y Pennaeth, Rhys Angell Jones, fod y canlyniadau'n adlewyrchu gwaith caled, ymroddiad a dyfalbarhad y disgyblion, ynghyd â chefnogaeth ac arweiniad staff ymroddedig yr ysgol. Edrychir ymlaen at groesawu llawer ohonynt yn ôl i'r Chwched Dosbarth llwyddiannus.

Success at GCSE

Huge congratulations to Year 11 pupils on their outstanding GCSE results, which surpassed the excellent standards achieved in Summer 2025. A total of 81% of pupils achieved at least five A*-C grades, with 30 pupils gaining ten or more A*-A grades. Additionally, 29% achieved five A*-A grades, while 22% received an A* in Mathematics. More than three quarters of the year group secured A*-C grades across the core subjects. Headteacher Rhys Angell Jones praised the pupils' hard work, commitment and perseverance, as well as the dedication and support of the school's staff. The school looks forward to welcoming many pupils back to its thriving and successful Sixth Form.



Eisteddfod Genedlaethol - Y Garreg Las

I nodi 25 mlynedd o addysg uwchradd Gymraeg ym Mro Morgannwg, sefydlwyd Côrgannwg i ddod â chenhedlaethau ynghyd i ddathlu hanes, cymuned a llwyddiant addysg Gymraeg yn y Fro. Daeth 122 o aelodau at ei gilydd, gan gynnwys disgyblion presennol a chyn-ddisgyblion, darpar-ddisgyblion, rhieni, neiniau a theidiau, ynghyd ag aelodau presennol a chyn-aelodau staff. Arweiniwyd y côr gan Mrs Catrin Williams gyda Mr Stewart Roberts yn cyfeilio. Yn fuan iawn, tyfodd y côr yn gymuned arbennig lle'r oedd pobl yn rhannu atgofion, ailgysylltu â hen ffrindiau a ffurfio cyfeillgarwch newydd. Bu'r côr yn llwyddiant ysgubol, gan ennill yn yr Eisteddfod Genedlaethol a gosod record am yr ystod oedran fwyaf mewn côr, o naw oed i 83 oed. Roedd y fuddugoliaeth yn deymged i bawb a fu ac sy'n parhau i fod yn rhan o ddatblygu addysg Gymraeg yn y Fro, ac yn dyst i rym cymuned sy'n uno cenedlaethau drwy'r Gymraeg.

National Eisteddfod - Y Garreg Las

To mark 25 years of Welsh-medium secondary education in the Vale of Glamorgan, Côrgannwg was established to bring generations together in celebration of the history, community and success of Welsh-medium education in the Vale. A total of 122 members came together, including current and former pupils, prospective pupils, parents, grandparents, as well as current and former members of staff. The choir was led by Mrs Catrin Williams, with Mr Stewart Roberts accompanying. Very quickly, the choir grew into a special community where people shared memories, reconnected with old friends and formed new friendships. The choir achieved outstanding success, winning at the National Eisteddfod and setting a record for the widest age range in a choir, from nine to 83 years old. The victory was a tribute to everyone who has played, and continues to play, a part in the development of Welsh-medium education in the Vale. It also stood as a testament to the power of a community that unites generations through the Welsh language.

Atgof Cyn ddisgybl

Dros yr haf, cefais y fraint o berfformio gyda Chôrgannwg ar brif lwyfan yr Eisteddfod Genedlaethol i ddathlu 25 mlynedd o Ysgol Gymraeg Bro Morgannwg. Roedd yn brofiad arbennig cael canu ochr yn ochr â'm teulu a'm ffrindiau agos, a bod yn rhan o gôr mor amrywiol ei oedran ac mor unedig ei ysbryd. Uchafbwynt pellach oedd ein llwyddiant wrth gipio'r safle cyntaf yng Nghymru gyfan, camp wirioneddol gofiadwy. Roedd hwn yn ffordd berffaith o gloi fy nhaith ysgol fel aelod o'r côr. Hoffwn estyn fy niolch diffuant i Mrs Williams am ei gwaith diflino, ei chefnogaeth gyson a'i harweiniad ysbrydoledig drwy gydol fy nghyfnod yn yr ysgol.

Owen Weeks, Cyn ddisgybl a chynorthwydd Dosbarth

Memories of a past pupil

Over the summer, I had the privilege of performing with Côrgannwg on the main stage of the National Eisteddfod to celebrate 25 years of Ysgol Gymraeg Bro Morgannwg. It was a truly special experience to sing alongside my family and close friends, and to be part of a choir that is so diverse in age and yet so united in spirit. A further highlight was our success in securing first place in Wales, a genuinely memorable achievement. It was the perfect way to bring my school journey as a member of the choir to a close. I would like to extend my sincere thanks to Mrs Williams for her tireless work, constant support, and inspiring leadership throughout my time at the school.

Owen Weeks, Former pupil and Teaching Assistant



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Trawsgwlad Rhynglysol 2026

Ar ddydd Gwener Medi 25ain cynhaliwyd ein Trawsgwlad Rhynglysol Blyneddol i flynyddoedd 7 i 10. Roedd hyn yn goron ar wythnos o wasanaethau ar ein gwerthoedd ysgol o Barch, Cymreictod a Dyfalbarhad ac yn wir, fe welwyd dyfalbarhad ar ei orau gan bob un o'r 800 o ddisgyblion gymerodd ran. Roedd disgwyl iddynt redeg dau lap o'r cwrs gyda'r 10 cyntaf o bob blwyddyn nawr yn cynrychioli'r ysgol yng nghystadlaethau trawsgwlad Caerdydd a'r Fro. Llongyfarchiadau mawr iddynt. Er hyn, mae'r holl ddisgyblion fu'n rhan yn haeddu ein clod a'n canmoliaeth. Hyfryd oedd gweld gwytnwch ein disgyblion a'r wên enfawr ar eu hwyebau wrth iddynt groesi'r llinell derfyn.

**Inter-House Cross Country 2026**

On Friday 25th of September, our Annual Inter-House Cross Country Competition was held for Years 7 to 10. This event was the culmination of a week of assemblies focused on our school values of Respect, Welshness, and Perseverance, and perseverance was certainly on display from all 800 pupils who took part. Pupils were required to complete two laps of the course, with the top ten runners from each year group now going on to represent the school in the Cardiff and Vale Cross Country Championships. Many congratulations to them. However, every pupil who participated deserves our praise and recognition. It was wonderful to see the resilience of our pupils and the huge smiles on their faces as they crossed the finish line.

**Carfan Rygbi Cymru dan 18**

Llongyfarchiadau mawr i Ffredi Easterby a Liam Williams ar gael eu dewisgarfanddan 18 Rygbi Cymru. Pob dymuniad da gyda'r tymor, fechgyn.

Wales Rugby Squad under-18

Congratulations to Ffredi Easterby and Liam Williams on being selected for the Wales Under-18 Rugby squad. Best wishes for the season, boys.

Hoci Rhyngwladol dan 18

Llongyfarchiadau mawr i Gwen Norton ar gael ei dewis i garfan dan 18 Hoci Cymru. Dymunwn bob llwyddiant ar gyfer y tymor i ddod.

International Hockey Under-18

Congratulations to Gwen Norton on being selected for the Wales Under-18 Hockey squad. We wish her every success for the season ahead.

**Cyfrannu at ein Cymuned**

Roedd hi yn braf iawn gweld disgyblion yr Hafan yn cyfrannu'n arbennig at y gymuned ddiwedd mis Medi. Aeth llond bws mini ohonynt i Ynys y Barri i gasglu sbwriel. Cafodd hyn gryn effaith ar y cyhoedd oedd yn yr ardal ar y pryd gyda sawl un yn canmol y disgyblion am eu blaengaredd a'u cyfraniad gwerthfawr at yr amgylchedd leol. Mae hyn yn destun balchder mawr inni fel ysgol a diolch yn fawr i staff yr Hafan am hwyluso prosiect pwysig hwn a rhoi'r cyfle i'r disgyblion.

Community Work

It was wonderful to see the pupils from Yr Hafan making such a valuable contribution to the community at the end of September. A minibus full of pupils travelled to Barry Island to collect litter. Their efforts made a significant impression on members of the public who were in the area at the time, with many praising the pupils for their initiative and their valuable contribution to the local environment. This is a great source of pride for us as a school, and we would like to extend our sincere thanks to the staff of Yr Hafan for facilitating this important project and providing the pupils with this opportunity.

Criced i Forgannwg

Llongyfarchiadau mawr i Freddy Hall a Zach Spiers ar gael eu dewis i garfan criced Morgannwg. Mae hyn yn dipyn o gamp. Dymunwn bob llwyddiant iddynt ar gyfer y tymor cyffrous o'u blaenau.

Cricket for Glamorgan

Congratulations to Freddy Hall and Zach Spiers on being selected for the Glamorgan cricket squad. This is a tremendous achievement. We wish them every success for the exciting season ahead.

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Am y newyddion diweddaraf, gwyliwch vlog y pennaeth ar Instagram a gwefan yr ysgol.

For the latest news, watch the heads vlog on Instagram and the school website.