

# Ysgol Gynradd Porthcawl Primary School

## Newsletter 03.10.25

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### Parent Voice Group – First Meeting of the Year

We're excited to invite you to the first Parent Voice Group meeting of the school year on Tuesday, November 11th, from 2:00–3:00 PM at school.

This is a great opportunity to share your thoughts on what's working well and where we can improve. Your feedback plays a vital role in shaping our school community.

During the session, Mr. Richards will also provide an update on the progress we've made toward the goals set from last year's discussions.

This year we will have tea, coffee, and biscuits on hand – we hope you can join us!



Are you able to help the Friends of PPS with donations for the Christmas raffle? If so, please get in contact with the school office – thank you.

## PHOTO DAY

Porthcawl  
Primary School

Friday 10th  
October



### School Photo Day – Friday the 10<sup>th</sup> October

It's school photo day on Friday the 10<sup>th</sup> of October. Please could all children come dressed in their school uniform. If they have PE on a Friday, please could they bring their kit separately – thank you.





### Cross Country Club is Underway!

Last Friday, Ms. Rayner kicked off our Cross Country Club, which takes place every Friday lunchtime. The club is open to all pupils in Years 3 to 6 – everyone is welcome, whether you're a keen runner or just want to give it a try!

The first race of the season will be held on **Saturday, October 18th**, at **Pencoed Comprehensive School**. Pupils should arrive by **9:30 AM**, with races starting at **10:00 AM**.

All pupils from Years 3 to 6 are invited to take part. If your child would like to attend, please contact the school so we can confirm numbers and plan accordingly.

For more details about this year's events, visit the **Bridgend Schools Cross Country** Facebook page here:

[Bridgend Schools Cross Country](#)

Let's get running!



### Nasal Flu Spray Porthcawl Primary Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2025

The School Nursing Team will be in school on Wednesday the 8<sup>th</sup> of October. Please ensure that the consent forms have been completed online – thank you.

### Weekly Attendance (96% target)

| Class  | Attendance |
|--------|------------|
| Taf    | 87.3%      |
| Garw   | 90.3%      |
| Ewenni | 94.4%      |
| Teifi  | 95.1%      |
| Conwy  | 95%        |
| Llynfi | 96.4%      |



### Diary Dates:

#### Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> October

Nursery Story Workshop in Hall

#### Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> October

Flu Immunisation – Reception Class to Year 6

#### Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> October

Class Ewenni – Porthcawl Museum

#### Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October

Colorfoto - School Individual Photographs

#### Monday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2025

Porthcawl Library Assembly – Summer Reading Challenge

#### Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> October

Year 6 ICT Transition 9-12

Design to Smile in Nursery – Year 2

#### Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October

Class Taf – School Trip to St. Fagans

#### Monday 20<sup>th</sup> – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October

Parents Evening Week

#### Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October

Year 6 Opening Evening at PCS 5.30 -7.30  
Hope Chapel Harvest Assembly

#### Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November

Staff Inset Day

#### Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> November

Friends of PPS Neon Disco

#### Friday 14<sup>th</sup> Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> November

Scholastic Book Fair in School

#### Monday 1<sup>st</sup> December

Llynfi Trip to Sony Factory

#### Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December and Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December

Foundation Phase Christmas Concert

#### Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December

PPS Art Gallery event at Porthcawl museum 4-6

#### Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> December

KS2 Christmas Concert 5.30  
Christmas Through the Keyhole at Hope Chapel

#### Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January

Staff Inset Day

#### Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March

World Book Day

#### Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2026

Year 6 Leavers Photographs & Class Photographs

#### Monday 6<sup>th</sup> July – Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July

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