St David's College

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What's Coming Up...?

The Goodbye and Goodluck celebration for upper sixth learners has been brought forward to the **9th May**. *To clarify, this means that all learners now finish classes on 9th May. Learners should still be in contact with teachers, and revision sessions may be planned.*

Then it's exam season! The lower sixth will start exams on the **12th of May,** and the upper sixth will start a week later on the **19th.**

Lower sixth students will start their A2 transition weeks after half term, **starting on the 2nd June.**

The Launchpad is holding a **Parents' Information Evening** on June 11th to help parents and carers prepare for next year, over the summer break. The event will

discuss university applications, student finance, apprenticeships, employment, and self-employment.

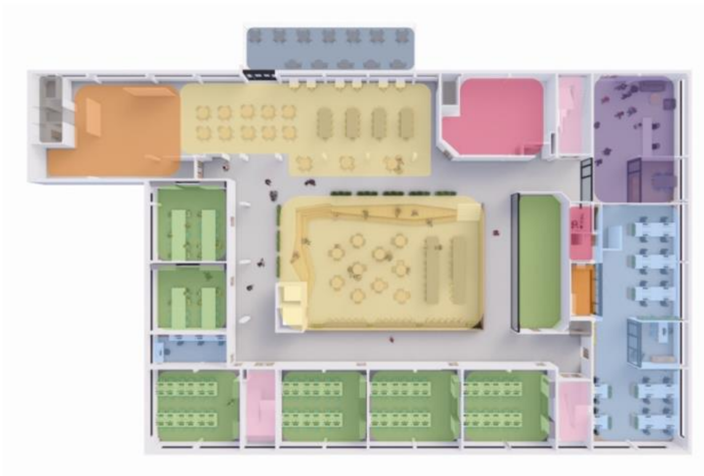
Then, for the upper sixth, Prom is on the **24th June**, and tickets have been available on Linc – and are first come, first served.

Click here to view the Important Dates page of our website.

Building work is beginning on the Main Building

The building work has started and most of the middle floor has now been taken out. Thank you, everyone, for your patience during this.

There are new vending machines on the bottom floor of the main building, and there is also a new marquee at the back of the college as a new sheltered social space.



Well done to the students who helped at St Illtyd's

A group of students delivered talks and presentations to Year 11 learners at St Illtyd's and once again, represented students of St David's fantastically well —not only in the quality of their delivery but also in the example they set.

Events like this highlight just how powerful peer-to-peer guidance can be. When young people take the lead and act as role models for those just behind them, it creates a sense of community, aspiration, and belonging.

5/5 Rating in the Canteen

Following a surprise visit from Environmental Health, the canteen has retained its 5/5 rating. Well done to all the canteen staff – it's a true reflection of how much work they put in to ensuring that we all have a clean and safe canteen – even if it is off limits at the moment!

Student deliver Wales' first ever accessible esports tournament

A group of Esports students went to work alongside Esports Wales, PE Direct and staff and pupils from Ysgol Y Deri to deliver Wales' first accessible Esports Tournament.

Ysgol Y Deri is a specialist school in Penarth that caters for more than 500 young people. The event involved adaptive gaming technology to ensure that every participant had the chance to compete, enjoy and celebrate the experience of esports.

Well done to all the students who were involved – a truly fantastic use of skills to help others in the local community.

The football team are CHAMPIONS!

The boys are champions! We ***think*** this is the first time that St David's football has won the league! It's a massive achievement for the boys and well done to all the players and coaches.

The standard of football across all the colleges in Wales is great, so to be top of the league and crowned champions just shows how much work these boys have put in, and how good they are as a team.

We can now proudly say – we are champions!!

Basketball boys finish third

The basketball boys travelled to Bangor for the Welsh Schools Finals, and fell just short in a thrilling semi-final clash against Caergybi, despite leading by double digits at one stage.

The boys then cruised through the 3rd/4th playoff to secure third in the Welsh Schools Competitions.

Well done Harry and Alfie

Well done to Harry and Alfie who were both selected for the British Colleges Cross Country Finals in Nottingham.

Harry placed 18th and Alfie 32nd – out of a strong field of 71 runners – a great achievement!

Team Wales finished 4th overall – well done, boys.

Amy continues to excel in Hockey

Well done to Amy Partridge who is continuing to excel in Hockey. Amy travelled to Turkey with the Cardiff Met Ladies and returned home with a gold!

She was instrumental in the win - with the final going to penalities and Amy saving three out of four to secure the win for her team!

Amy's had a fantastic year, and we're all supporting her as she continues to do well with Wales Hockey!

Charity football tournament was a success!

The annual Heart of Service Football Cup was a huge success! It was great to be outside in the sun as a big group, whether we were watching or playing! And this year's champions were **Tea and Busquets**, finishing unbeaten with 20 points, 18 goals scored, and just 1 conceded.

Well done to Rhys, Evan, Kit, Josh, Alex, Andrei, Rhys and Cam.

This year's tournament marked a special milestone as the first event under our new Heart of Service (O'r Galon) community outreach branch.

Over £250 was raised for Maggie's Cancer Charity through student participation.

A huge thank you to the staff and volunteers who made it all possible — your support truly embodied the spirit of service.

Charity rugby shirts available to buy

The rugby academy is selling a limited-edition college rugby shirt in connection with Maggie's Cancer Charity.

Half of the money raised from shirt sales will go to Maggie's, and half will go into securing the future of the new rugby academy.

It's a fantastic initiative from the team, an excellent way for you to show solidarity with those affected by cancer, and support for the teams that help them at Maggie's.

To buy one, visit: https://rcs-teamwear.com/st-davids-catholic-college/

Coleg Dewi Sant

Gwyliwch y Diweddariad newydd:

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Beth sydd i ddod...?

Mae'r dathliad Hwyl a Phob lwc i fyfyrwyr chweched uchaf wedi cael ei symud ymlaen i **9 Mai**. *I egluro, mae hyn yn golygu bod pob dysgwr bellach yn gorffen dosbarthiadau ar 9 Mai. Dylai dysgwyr barhau i gysylltu â'u hathrawon, a gall sesiynau adolygu gael eu trefnu.*

Wedyn mae'n dymor arholiadau! Bydd y chweched isaf yn dechrau arholiadau ar **12 Mai**, a'r chweched uchaf wythnos yn ddiweddarach ar **19 Mai.**

Bydd dysgwyr y chweched isaf yn dechrau eu cyfnod pontio i A2 ar ôl hanner tymor, gan ddechrau ar **2 Mehefin**.

Mae'r Safle Lansio'n cynnal **Noson Wybodaeth i Rieni ar 11 Mehefin** i helpu myfyrwyr a rhieni baratoi at y flwyddyn ganlynol, dros wyliau'r haf. Bydd y digwyddiad yn trafod ymgeisiadau prifysgolion, cyllid myfyrwyr, prentisiaethau, cyflogaeth a hunan-gyflogaeth.

Yna, ar gyfer y chweched uchaf, bydd y **Prom ar 24 Mehefin** ac mae tocynnau ar gael ar Linc- y cyntaf i'r felin gaiff falu!

Cliciwch yma i weld tudalen dyddiadau pwysig y wefan.

Gwaith adeiladu'n dechrau ar y Brif Adeilad

Mae'r gwaith adeiladu wedi cychwyn ac mae mwyafrif y llawr canol wedi cael ei dynnu allan. Diolch bawb am eich amynedd yn ystod y gwaith hwn.

Mae peiriannau gwerthu bwyd ar gael ar lawr isaf y brif adeilad, ac mae hefyd *marquee* newydd wrth gefn y coleg fel lle cymdeithasu cysgodol newydd.

Da iawn i'r myfyrwyr a helpodd yn Ysgol Illtud Sant

Aeth criw o fyfyrwyr i roi sgyrsiau a chyflwyniadau i ddysgwyr blwyddyn 11 Ysgol Illtud Sant ac unwaith eto, cynrychiolon nhw fyfyrwyr Dewi Sant yn ardderchog- nid yn unig yn safon eu cyflwyniadau ond hefyd yr esiampl roddon nhw.

Mae digwyddiadau fel hyn yn tynnu sylw at ba mor bwerus gall arweiniad gan gyfoedion fod. Pan fo pobl ifanc yn cymryd yr awennau ac yn ymddwyn fel modelau rôl i bobl sy tu ôl iddyn nhw, mae'n magu synnwyr o gymuned, uchelgais a pherthyn.

Gradd 5/5 i'r Ffreutur

Yn dilyn ymweliad annisgwyl gan Iechyd yr Amgylchedd, mae'r ffreutur wedi cadw ei safon 5/5. Da iawn i'r holl staff- mae'n adlewyrchiad gywir o faint o waith maen nhw'n ei wneud i sicrhau bod ein ffreutur yn lle glân a diogel- hyd yn oed os na allwn ni ei ddefnyddio ar hyn o bryd!

Myfyrwyr yn darparu twrnamaint hygyrch cyntaf Echwaraeon Cymru

Mae criw o fyfyrwyr Echwaraeon wedi mynd i weithio ar y cyd â Echwaraeon Cymru, PE Direct a staff a disgyblion Ysgol Y Deri i ddarparu twrnamaint hygyrch echwaraeon cyntaf Cymru.

Ysgol arbenigol yw Ysgol Y Deri sy'n darparu addysg i dros 500 o bobl ifanc. Yn y digwyddiad defnyddiwyd technoleg gemau wedi'i addasu er mwyn sicrhau bod pob un a gymerodd ran yn gallu cystadlu, mwynhau a dathlu'r profiad o chwarae echwaraeon.

Da iawn i'r holl fyfyrwyr a gymerodd ran- defnydd gwych o'ch sgiliau i helpu eraill yn y gymuned leol.

Mae'r tîm pêl-droed yn BENCAMPWYR!

Mae'r bechgyn yn bencampwyr! Dyn ni'n ***meddwl*** taw dyma'r tro cyntaf i dîm pêl-droed Dewi Sant ennill y gynghrair! Mae'n llwyddiant anferth i'r bechgyn a da iawn i'r holl chwaraewyr a hyfforddwyr.

Mae safon pêl-droed ar draws colegau Cymru'n uchel iawn, felly mae bod ar frig y gynghrair ac ennill y bencampwriaeth yn dangos pa mor galed mae'r bechyn wedi gweithio, a chystal maen nhw fel tîm.

Gallwn ni frolio nawr – ni yw'r pencampwyr!!

Y Bechgyn Pêl-fasged yn gorffen yn drydydd

Teithiodd y bois pêl-fasged i Fangor ar gyfer rowndiau terfynol Ysgolion Cymru, a daethon dim ond ychydig yn brin mewn gêm gyn-derfynol gyffrous iawn yn erbyn Caergybi, er iddyn nhw arwain gan rifau dwbl ar un adeg.

Dyma nhw'n morio wedyn i ennill y gêm benderfynol 3ydd/4ydd lle i sicrhau'r drydedd wobr yng Nghystadleuaeth Ysgolion Cymru.

Da iawn Harry ac Alfie

Da iawn i Harry ac Alfie a gafodd eu dewis ar gyfer rasys rowndiau terfynol Traws-Gwlad Colegau Prydain yn Nottingham.

Daeth Harry yn 18fed ac Alfie'n 32ain– allan o faes cystadleuol iawn o 71 o redwyr – llwyddiant arbennig!

Gorffennodd Tîm Cymru yn 4ydd dros y cyfan– da iawn fechgyn!

Amy'n parhau i serennu mewn Hoci

Da iawn Amy Partridge sy'n parhau i serennu mewn Hoci. Teithiodd Amy i Dwrci gyda Merched Met Caerdydd a daeth yn ôl adre gyda'r Aur!

Roedd hi'n hollol allweddol i'r fuddigoliaeth- gyda'r gêm derfynol yn mynd i goliau cosb achubodd Amy dair o bedair gôl, a sicrhau buddugoliaeth i'w thîm!

Mae Amy wedi cael blwyddyn wych, a dyn ni i gyd yn ei chefnogi wrth iddi hi barhau i lwyddo gyda Hoci Cymru!

Llwyddiant twrnamaint Pêl-droed Elusennol!

Roedd Cwpan blynyddol O'r Galon yn llwyddiant ysgubol! Roedd hi'n wych i fod mas yn yr haul fel criw mawr, i wylio neu i chwarae! Ac ennillwyr y gystadleuaeth eleni oedd **Tea and Busquets**, a orffennodd heb eu curo gydag 20 o bwyntiau, 18 gôl wedi sgorio a dim ond un yn eu herbyn.

Da iawn i Rhys, Evan, Kit, Josh, Alex, Andrei, Rhys a Cam.

Roedd pencampwriaeth eleni'n garreg filltir arbennig fel digwyddiad cyntaf ein cangen ymestyn i'r gymuned newydd, O'r Galon.

Codwyd dros £250 ar gyfer Elusen Canser Maggie's drwy ymdrechion y myfyrwyr.

Diolch anferth i'r staff a myfyrwyr a wnaeth hyn i gyd yn bosibl- gwnaeth eich cefnogaeth ymgorffori ysbryd gwasanaeth mewn gwirionedd.

Crysau Rygbi Elusennol ar werth

Mae'r Academi Rygbi'n gwerthu nifer cyfyngedig o grysau rygbi coleg mewn cydweithrediad ag Elusen Canser Maggie's.

Aiff hanner yr elw o werthiant y crysau i Maggie's, gyda'r hanner arall yn mynd i sicrhau dyfodol yr Academi Rygbi newydd.

Mae'n fentergarwch gwych gan y tîm, ac yn ffordd wych i chi ddangos eich cefnogaeth i'r rhai sy'n cael eu heffeithio gan ganser, a chefnogi'r timoedd sy'n eu helpu nhw yn Maggie's.

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