PONTNEWYDD'S WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

24TH APRIL 2026

We are loving having the sunshine this week and it has been great for the children to get outside as much as they can. Just a reminder as the weather is warming up, please ensure the children have **sun cream on and a hat to wear** as we increase the time we spend outdoors. Also, a **drinks bottle** so they can refill it in school to stay hydrated.

A reminder that we have a bank holiday coming up the week after next **(Monday 4th May) so school will be closed this day** and we will be back open as usual on the Tuesday.

Next Friday (1st May) we are holding a celebration of life service in school for Mrs Watkins who passed away earlier this year. Please note this is for pupils only. Members of Mrs Watkins' family will be joining us as we share our memories of a special lady. The children have already been working hard on things with their classes.
We are asking pupils to wear green on Friday please as this was Mrs Watkins' favourite colour.

UPCOMING EVENTS

APRIL

- 27-29: Year 6 Residential Trip to Manor Adventure, Abernant
- 28: Glee Club performing at Congress Theatre for Choral Festival

MAY

- 1: Celebration of life sevice for Mrs Watkins - pupils only. Wear green.
- 4: Bank Holiday - School Closed
- 6: Visiting theatre company performing The Secret Garden
- 11 - 22: Personalised assessments for Year 2 - Year 6
- 14: Year 6 Trip to Big Pit

SCHOOL TERM DATES

- Summer Term
  13th April - 20th July 2026

SCHOOL HOLIDAY DATES

- Summer Half Term
  25th - 29th May 2026
- Summer Holidays
  21st July - 31st August 2026

INSET DATES

- 20th July (all pupils)

USEFUL LINKS

- School Calendar
- School Trips Information
- Online Forms
- School Clubs

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WHAT'S HAPPENING NEXT WEEK?

Dinner Menu - Week 1

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- Members of Year 6 going to Manor Adventure, Abernant (residential)- leaving school at 12pm. Come into school normal time.
- C12 and members of LRB going swimming at Cwmbran Stadium

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- Junior Netball Club after school until 4.15pm
- Glee Club performing at the Primary Choral Festival at Congress Theatre 6pm-7pm (meeting outside by 5.30pm)

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- Mr Boor visiting Year 5 to talk about The Salvation Army
- Members of Year 6 returning from Manor Adventure, Abernant at approximately 3.30-4pm
- Foundation Phase Yoga Club after school until 4pm
- Foundation Phase Sports Club after school until 4pm
- NO GLEE CLUB (rest from Tuesday's concert)

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- Foundation Phase Minecraft Club after school until 4.15pm
- Junior Dance Club after school until 4.15pm

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- Celebration of Life for Mrs Watkins - service in school for pupils, children to wear something green to school.
- Gwent Music drumming project in C7 and C9



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DOSBARTH CWMBRAN HAS THE BEST ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK WITH 99.5%!

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