



## COWBRIDGE SCHOOL

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### News for the week ending 02 December 2022

#### Newyddion yr wythnos

#### KEY DATES

7 Dec	Tyfu celebration event Year 7-9
9 - 14 Dec	Book Fair
15 Dec	Year 10 Parents' Evening
15 & 16	Nasal Flu Vaccination
19 - 22 Dec	School Production
22 Dec	<b>END OF TERM</b>
23 Dec	<b>INSET DAY</b>
	School Closed for pupils

Dear Parent/Carer

Here is our most up to date Newsletter.

Please also find attached important information from Public Health Wales regarding the "Increase in scarlet fever and invasive streptococcal disease in 2022.

We wish all families an enjoyable weekend.

Cowbridge School Senior Leadership Team.



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## Relationships and Sexuality Education (RSE)

As you may know the teaching of Relationships and Sexuality Education (RSE) is a mandatory part of the Curriculum for Wales. As such the school has followed statutory guidance in the completion of an updated policy in this area.

The policy will be available to view on the school's website next week - week commencing 5 December 2022.

## Scholastic Book Fair 9 - 14 December

We are delighted to be able to host the Scholastic Book Fair at the School once again. The fair will run from Friday, 9 December to Wednesday, 14 December and represents a fantastic opportunity for students to stock up on some new books in time for Christmas! Pupils will have the opportunity to browse and purchase books during break/lunch times and at other appropriate times during the school day. You can provide your child with cash to buy books if you wish; alternatively, you can purchase a voucher here:

<https://bookfairs.scholastic.co.uk/parents?nt=t>

**SCHOLASTIC**

# Come to the BOOK FAIR

and earn FREE BOOKS for our school\*

**NEW** **NOTHING MORE TO TELL** Karen M. McManus **TikTok favourite!** £8.99

**NEW** **THE FIRST TO DIE AT THE END** Adam Silvera **TikTok favourite!** £12.99 £9.99

**ONLY £2.99** **PERSUASION** Jane Austen **As seen on Netflix** £5.99 £2.99

**NEW** **MARCUS RASHFORD YOU CAN DO IT** **Bestselling author** £9.99 £7.99

**SAVE £5** **AS SEEN ON NETFLIX** **NEW** **THIS WOVEN KINGDOM** Tahereh Mafi £8.99

CHOOSE FROM OVER 200 OF THE BEST NEW BOOKS FROM ONLY £2.99!



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### **Child Poverty Action Group - Financial Help For Families**

The link attached will enable you to view the Financial Help for Families publication published by the Child Poverty Action Group. The publication contains financial information and relevant advice for households with children.

For those supporting households with children, please see this handbook: [Financial Help for Families](#)

### **REQUEST FROM THE MATHS DEPARTMENT**

Please could parents ensure that their child/ren are appropriately equipped for their maths lessons and bring a pen, pencil, ruler, rubber, protractor, compass and calculator to all lessons.

Thank you



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# CLEVERCHEFS

After half term, Cleverchefs will be working with Cowbridge School to create and deliver our joint mission of fun, healthy school dinners. Importantly, menus will focus on using fresh, British and Welsh ingredients, ensuring sustainability is at the heart of the process. The menus below will become available from November 7th and will incorporate student and staff voice and feedback over time.

Main Menu

Scholars Menu

Morning Break menu

## CLWB CLONC/CHAT CLUB (YEAR 11)

The Welsh Department has organised an opportunity for Year 11 pupils practise their spoken Welsh in a relaxing and fun environment in preparation for speaking exams and to improve fluency and confidence.

The club will be running:

Week 1 - Friday Lunch (B1B)

Week 2 - Tuesday Lunch (B1B)

# CLWB CLONC

**CHAT & PRACTISE YOUR WELSH LANGUAGE SKILLS  
LUNCH WEEK 1 (FRIDAY) & WEEK 2 (TUESDAY)**





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## Music Extra-Curricular Activities 2022-2023

	A1C	A1I	A1D	<i>Afterschool rehearsals</i>
<b>Monday</b>	Ukulele Group 8:20 - 8:50	Senior Jazz Group 8:20 - 8:50	Flute Group 8:20 - 8:50	<i>Sixth form Acapella Group</i>
<b>Tuesday</b>	Concert Band 8:20 - 8:50	Junior Jazz Group 8:20 - 8:50		<i>School Musical A1C / Main Hall</i>
<b>Wednesday</b>	KS3 Vocal Group (Year 7, 8, 9) 8:20 - 8:50	String Group 8:20 - 8:50		<i>Big Band A1C</i>
<b>Thursday</b>	Senior Orchestra 8:20 - 8:50	Junior Orchestra 8:20 - 8:50		<i>School Musical A1C / Main Hall</i>
<b>Friday</b>	KS4/KS5 Vocal Group 8:20 - 8:50			

## PE Extra Curricular Clubs

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Registration 8.30 -8.55am</b>			Y7-13 Girls & Boys Running Club		
<b>Lunchtime 12.15-12.45</b>			Y7 Netball		
<b>After School 3- 4pm</b> <i>**You will need to arrange transport home at 4pm</i>	Y9-13 Senior Hockey Y10 &11 Rugby Y8 Rugby Y7 Boys Football Fixtures	Open Netball Y7 Rugby Y9 &10 Football Y8&9 Netball Fixtures	Y10-13 Senior Netball Y7&8 Hockey Fixtures	Y8 Boys Football Y7&8 Girls Football Y9 Rugby Archery Fixtures	Y11-13 Senior Football

A register of pupils will be taken every session. More clubs to be added soon!

NB. This does not include additional information regarding specific fixture details. These will be advertised on the PE notice boards.





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## Clwb Cymraeg (Welsh Club)

The Clwb Cymraeg (Welsh Club) is an exciting opportunity for pupils in Year 7 to learn and practice Welsh skills. The club is run by the Welsh Department in collaboration with the Urdd and held in B1B at lunchtime on Thursdays Week 1

# CLWB CYMRAEG

**Cyfle i wneud gweithgareddau a chwarae gemau tra'n ceisio dysgu a siarad mwy o Gymraeg!!**

**An opportunity to do activities and play games while trying to learn and speak more Welsh!!**

### **Pryd | When?**

**Amser cinio ar Ddydd Iau (Wythnos 1)  
Lunch time on Thursdays (Week 1)**

### **Pwy? | Who?**

**Disgyblion Blwyddyn 7  
Year 7 Pupils**

### **Ble? | Where?**

**Ystafell B1B | Room B1B**



**Gwybodaeth | Info:**  
[heleddllewelyn@urdd.org](mailto:heleddllewelyn@urdd.org)



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**STARTS TUESDAY 4TH OCTOBER**

**YEARS 7 AND 8**



# FOREIGN LANGUAGE FILM CLUB



**WATCH FRENCH, GERMAN, SPANISH AND ITALIAN FILMS**

**IN B2E @ 12:30 ON TUESDAYS**

**YOU CAN BRING A PACKED LUNCH WITH  
YOU, OR A LIMITED NUMBER OF EARLY  
LUNCH PASSES ARE AVAILABLE FROM  
B2E AT BREAKTIME ON THE DAY**

