

MAY 2025



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GWERSYLL GLANLLYN

All Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 pupils had a great time taking part in various activities at Gwersyll Glanllyn during the first week of May.



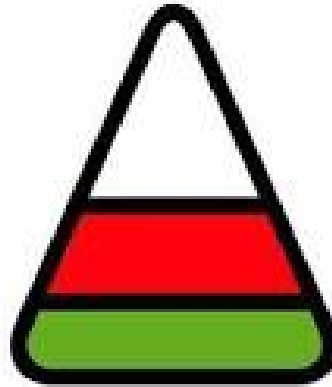
URDD ARTS AND CRAFTS

Congratulations to the pupils on their success in the Meirionnydd Regional Urdd Art and Craft competitions. The Awards Night was held in Glanllyn, Congratulations.

Year 3 and 4 2D drawing
1st Anya Crockford

2D Creative Year 2 and under
3rd Gruff Jones

Computer Graphics Year 2 and under
1st Gruff Jones
2nd Elsie Eyles



ROAD SAFETY

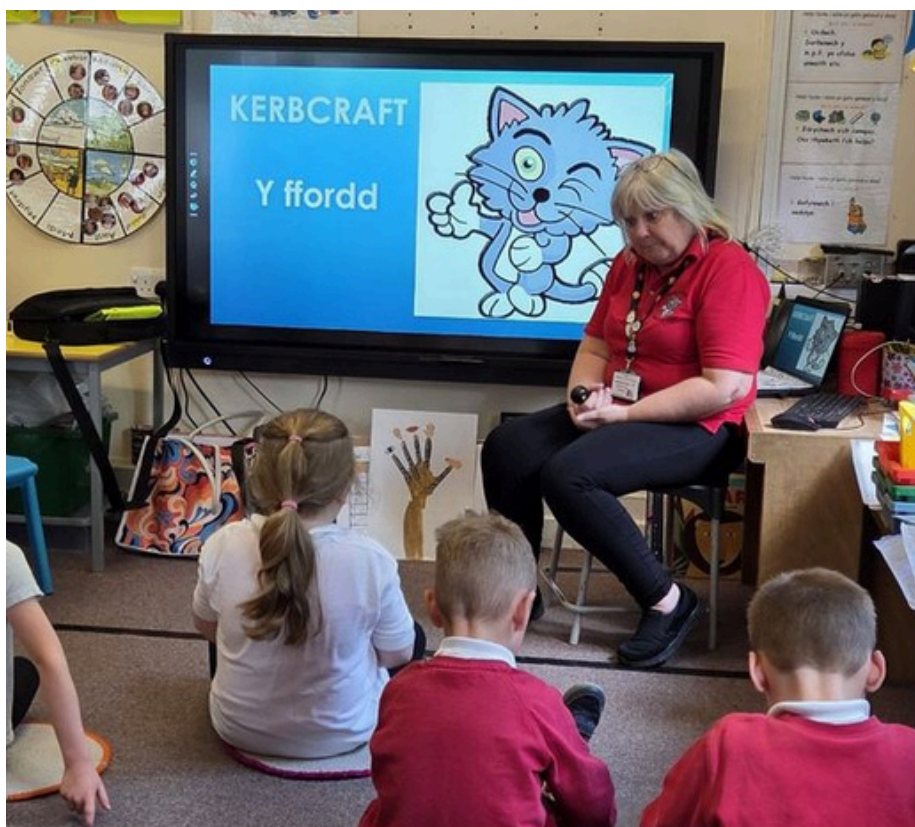


'Aunty Shirley and Aunty Manon came to teach us how to cross the road carefully in our colorful jackets. I had to

- look right, left and right again before crossing
- keep feet behind the curb
- no running

Everyone was listening to the story of Carys Ofalus.

Written by Elsie with help from Grace



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GWYNEDD ARCHIVES

Thank you to Mr Gwyn Ellis, Gwynedd Archives Education Officer for visiting the two classes to show artefacts that they used in schools years ago.

Mr Ellis had prepared a very interesting power point of the history of schools in the area over the years and we are very grateful to him for a very interesting conversation.



WOODWORK



Pupils in class 3-7 years old have been very busy recently doing woodwork tasks in the class and in the outside area. We are studying the local area and as the Corris Railway is important to us as it is so close to the school, we have been building small trains. Thank you to Friends of the School for raising money to buy the valuable resources and recent grants.

VISIT TO LLOYD GEORGE MUSEUM

We went to the Lloyd George museum. We saw the house where he was born. The toilet was outside and far from the house! We learned how Victorians did laundry. The women washed the clothes every Monday in a tub and then scrubbed them on a scrubbing table. And dry them in a mangle.

In the house we noticed that there was no kitchen or bathroom. We had to cook by the fire. There was no tap either, you had to go to the river to fetch the water and heat it on the fire to have a bath in the middle of the living room! There was also a best room called Parlwr. Upstairs there were two bedrooms, the children had to share a bed. We saw an old hot water bottle and a pi pi pot!! It was interesting to learn how people lived long ago.

Then we went to School. Everyone got to wear Victorian clothes. We had to sit on hard wooden benches, and there were girls on one side and boys on the other. We wrote with a slate and a slate pencil. Children who wrote with their left hand had to write with their right hand. On the blackboard was the sentence 'Children should be seen but not heard'. Some had also had the Welsh Not for speaking Welsh.

We enjoyed the visit, but schools were very strict a long time ago, today's school is much better! Anya and Otis



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FISH AND CHIPS BINGO

We had another successful Bingo Fish and Chips this year. Thank you to the Friends of the School for organizing and for raising £230 to buy new equipment for the school. We are very grateful.



CORRIS UTD

Congratulations to Corris Utd on their recent success in winning the league cup. We are very proud of your success.

