



FORDEN SCHOOL NEWS

Friday 27th May

Lexia

Well done to Jake (Y3) and Frankie for completing a level on Lexia. Your child will still be able to access Lexia over half term.

Running Club

Well done to Ollie (Y2) and Max for completing 10 miles at running club. Between all the children who attend, they have completed a fantastic total of 285 miles. Dal i fynd!

Platinum Jubilee

Thank you to Forden, Leighton and Trelystan Community Council who generously gave commemorative jubilee mugs to all children in school.

They are available for all children in Forden village up to the age of 11. If you have a child who did not receive a mug from school or playgroup, please let the school know.

Community Councillor Shaun Rees came into school to present pupils with their mugs.



Jubilee Coffee Morning

Pupils have been finding out more about the Platinum Jubilee and events over the last 70 years.

Some of their work will be on display in St Michael's church during the Jubilee coffee morning on Saturday 28th May 10-12:00. See below for further details. All welcome.

Redridge Outdoor Centre

Pupils in Ysgawen will be visiting Redridge Outdoor Centre on Tuesday 7th June. All details (timings, kit, etc) are uploaded to Parent Pay. The kit list specifies 2 pairs of trainers. This is because they will be kayaking/paddle boarding during one of the sessions and will need separate footwear that will get wet. (No Crocs or open-toe sandals). Black pumps or similar are suitable if you do not have 2 pairs of trainers.

Residential Visit – Autumn term

Thank you to the parents (Year 4&5) who responded to the proposed residential visit in the autumn term. Unfortunately, as only 9 parents were in favour of this visit, it will not be viable to run as a trip.

School Play

All pupils who have speaking parts in the play have had their script for a few weeks. Please help them practice and learn their lines over half term. We have asked that all children (except the newsreaders) are word perfect after the holidays.

Usborne Book fair

Thank you for supporting the school through the Usborne book fair. We were able to select books for school to the value of £168.

Term dates

Please see the message below from Powys Schools' Service,

In response to requests from parents and following an extended consultation with headteachers, there will be two non-pupil days on Thursday 1st and Friday 2nd September as previously advertised. Pupils will return to school on Monday 5th September. We apologise for any confusion the changes to INSET dates has caused.

Non-Pupil Days

- Thursday 1 September 2022*
- Friday 2 September 2022*
- Monday 24 July 2023*
- There will be two further non-pupil days, one in the autumn term and one in the summer term, agreed on a cluster basis. Please check your school website for these dates.*

Pantomime

We have booked tickets for all pupils to see the pantomime in Theatre Severn in December.

Mon 30th May – Fri 3rd Jun – HALF TERM

Next week (after half term)

Monday	Football Club (Y2-Y4) 3:15-4:00
Tuesday	Redridge Outdoor Centre – Ysgawen No Netball Club
Wednesday	Swimming – Collen & Years 5&6 Open school - 3:15-3:30 School Uniform Swap (in library)
Thursday	Coding Club (Y5&6) 3:15-4:00
Friday	Running Club (Collen & Ysgawen) 3:15-4:00

Future dates

Thu 23rd Jun School Play – *A Big Green Adventure*
Afternoon dress rehearsal 1:30pm open to preschool children
Evening performance 6pm

Mon 27th Jun Non-pupil Day
Wed 29th Jun Science workshop @ WHS – Years 5&6
Fri 1st Jul Area Sports – Years 3-6
Sun 3rd Jul School Service in St Michael's Church 11:00am

Mon 4th & Tue 5th Jul Year 6 transition days at WHS
Mon 4th Jul – Fri 8th Jul Sports Week
Parents welcome to watch on **Thursday 7th July 1:30pm**

Tue 12th Jul Leavers Assembly 1:30pm
Wed 13th Jul Year 6 leavers trip
Thu 14th Jul Archery skills sessions (Collen & Ysgawen)
Break up for summer holidays

Mon 5th Sep Return to school – Autumn term

**Saturday
28th May**

Jubilee Coffee Morning

**Forden Church
10 a.m. till 12**

*Special Events for children
up to 11:*

- *Jubilee fancy dress competition at 10.45, with a main prize and a small 'prize' for every entrant*
- *'Hunt the crown' at 10.30 & 11 a.m.*
- *Jubilee art and craft station*

**£1 entry to include a cup of
tea/coffee & biscuits**

*** Cake stall * Bottle Stall
* Plants * Draw and more!**

Any donations or help on the day gratefully received.
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