



ARCHDEACON JOHN LEWIS NEWSLETTER

‘Strength Through Knowledge and Faith.’

Friday 10th July 2026

Attendance: 92%

As we move into the final week of this academic year, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our families for your continued support and co-operation throughout another very warm week. The high temperatures can make school life challenging at times, and we greatly appreciate your help in ensuring that children come to school prepared so that they can remain comfortable, healthy and safe during the hot weather.

Our Year 6 pupils have enjoyed a number of memorable events over the past week. A huge thank you to the parents who organised such a fantastic Year 6 Prom. It was a wonderful celebration and a fitting way to mark the end of our pupils' primary school journey. It was lovely to see our Year 6 leavers enjoying the occasion alongside some of their friends from Year 5.

We were also very proud of our Year 6 pupils who attended the Leavers' Service at Llandaff Cathedral. The service was a special occasion and their behaviour throughout was exemplary. They represented our school brilliantly and were a credit to themselves, their families and our wider school community.

We would like to invite parents and carers of Year 6 pupils to our school **Year 6 Leavers' Service**, which will take place at **9:15am on Thursday 16th July**. This is always a special and emotional occasion as we celebrate the achievements of our Year 6 pupils and wish them every success for the future. We hope you will be able to join us.

Looking ahead to next week; pupil reports will be sent home via email on Monday along with information about classes next year. On Wednesday morning, all pupils will take part in a transition session, giving them the opportunity to meet their new teacher.

Parents and carers are welcome to pop into school after school on Wednesday if they would like to share any feedback regarding their child's report. Alternatively, we will be sending home a feedback form link for those who prefer to respond online.

Finally, as we prepare for the summer holidays, please could you help us by reminding your child to check for any lost property and collect all belongings from cloakrooms and classrooms. The school will be thoroughly tidied and cleaned over the summer break in preparation for September, and any unclaimed items may be disposed of or donated.

I would like to take this opportunity to remind pupils that when they are out in the community in their school uniform, they are ambassadors for our school and should uphold the behaviour expectations we follow in school.

Thank you once again for your support throughout the year. We look forward to a positive and enjoyable final week of term.

Mrs L Forster

Acting Headteacher

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Safeguarding and Child Protection information can be found here: <https://www.ajlprimary.co.uk/whos-who/safeguarding-and-child-protection>

Upcoming Events

- **Monday 13th July:** Reports for all pupils sent home (via email)
- **Wednesday 15th July:** Transition morning for all pupils to meet their class teacher for next year
- **Wednesday 15th July:** Open Evening for all parents
- **Thursday 16th July:** Y6 Leavers Assembly 9:15am, parents & carers welcome
- **Monday 20th July:** INSET Day 6 of 6
- **Tuesday 21st July - Monday 30th August:** Summer Holidays

INSET Days 2026-2027

- Tuesday 1st September 2026
- Monday 4th January 2027
- Monday 15th February 2027
- Friday 19th March 2027
- Monday 19th July 2027
- Tuesday 20th July 2027

Bank Holiday

- Monday 3rd May 2026

Please Keep Us Updated!

Please ensure that your details are kept up to date with the school office. It is essential that we hold up to date address details, phone numbers and email addresses for all parents/carers and emergency contacts.

Any updates to personal information can be submitted on the Gateway app or by email to admin@archdeaconjohnlewisps.bridgend.cymru

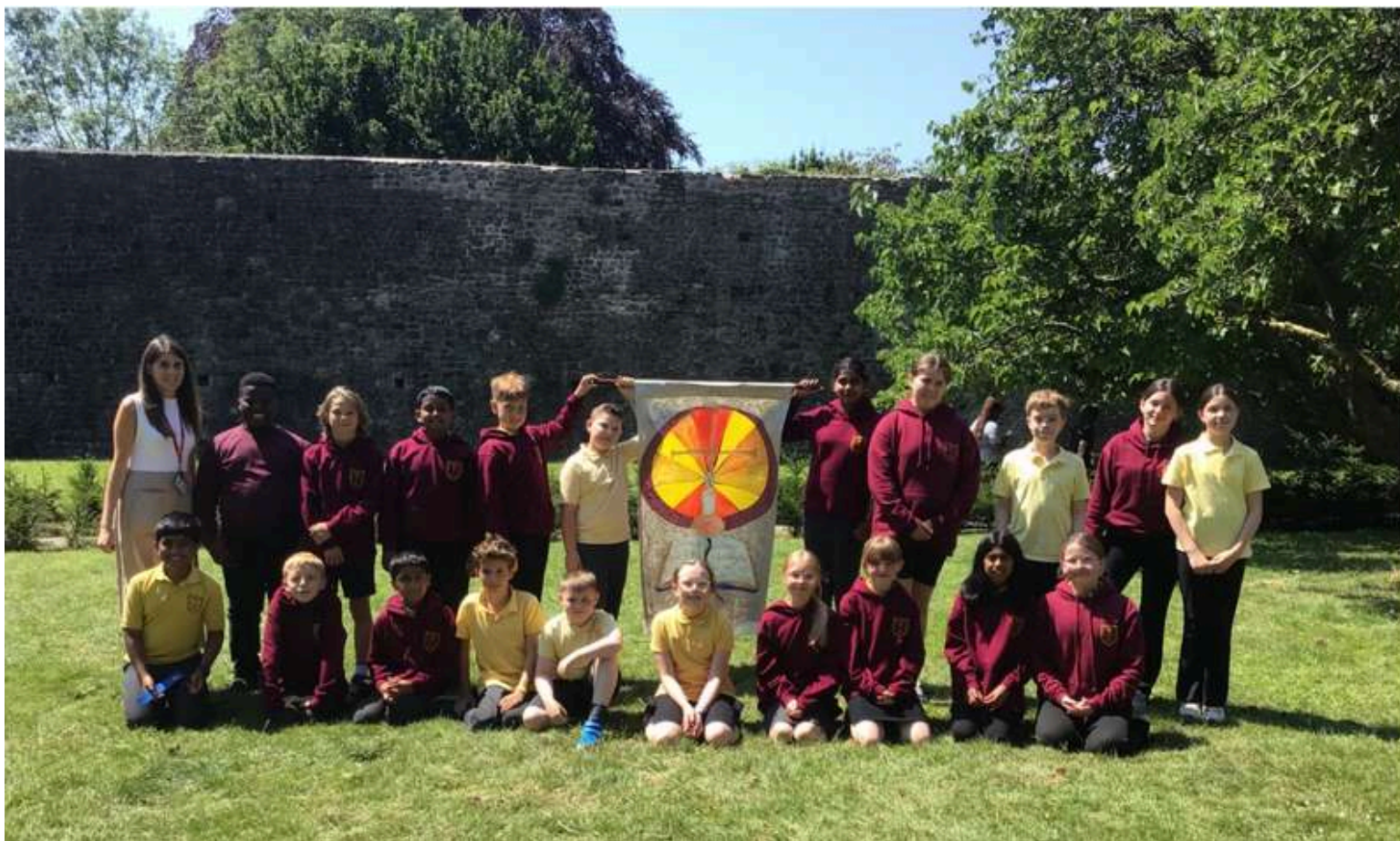


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Year 6 Leaver's Service in Llandaff Cathedral



Year 6 Leaver's Party





Thursday 18th June - USA

Southern Fried Chicken Goujons or Quorn Nuggets & Curly Fries
with corn on the cob, peas, sweetcorn & salad

Dessert - Doughnut

Wednesday 24th June - England

Jumbo Cod Fish fingers or Vegan Sausage & Chips
with beans, peas, sweetcorn & salad

Dessert - Ice Cream

Wednesday 1st July - Europe

Chicago Town Pizza or Vegan Dippers & Curly Fries
with corn on the cob, broccoli, peas, sweetcorn & salad

Dessert - Cookie

Wednesday 8th July - Australia

Beefburger or Vegan Hotdog & Herby Potatoes
with beans, peas, sweetcorn & salad

Dessert - Ice Cream

Wednesday 15th July - Sweden

Swedish or Vegan Meatballs in Gravy & Mash Potatoes
with carrots, broccoli & peas

Dessert - Brownie



BRACKLA

ACTIVE FOR LIFE HOLIDAY SCHEME

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH:

Brackla Community Council

AT BRACKLA SPORTS CENTRE

27th July - 14th August

Monday - Friday

Times: 10am - 2pm

Ages: 8 - 11 years



* Registration Evening *

Thursday 16th July

4:00pm – 6:00pm

At Brackla Sports Centre

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SUMMER 2026





PJSS DEVELOPMENT

SUMMER FOOTBALL CAMPS



 **BRIDGEND**

**ARCHDEACON
JOHN LEWIS**



DATES

**20TH JULY –
27TH AUGUST**

**MONDAY –
THURSDAY**



AGES

**5–11
YEARS OLD**



**FUN &
ENGAGING
SESSIONS**

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ABILITIES**



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COACHES**

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SUMMER HOLIDAY TENNIS CAMPS

WEEK 1 - MONDAY 20th - FRIDAY 24th JULY

WEEK 2 - MONDAY 27th JULY - FRIDAY 31st JULY

WEEK 3 - MONDAY 3rd - FRIDAY 7th AUGUST

WEEK 4 - MONDAY 10th - FRIDAY 14th AUGUST

WEEK 1 - MONDAY 17th - FRIDAY 21st AUGUST

ONLINE BOOKING: BRIDGENDTENNISCLUB.COM

*OPEN TO NON-MEMBERS

*FULL WEEK DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE

*INDIVIDUAL DAY BOOKING OPTIONS

*20% DISCOUNT FOR CLUB MEMBERS



BLUE CAMPS
10-11AM
FOR 3-4 YEARS

MINI CAMPS
10-1PM
FOR 5-11 YEARS

JUNIOR CAMPS
1.30-3.30PM
FOR 11-18 YEARS

**RUN BY LTA QUALIFIED
COACHES**

INDOOR COURTS

**PACKED FULL OF
RELAYS, DRILLS, FUN
GAMES, TEAM
BUILDING AND POINTS
PLAY**

**NEED MORE
INFORMATION:**

**DIRECTOR OF COACHING
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Summer is fast approaching, and our popular Spanish Soccer Schools Camps are back with a range of exciting options for children of all ages and interests to keep them active, engaged, and having fun while making new friends.

We have something for everyone—whether your child enjoys football, goalkeeping, or multi-sport activities. Click the links below to find out more!

⚽ **FOOTBALL CAMP (NEW FOR SUMMER 2026 - Ages 7-11)**

📍 Penyfai CIW Primary School

🕒 8.30am - 3.45pm

📅 Week 1 - Mon 20th July - Thurs 23rd July

Week 2 - Mon 27th July - Thurs 30th July

Week 3 - Mon 3rd Aug - Thurs 6th Aug

Week 4 - Mon 10th Aug - Thurs 13th Aug

Week 5 - Mon 17th Aug - Thurs 20th Aug

Week 6 - Mon 24th Aug - Thurs 27th Aug

👉 <https://spanishsoccerschools.co.uk/football-camps/>

🧤 **GOALKEEPER CAMP (Ages 6-13)**

📍 Heronsbridge School

🕒 9.00am - 1.00pm

📅 Week 1 - Tues 4th Aug - Weds 5th Aug

Week 2 - Tues 11th Aug - Weds 12th Aug

Week 3 - Tues 18th Aug - Weds 19th Aug

Week 4 - Tues 25th Aug - Weds 26th Aug

👉 <https://spanishsoccerschools.co.uk/goalkeeper-camps/>

🏀 **MULTI SPORTS CAMP (Ages 6-11)**

📍 Penyfai CIW Primary School

🕒 8.45am - 3.45pm

📅 Week 1 - Mon 20th July - Fri 24th July

Week 2 - Mon 27th July - Fri 31st July

Week 3 - Mon 3rd Aug - Fri 7th Aug

Week 4 - Mon 10th Aug - Fri 14th Aug

Week 5 - Mon 17th Aug - Fri 21st Aug

Week 6 - Mon 24th Aug - Fri 28th Aug

👉 <https://spanishsoccerschools.co.uk/multi-sports-camps/>

Don't Miss Out

Please note spaces are limited and expected to fill quickly. We recommend booking early to secure a place and to avoid disappointment.

To book, simply use the links above. If you have any questions, please feel free to get in touch. We look forward to welcoming your child for a Summer of Fun!