

## All Saints Church in Wales Primary School

Ysgol Gynradd yr Holl Saint yr Eglwys yng Nghymru

#### Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2025

#### Safer Internet Day 2025

On Tuesday, the whole school took part in Safer Internet Day 2025, exploring this year's theme: 'Too good to be true? Protecting yourself and others from scams online.' The day began with a

fantastic whole-school assembly led by our Digital Leaders, who introduced the theme and encouraged everyone to think about online safety. Throughout the day, pupils engaged in interactive lessons, role-playing scenarios, and creative projects to help them spot online scams, identify misleading information, and stay safe in the digital world. It has been a valuable experience for all, helping our pupils become more confident and responsible internet users!

#### Y4 visit Bristol Aquarium!

On Thursday, our Year 4 class had an unforgettable visit to Bristol Aquarium, where they took part in the Save Our Seas workshop. This guided tour gave the children a chance to observe a variety of fascinating marine creatures up close

while learning about the importance of protecting our oceans. They explored different marine environments, including mangrove forests, rainforests, and the open ocean, and discussed the impact of human activity on these delicate ecosystems. A highlight of the visit was the exclusive fish feeding experience, where pupils got to see marine life in action! The children also took part in a workshop on Coral Reefs and Climate Change, deepening their understanding of conservation efforts to protect these vital habitats. It was a fantastic day filled with discovery, curiosity, and a renewed appreciation for our oceans!

#### Y6 visit Cardiff Museum

Our Year 6 pupils had an exciting and educational trip to Cardiff Museum, where they took part in a Climate Change LEGO workshop. Using LEGO, the children designed and built their own ecosystems while exploring creative solutions to help

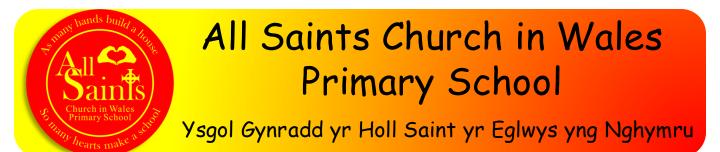
protect the environment. This hands-on activity encouraged teamwork, problem-solving, and a deeper understanding of climate change and sustainability. After the workshop, the children had the opportunity to explore the museum's Natural History section, where they discovered fascinating exhibits on wildlife, fossils, and prehistoric creatures. It was a fantastic day of learning, creativity, and discovery!

> 'As many hands build a house, so many hearts make a school.' 'Mae angen dwylo niferus i adeiladu ty , felly mae angen sawl calon i greu Ysgol'









#### PTA News - PTA Disco

As I am sure you are aware we will be holding a PTA Disco at school on <u>Thursday 20<sup>th</sup></u> <u>February</u> to raise funds for our wonderful children. Entrance fee is £2.00 per child (Cash only) and a variety of sweets and drinks will be available to purchase from 50p each. The disco will be split into two groups as follows:-

- 3.40pm 4.40pm Reception, Year 1, Year 2 (Please note all children must be accompanied by an adult)
- 4.45pm 5.45pm Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6
  Disco clothes optional, pay on the door and have fun dancing with your friends

All of these wonderful events require a lot of planning and volunteers. If you are able to help on the evening of the disco, please contact either Lauren or Jo via the PTA email - <u>allsaintspspta@outlook.com</u>

#### Easyfunding for ASPS.

All Saints Church In Wales Primary School, Barry are now registered with easyfundraising, which means you can raise FREE donations for us every time you shop online. Over 8,000 retailers will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to shop with them – at no extra cost to yourself! These donations really mount up and make a BIG difference to us, so we'd really appreciate it if you could take a moment to sign up and support us. It's completely FREE and only takes a moment.

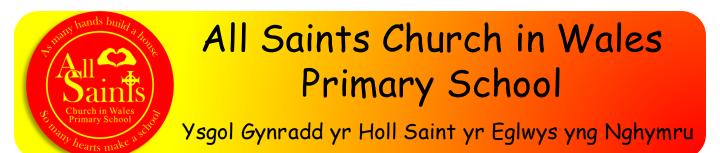
https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/all-saints-church-in-wales-primaryschoolbarry/?utm\_medium=email&utm\_campaign=pmc&utm\_content=gs-email1

#### World Book Day - 6/3/25

World Book Day was created by UNESCO on 23rd April 1995 as a worldwide celebration of books and reading. World Book Day is marked in over 100 countries around the globe. The first World Book Day in the UK and Ireland took place in 1997 to encourage young people to discover the pleasure of reading. As a school will be celebrating World Book Day by encouraging the children to bring their favourite book to school to share with their classmates. We are more than happy for children to come to school dressed up as their favourite character from a book, if they so wish. There is no expectation for the children to dress up and please do not go out and buy a costume especially for this day. If your child does not want to come to school dressed up as a character from literacy, they can come to school with their book and wear school uniform / PE uniform as normal.

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#### St David's Day Eisteddfod - Home Arts & Crafts Competition

This year our Eisteddfod will be held on <u>Friday 21<sup>st</sup> February.</u> We very much appreciate the efforts of families to dress the children in Welsh clothes. This adds to the atmosphere of the day. All children receive house points for dressing up and the judges will award additional points for 'inventive/unusual' costumes. This year, the home arts & crafts competition, for our St David's Day celebrations, has been decided by the Welsh Warriors pupil voice group. The children will be creating the National instrument of Wales, the Harp! You can choose any medium to create your harp; cardboard, clay, papier Mache etc.

Please bring your entry into school on **Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> February ready for judging.** The children hope that you enjoy this activity and remind you that the judges will be looking for the children's own work.

#### Dates for the Diary

Tuesday 18th February – Y6 attending a performance of 'The Wizard of Oz' @ SRG Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> February – PTA Rags 2 Riches Collection. Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> February – PTA Disco – see newsletter for more information. Friday 21<sup>st</sup> February – All Saints Eisteddfod Mon 24<sup>th</sup> – Fri 28<sup>th</sup> February – Half Term Holiday Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> March – INSET DAY – school closed to pupils Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> March - Start of Spring Term B. Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March – World Book Day Sunday 9th March – All Saints @ the Devils!!! Monday 10<sup>th</sup> – Friday 14<sup>th</sup> March – STEM Week Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> – Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March - Y6 Cycling Standards Training Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March – Red Nose Day Monday 24<sup>th</sup> March - Tempest Photos - Individual photos (8:15 – 9am families) Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> March – Landing Afternoon for Families Monday 31<sup>st</sup> March & Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April - Parent & Carer Consultation Evening Weds 9th – Friday 11th April - Y5 Residential Visit to Rock UK Monday 14<sup>th</sup> – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> April – Easter Holiday Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April - Start of Summer Term A.





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# All Saints PTA Disco

## Thursday 20th February Entry £2.00 per child

## Receptio , Yr1 & Yr2 – 3:40pm to 4:40pm Yr 3, Yr4, Yr 5 & Yr 6 – 4:45pm to 5:45pm

Refreshments will be available to purchase





### Our school is raising money by collecting reusable clothes.

Please help us by donating your unwanted reusable clothes and accessories. Donated items become affordable clothing and accessories.





### Dewch i ddarganfod mwy a dweud eich dweud **CREU LLEOEDD Y BARRI**

## **Chwefror 15 - 22 February**

## Come and find out more about **PLACEMAKING IN BARRY Have your say!**

#### Beth yw Creu Lleoedd / What is place Placemaking?

Mae Creu Lleoedd yn ddull cydlynol o sicrhau bod unrhyw fuddsoddiad neu ddatblygiad newydd yn cyfrannu'n bositif at amgylchedd a hunaniaeth y dref. Mae Creu Lleoedd yn rhoi pobl wrth wraidd y broses ac yn ymateb i anghenion y gymuned.

Placemaking is a coordinated approach to ensure that any new investment or development contributes positively to the town's environment and identity. Placemaking has people at the heart of the process and responds to the needs of the community.

### Lleoliadau / Venues

Llyfrgell y Barri Amgueddfa Ryfel a Chanolfan Dreftadaeth y Barri yng Ngorsaf Ynys y Barri	15/2/25 (11:30 ~ 14:30) 17/2/25 (09:00 ~12:30)	Barry Library Barry War Museum & Heritage Centre at Barry Island Station
Llyfrgell y Barri	17/2/25 (13:00 ~17:00)	
Canolfan Gymunedol Gibbonsdown Y POD (dan Golau Caredig)		Gibbonsdown Community Centre The Pod (under Golau Caredig)
Canolfan Gymunedol Parc Victoria Canolfan Gymunedol Buttrills		Victoria Park Community Centre Buttrills Community Centre
	22/2/25 (13:00 ~ 17:00)	













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