

# Llanfechain Church in Wales Primary School



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## New School Website

A reminder to sign up to our new school website – [www.llanfechainschool.org.uk](http://www.llanfechainschool.org.uk) By signing up you can receive regular notifications and follow our calendar.

## Cosford

A reminder that our federation trip to Cosford will be taking place on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> February (the first Wednesday after half term) Children will need to wear school uniform, bring a packed lunch, drink and a coat. Spending money of up to £10 is optional. We will be leaving at 9:00am and should be back by 4:10pm, time of arrival will be updated on our website, Facebook page and through messages (signal permitting).

## Cuppa, Cake and Company

A huge thank you to everyone who came along and/or supported our fundraising Cuppa, Cake and Company on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February. It was wonderful to welcome so many members of our school community in and to raise money for the amazing North-East Wales Search and Rescue Team. We have been raising more funds today and we will reveal the total soon.

We are so proud of all our children who worked so hard to make the event a success and represented our school brilliantly.

A big thank you to Steve from NEWSAR who came along, not just as a parent but as a member of the search and rescue team.

## School Eisteddfod – Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March

On Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March we will be holding our annual school Eisteddfod at the Village Hall, Llanfechain. The event will begin at 1:30pm and all are welcome to attend.

Our theme for the Eisteddfod this year is Welsh History – linked to our Time Machine topic.

Welsh history covers the whole past of Wales and what a rich history it is. From the Celtic times to the Princes of Wales like Owain Glyndwr, from the history of our language to the establishing of the Urdd and Eisteddfods, from our sporting journeys to our impressive castles, there is so much to this theme even locally at the Dolen Castell Mount, Llanfyllin Workhouse and Lake Vyrnwy. And we mustn't forget the tales of Welsh history like the legend of Gelert, the Mabinogion and, of course, our Welsh Dragon!

As part of our Eisteddfod children can enter the cookery and art competitions which we set as 'homework' tasks. All entries to the competitions will need to be in school by lunchtime on Monday 4<sup>th</sup>. Children can enter in as many of the categories as they wish. Below are further details of the categories, however we love to see how our families interpret the themes so please be as creative as you like!

