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Friday 16th October 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been another busy and successful week at Penrhiwceibr Primary School. Our pupils have once again demonstrated the values that make us so proud: kindness, determination, teamwork and respect.

From sporting success and community engagement to creative play and real-life learning experiences, pupils across the school have embraced opportunities to learn, grow and succeed together. Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Sporting Success

Our Year 5/6 girls reached the quarter-finals in the Urdd football tournament on Thursday, while our Year 3/4 mixed team also represented the school brilliantly.

Earlier in the week, our Year 5/6 five-a-side team demonstrated great skill, teamwork and resilience throughout their matches. We are incredibly proud of the sportsmanship, respect and positive attitudes shown by all our players.



Community Connections

This week, members of Pendyrus Male Choir visited the school to help pupils prepare for the Matthewstown and Penrhiwceibr War Memorial Clock 100th Anniversary Celebration this Sunday.

We hope to see many families there. A reminder that participating Y3-6 pupils need to arrive by 2.45pm, should wear school uniform and must be collected by a parent/carer at the end of the event.

Learning Highlights

- **Beech Class** have been busy developing their creativity and language skills through imaginative outdoor play, including creating and selling their own "Conker Soup"!
- **Acorn Class** enjoyed a visit to the Co-op, where they used their shopping lists to purchase healthy foods before returning to school to taste their choices.
- Some **Year 6 pupils** visited Mountain Ash Comprehensive School for a Health and Wellbeing transition day, their first secondary transition experience of the year. They represented the school well and enjoyed a fantastic day.





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Looking Ahead

- **Sunday 18th October** - War Memorial Clock 100th Anniversary Celebration (arrive 2:45pm)
- **Wednesday 21st October** - Year 1 Hearing Tests (inform the office if you DO NOT wish your child's hearing to be checked)
- **Thursday 22nd October** - FoPS Halloween Disco (Junior hall)
 - Infants: 4:00pm-5:00pm
 - Juniors: 5:30pm-6:30pm
- **Monday 26th-Friday 30th October** - Half Term
- **Week beginning 2nd November** - Parent Consultations (book via MCAS app)

Thank you for your continued support. Have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs L. Tudge
Headteacher