# Milford Haven School Ysgol Gyfun Aberdaugleddau



# EXCELSIOR

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Welcome back to school and welcome back to the half termly Excelsior Magazine.

In this exciting issue, we're celebrating the outstanding achievements of our pupils, highlighting their successes both in and out of the classroom.

From academic milestones to artistic talent and sporting triumphs, this magazine showcases the pride and ambition that define our school community.

You'll also get an exclusive sneak peek at what's coming during the next few weeks including special events, new projects, and opportunities for pupils to shine.

Get ready to be inspired!

# **Proud School**

Year 7 trumpeter Ella-May wowed everyone with her musical talents when she performed The Last Post during the Milford Haven Mine Memorial.





#### MHS welcomed MP

Diolch to Mr Tufnell MP for giving up his time to visit Milford Haven School in September. During his visit he spoke with pupils about our uniform policy and school reorganisation. He also had a catch up with Head Prefects Darcey and Zach about the MHS Senedd.,





# **Gweithdy Drama** Workshop

Actor and dramatist Ceri Ashe came to Ysgol Aberdaugleddau to work with a group of our Year 9 and 10 pupils. Ceri has been asked to produce a drama linking into young people's opinion of the Welsh language and through drama she did just that.

Ceri was impressed by their positivity towards the Cymraeg while noting the difficulties of learning for pobl ifanc. Diolch yn fawr to Menter Iaith Sir product.

# U15's Girls Welsh cup





The U15s Girls kicked off the 25/26 sports fixtures and secured a win in the final moments of the game against Ysgol Bro Gwaun.

**Score: 2-1** 

**Coaches player:** Evie M and Rabi J

## **Year 6 MAT transition day**

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Year 6 pupils visited MHS last and took part in a transition day, where they were able to experience lessons in Maths,

Science and English.



Thank you to the teachers who gave up their time to take part in this brilliant day.



#### Milford Haven Cluster of Schools Clwstwr Ysgolion Aberdaugleddau

















## **Art Club Competition**

Art Club took part in a chameleon competition.

The brief they were given was:

Lots of colour and patterns

Great Title

10 amazing facts about chameleons

There were 25 entries that were judged by Mr Owen and the 4 lucky winners were:

Oskar Emily Sophie Ffion



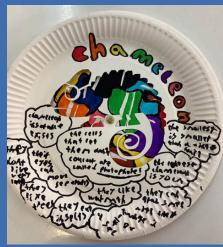














# Year 8 Boys Welsh Cup vs Ysgol Bro Gwaun

Year 8 boys played their Welsh Cup 1st
Round match, unfortunately the result
didn't go their way but the boys kept
working hard & playing for each other in
tricky windy conditions (as seen in the team
photo)!

MHS 1 - 2 YBG

#### Welsh Cup u13's vs YCE

Our year 7/8s played their round of the Welsh cup.
They made some solid tackles and had some good opportunities but we couldn't get the ball across the line to match Caer Elens strikers. We are unfortunately out of the Welsh cup with this age group, but look forward to them putting in some solid performances in future fixtures.

Goal scored: Brooke R 🍑

Players player - Mollie T and Kyla D Coaches player - Alaya M



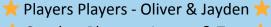
#### **Year 11 Boys Welsh Cup**

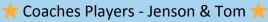
Year 11 boys played their first of two Welsh Cup matches.

We hosted Ysgol Dyffryn Aman at Milford United FC. A brilliant team performance with heart & good football seen us come away with a deserved 4-0 win.









# MHS becomes first secondary school in Pembrokeshire to open a Big Bocs Bwyd Unit.



The Big Bocs Bwyd is a pay as you feel shop and is open to pupils, parents and the wider school community in a bid to reduce food waste.

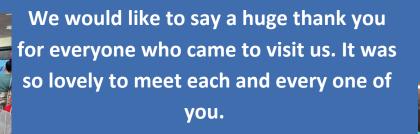
8 Cleddau were given the responsibility of getting the shop ready for launch.

They created posters, researched recipes, harvested food from our school garden, and cooked yummy taster treats to hand out.





# THANK YOU











## Year 9 boys Welsh Cup vs Ysgol Caer Elen

Year 9 boys travelled to Ysgol CaerElen to play the first round of the Welsh Cup.

MHS win 3-1 and qualify for Round 2 of the competition!

- Mason, Ethan & Chester with the goals.
  - 💫 Players Players Ethan & Chester
  - Coaches Players Jack & Marley

#### **Cross Country**

Congratulations to these pupils who ran in the cross country event!

A few highlights are:

- ★Henley F 1st in year 8/9
- ★Evie M 8th in year 10/11
  - tive W 9th in year 8







Our new Year 7 boys cohort played their first MHS football match!

24 pupils took part & put in a good spirited performance with superb sportsmanship on show. A very proud school! Da iawn bechgyn!



# Coffee morning raises vital funds!

MHS raised £190 during our annual Macmillan coffee morning.



Thank you to all pupils and staff who took the time to bake all of the delicious cakes.







## **HelloYellow Day**

We raised a magnificent total of £276.96 which will go towards the support of young people's mental health.

Plenty of opportunity to talk & enjoy the "Sponging Mr Freeman, Mrs Shorter, Miss Latham, Mr Kench, Mr Forrester & Mr Butland! "" as well as "How many yellow sweets in the jar" during break time!

Everyone's Mental Health Matters, not just on HelloYellow Day, but everyday.





### **Prefect Team visit Parliament!**

The Prefect Team went on a tour around Parliament. They went to the public gallery and both front benches were in attendance, so they were able to see Keir Starmer, David Lammy, Yvette Cooper, Kemi Badenoch etc. Starmer was about to give his speech on the Middle East, but they watched a few points of order paying tribute to the late Ming Campbell.

They spotted Vaughan Gething, the former First Minister of Wales, along with Marvin Rees, the former Mayor of Bristol and current member of the Lords.

Vaughan was kind enough to talk with our pupils about the school Senedd and their intentions to vote.



# Ret Checolate Friday















# GOMING SOON

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> Nov - GCSE Art Exhibition
Friday 14<sup>th</sup> Nov - Children in Need
Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> Nov - Year 10 Progress Eve
Monday 24<sup>th</sup> Nov - INSET DAY
Monday 1<sup>st</sup> Dec - Family Forum
Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> Dec - Christmas Fayre
Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> Dec - Carol Service