

Every two weeks we will send a news update like this one to all parents/carers by email. We will also make this available on our website. If you have any comments or suggestion on how we can keep you in touch with what's going on in school, or want to update us with any news items, please let us know via : [newsletter@aberconwy.onmicrosoft.com](mailto:newsletter@aberconwy.onmicrosoft.com)

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## Congratulations to our Weekly Prize Winners

### STAR OF THE WEEK

Week 21 : 6<sup>th</sup> February  
Isaac Dean 8LLC

Week 22 : 13<sup>th</sup> February

### 100% ATTENDANCE

[Our weekly £5 prize draw for students with 100% attendance in the previous week]

Week 21 ending 10<sup>th</sup> February  
Crafnant : **Emily Gillespie 11CC**  
Llugwy : **Anna Hughes 13LLC**  
Dulyn : **Hayden Davies-Tidwell 12DC**  
Hiraethlyn : **Nicole Coulson 11HC**

Week 22 ending 17<sup>th</sup> February  
Crafnant : **Rollover**  
Llugwy : **Mustafa Koca**  
Dulyn : **Rollover**  
Hiraethlyn : **Rollover**

## Outdoor Success

We sent our first climbing team to the North Wales School's "Bouldering" competition before half term. The first round for Conwy Schools took place at Ysgol Gogarth on 8th Feb. We had a mixed team of year 7-11. Trials for the team took place over lunchtimes in the weeks leading up to the competition and were run by the older OAA pupils.

Our year 10 OAA pupils were all successful in passing their "Paddlesport 1 Award". They participated in a six week kayaking course in conjunction with Nant B H as part of their OAA course and this was funded by a grant from The Thomas Howell's Education Fund for North Wales



## Congratulations to ....

... Ben Foggo who was recently crowned as British weightlifting champion achieving lots of PBs and Gold medals along the way!

... Elin and Ceri Watson who have qualified to swim in the Easter Welsh Nationals down in Swansea. This means they have Welsh qualification times which is a huge achievement. Elin swims for Conwy County Performance Squad whilst Ceri swims for Conwy County Potential squad at Llandudno swimming pool.

... Ben Payne who won this year's Aberconwy's Got Talent with performances from the musical "Hamilton". Well done to all the other competitors who made the evening such a memorable event!



## Girls on site!

Before half term a group of girls from year 9 spent a day with 'Read Construction' to get an insight into career opportunities in the construction industry, to learn a variety of new skills, including plastering and brick-laying, and to take a look around the 'Awel y Mynydd' site in Llandudno Junction. The group found the day informative and engaging and were interested to see how the new school is developing.



## Coming Up

Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> March : Year 9 option choices deadline.  
Fri 10<sup>th</sup> March : V1th form applications/option choices deadline.  
7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> March : Performance of 'Extremism' – NT Connections play.  
Mon 13<sup>th</sup> Feb : Year 11, 12 and 13 Mock exams start  
Thurs 23<sup>rd</sup> & Fri 24<sup>th</sup> March : Year 11 WBQ Community Challenge days

