

# menter fachwen



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the WALK AND DISCOVER PROJECT

## Menter Fachwen NEWS - Gorfennaf / July 2019

BILINGUAL POST

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CYLCHLYTHYR GORFFENNAF / JULY NEWSLETTER

Annwyl Gyfeillion

Gobeithio bod pawb yn iawn. I gychwyn, diolch i chi gyd daeth ar y daith i gofio'r Ffrwydriad Powdwr Oil yng Nghwm y Glo dydd Sul 30 Mehefin, ac hynny 150 mlynedd i'r diwrnod (a'r eiliad) ar ôl y trychineb fawr. Erioed wedi ceisio'r fath beth o'r blaen a wir obeithio eich bod i gyd wedi ei mwynhau.

Fel arfer, gryn tipyn i fynd trwyddo mis yma, felly dyma'r rhestr teithiau gerdded a newyddion diweddaraf y cynllyn i chi (gyda cipolwg hefyd ar rhaglen Mis Awst).

TEITHIAU GERDDED

GWENER 5 GORFFENNAF 2.00yp  
LLANRUG I CAE METTA A CHYRION DINAS DINORWIG (3½ milltir)  
CYCHWYN: STAD BRO RYTHALLT, LLANRUG\* SH 54271 63409  
CYMEDROL. SGIDIAU CERDDED. / MODERATE. WALKING SHOES

\*Os yn dod o gyfeiriad Llanberis ar yr A4086, trowch i'r dde gyferbyn a tafarn Glyntwrog, Llanrug. Ychydig i lawr yr allt fe welwch safle bus ar y dde. Byddwn yn cychwyn oddi yno. Fel arfer nid yw parcio yn broblem.

MERCHER 17 GORFFENNAF 2.00yp  
CHWEDLAU DINAS EMRYS (2½ milltir)  
CYCHWYN: MAES PARCIO CRAFLWYN, YR YMDDIRIEDOLAETH GENEDLAETHOL, BEDDGELERT \*  
SH 59960 48969

ANODD. ANGEN SGIDIAU CERDDED. CAMFEYDD. CWM AR DENNYN OS GWELWCH YN DDA.

\*Ar y dde cyn cyrraedd Beddgelert os chi'n dod o gyfeiriad Penygwryd.

IAU 25 GORFFENNAF 10.30yb a 2.00yp  
DINORWIG '50: TAITH HANES CHWAREL DINORWIG: RHIF 4 o 6  
10.30yb: DOCIAU Y FELINHELI  
2.00yp: PENSCHOINS  
CYCHWYN: Y FELIN SGWRSIO\*, Ffordd Bangor, Y Felinheli SH 52584 67687  
TAITH Y BORE I'R DOCIAU: HAWDD.  
TAITH Y PRYNHAWN I PENSCHOINS: CYMEDROL GYDA ALLT SERTH.  
\*Canolfan cymunedol bychan yw'r Felin Sgwrsio mewn hen siop. Mae ar y stryd fawr yn Y Felinheli, ddim yn bell o Cloc y Pentref ac gyferbyn a siop trin gwallt.

## NEWYDDION

### CYNLLUN ENWAU LLEOEDD CYMRU

Efallai i chi weld yn y wasg bod Cymdeithas Enwau Lleoedd wedi derbyn grant gan y Loteri Genedlaethol er mwyn datblygu prosiect newydd a fydd yn “casglu ac yn cofnodi” enwau lleoedd. Felly, fel rhan o’r cynllun bydd Cynllun Cerdded a Darganfod Menter Fachwen yn gweithio ar casglu enwau Chwarel Dinorwig, Plwyf Llanddeiniolen a Dinas Bangor. Yn hyn o beth byddwn yn trefnu nifer o weithgareddau, teithiau cerdded ac arddangosfeydd yn y fro dros y misoedd nesaf a’r gaeaf. Edrychwch allan amdanynt. Fel rhan o’r prosiect, rydym am geisio creu fap newydd o Chwarel Dinorwig bydd yn enwi’r ponciau a sinciau i gyd yn ogystal a gweddillion ‘archaeolegol’ sydd yn weddill o’r chwareli (a’r tramffyrdd ayy) gwreiddiol.

### MAP AC ARDDANGOSFA NEWYDD ‘HANES YR IDDEWON YN LLANDUDNO’

Yn dilyn llwyddiant y prosiect ‘Hanes yr Iddewon ym Mangor’, rydym yn falch dweud ein bod eisoes yn cyd-weithio gyda’r Brifysgol unwaith eto gan ganolbwyntio ar Llandudno y tro hwn. Gyda llaw, bydd yr arddangosfa roedd yn y galeri ym Mangor yn mynd i’r Cynulliad yng Nghaerdydd yn Mis Tachwedd.

### MAPIAU ERAILL

Mae trafodaethau ar y gweill i drefnu prosiectau ar gyfer 3 fap newydd arall byddai’n cynnwys Bontnewydd, Llanrug/Cwm y Glo/ Brynrefail ac ati ac Caernarfon hefyd. Prosiectau ar gyfer y gaeaf a 2020 efallai?

### CERDDED NORDIG

Mae sawl un yn ddiweddar wedi holi am y Cerdded Nordig – a criw o bobol newydd ydynt hefyd. Byddai’n help i ni yn Menter os oes modd i unrhyw un ohonoch byddai a diddordeb ymuno a ni gadael i ni wybod os gwelwch yn dda.

### CIPOLWG AR TEITHIAU MIS AWST

Dyma cipolwg cyflym i chi – Cewch rhagor o fanylion yn agosach i’r amser:

#### IAU 1 AWST

DINORWIG ’50: TAITH 5 o 6: CRWYDRO HANES A CHWAREL MARCHLYN

#### MERCHER 7 AWST

COED Y FAENOL

#### GWENER 16 AWST

TAITH GORFFWYSFA I LLYN LLYDAW

#### GWENER 30 AWST

DINORWIG ’50: TAITH 6 o 6: ‘CAU’R CHWAREL’.

Dyna ni am y tro. Hwyl tan y tro nesaf.

Gareth

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## MENTER FACHWEN WALK AND DISCOVER PROJECT

### JULY NEWSLETTER

Dear Friends

Hope that you are all well. To start, thank you all who ventured out on Sunday evening 30 June to re-trace the story of The Nitro-Glycerine Explosion in Cwm y Glo, exactly 150 years to the day (and minute) after those terrible events. We have never attempted such a thing before and I hope you enjoyed it.

As ever there's a ton of things to go through this month so without further ado, here are the walks and news for July (and a brief look forward to August).

### WALKS

FRIDAY 5 JULY 2.00pm

LLANRUG TO CAE METTA AND THE ENVIRONS OF DINAS DINORWIG (3½ milltir / miles)

START: STAD BRO RHYTHALLT ESTATE, LLANRUG\* SH 54271 63409

MODERATE. WALKING SHOES

\*If you are approaching Llanrug on the A4086 from the direction of Llanberis, turn right opposite the Glyntwrog Inn. A couple of hundred yards down the hill on the right is a bus stop. We will be starting from there. There is usually no problem with parking on that hill.

WEDNESDAY 17 JULY 2.00pm

THE LEGENDS OF DINAS EMRYS (2½ milltir/miles)

START: CRAFLWYN CAR PARK\*, CRAFLWYN HALL, THE NATIONAL TRUST, BEDDGELEERT  
SH 59960 48969

DIFFICULT. WALKING SHOES.

\*If you are coming from Penygwryd, Craflwyn Hall Car Park is on the right just before you reach the village of Beddgelert.

THURSDAY 25 JULY 10.30am and 2.00pm

DINORWIG '50: HISTORY OF THE QUARRY: PART 4 of 6

10.30am: FELINHELI DOCKS

2.00pm: PENSCOINS

START: Y FELIN SGWRSIO\*, BANGOR STREET, Y FELINHELI SH 52584 67687

MORNING WALK TO THE DOCKS: EASY

AFTERNOON WALK TO PENSCOINS: DIFFICULT WITH A STEEP HILL.

\*FELIN SGWRSIO is on the main street through Y Felinheli and is a small community centre that looks like a shop front. It is near the village clock, opposite a hairdressers' shop.

### NEWS

## THE WELSH PLACE NAMES PROJECT

You may have seen in the news that the WELSH PLACE NAMES SOCIETY has been successful in obtaining a grant to develop a new project 'collecting and recording' local place names. Therefore, as part of the project, The Menter Fachwen Walk and Discover Project will be working on collecting the names at Dinorwig Quarry, Llanddeiniolen parish and the City of Bangor. Shortly, we will be arranging activities, walks and exhibitions in these areas over the next few months and over the winter – so look out for them. As part of the project, I am also going to attempt to map the Dinorwig Quarry as it is today and archive not only the present levels and quarries but the 'archaeological' remains of lost and former quarries (levels and tramways etc).

NEW MAP AND PROJECT: 'THE JEWISH HISTORY OF LLANDUDNO'.

Following the success of the 'Jewish History of Bangor' map, exhibition and 'app', we are very pleased to announce that we will be working with the University in Bangor once again and concentrating on Llandudno this time. By the way, the exhibition that was recently featured in the gallery in Bangor will be moved to the Welsh Assembly building in November.

## OTHER PROJECTS

Among the projects currently in the discussion stages are maps of Bontnewydd, the Llanrug/Cwm y Glo/Brynrefail area and Caernarfon as well. Some projects for 2020 maybe?

## NORDIC WALKING

We have had a few enquiries lately from people who would be new to Nordic Walking. It would be a help to us if those of you who are interested could drop us a line so that we can plan for the future. I am doing my very best to try and find further funding to expand the NORDIC WALKING as there is obviously a 'need' for it.

## A BRIEF LOOK AT THE AUGUST WALKS

And finally, just a quick look at my plans for August. You will get further details closer to the time:

### THURSDAY 1 AUGUST

DINORWIG '50: WALK 5 of 6: DISCOVERING THE HISTORY OF MARCHLYN.

### WEDNESDAY 7 AUGUST

FAENOL WOODS

### FRIDAY 16 AUGUST

FROM PEN Y PASS TO LLYN LLYDAW

### FRIDAY 30 AUGUST

DINORWIG '50: WALK 6 of 6: 'CLOSING THE QUARRY'

That's all for now. See you soon.

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