

# DYNEVOR SCHOOL, SWANSEA



Seventy Fifth Anniversary  
1883 - 1958

## SPEECH DAY AND PRIZE GIVING

CHAIRMAN :

Councillor F. A. GORST  
Chairman of the Education Committee.

GUEST SPEAKER :

Sir BEN BOWEN THOMAS, M.A.,  
Permanent Secretary, Welsh Department, Ministry of Education.

HEADMASTER :

MEREDYDD GLYN HUGHES, Esq., M.A. (Cantab.),  
Barrister-at-Law.

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THE BRANGWYN HALL, SWANSEA

6.30 p.m. Thursday, 22 May, 1958

# Programme

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1. GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.
2. Address of Welcome :  
JOHN RICHARDSON, UVI Sci.
3. Chairman's Remarks.
4. Headmaster's Report.
5. The School Orchestra :
  1. German Dance No. 1 .. .. . *Mozart*
  2. Overture—" The Shepherd King " .. *Mozart*
6. Presentation of Certificates, Prizes and Trophies by the Guest Speaker.
7. The Guest Speaker :  
Sir BEN BOWEN THOMAS, M.A.
8. The School Choir :
  1. " Y Ddau Farch " .. .. . arr. *Grace Davies*
  2. " Y Bore Glas " .. .. . arr. *Gwyn Williams*
  3. " Llanfair " .. .. . arr. *John Richards*
9. Vote of Thanks.
10. MAE HEN WLAD FY NHADAU.

## Recent Awards

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| 1957 State Scholarship   | .. John Frank Spencer |
| 1958 The William Edwards Open Scholarship, Swansea University College. | .. J. Adrian Williams |
| 1958 The John Hughes Open Scholarship, Aberystwyth University College  | .. T. Handel Davies   |

## General Certificate of Education

### ADVANCED LEVEL :

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| Leighton John Bennett                             | .. | Pure & Applied Maths., Physics, Chemistry.           |
| David Wm. Beynon                                  | .. | Latin, French.                                       |
| Colin Rees David                                  | .. | English, Latin.                                      |
| Hugh Davies                                       | .. | French, Spanish.                                     |
| Roger Francois De la Mare                         | .. | Pure & Applied Maths., Physics, Chemistry.           |
| Thomas Ivor Ellis                                 | .. | Pure & Applied Maths., Physics, Chemistry.           |
| Colin Thomas Evans                                | .. | Geography, Geology.                                  |
| Richard John Foote                                | .. | Biology, Geology (Dist.).                            |
| Kenneth G. E. Hendy                               | .. | Physics, Art.  |
| David Mathias James                               | .. | Pure & Applied Maths., Physics, Chemistry.           |
| John Morrison King                                | .. | Pure & Applied Maths., Physics.                      |
| John Linnard                                      | .. | Geography, Pure & Applied Maths., Physics.           |
| Donald S. MacCreadie                              | .. | Geography, Geology.                                  |
| Barrington V. Mathias                             | .. | Geography (Dist.), Geology.                          |
| John Mansel Morgan                                | .. | Physics, Chemistry.                                  |
| William John Morgan                               | .. | Latin, History.                                      |
| Leslie David Newman                               | .. | Physics, Chemistry, Biology.                         |
| Clifford John Picton                              | .. | English, German, History.                            |
| John Powell                                       | .. | Geography, Geology.                                  |
| William Teifon Rees                               | .. | Pure & Applied Maths., Physics, Chemistry.           |
| Clive A. Reynolds                                 | .. | English, History, Geography.                         |
| Michael P. Sidey                                  | .. | Pure & Applied Maths., Physics, Chemistry.           |
| John Frank Spencer                                | .. | Pure Maths., Applied Maths, (Dist.), Physics (Dist.) |
| <i>(State Scholarship)</i><br>David Rhodri Thomas | .. | English, History, Geography.                         |
| Vivian Clive T. Tucker                            | .. | Geography, Geology.                                  |

### ORDINARY LEVEL :

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| Sylgwyn H. Alexander   | .. | Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, History, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.   |
| Christopher J. Andrews | .. | Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry. |
| James K. Barr          | .. | Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., History, Geography, Gen. Sci., Mathematics.                |
| David M. Bevan         | .. | Eng. Lang., French, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.                   |
| Thomas M. Bevan        | .. | Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, German, History, Geography.                        |
| Winston F. Beynon      | .. | Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, History, Mathematics, Chemistry.            |
| Derek Brown            | .. | Eng. Lit., Eng. Lang., History, Geography, Mathematics, Physics.                  |
| Anthony B. Chick       | .. | Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry. |

ORDINARY LEVEL -- *continued.*

Vivian G. Dale	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, History, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
Haydn G. Darracott	..	Eng. Lang., French, History, Geography, Mathematics.
Ceri S. Davies	..	Eng. Lang., Latin, French, History, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
David Michael H. Davies	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, History, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
John Lynne Davies	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, History, Geography, Mathematics, Chemistry.
Roy A. Davis	..	Eng. Lang., History, Geography, Mathematics, Chemistry.
Albert J. Discombe	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Woodwork.
Christopher P. S. Edwards	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Art.
Frederick F. Fielding	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, History, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
Donald I. L. Gibbs	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, Geography, Mathematics.
Francis M. Gibbs	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, German, History, General Science, Art.
Richard A. Goodwin	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, Spanish, Latin.
Christopher C. Grenfell	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, History, Mathematics.
William H. Grey	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, Geography, Mathematics, Chemistry.
John Griffiths	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Welsh, French, History, Geography, Mathematics, General Science.
Talfryn Griffiths	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, History, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
John S. Hancock	..	Eng. Lang., Latin, French, History, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Music.
James B. G. Harding	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, German, History, Geography, Mathematics, General Science.
Anthony Hern	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., History, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
Brian Upton Hopkins	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, History, Geography.
David James	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Welsh, French, History, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
Hugh James	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Welsh, French, History, Geography, Mathematics, General Science.
Peter Haydn James	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, History, Mathematics, Music.
Randall A. Jones	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, Spanish, French, Mathematics, General Science.
Brian Laramy	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, History, Mathematics, Chemistry.
Brian R. Levi	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., History, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
John Lewis	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., History, Geography, General Science.
John Linnell	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.

ORDINARY LEVEL—*continued.*

Leonard B. Mitchell	..	Eng. Lang., History, Geography, General Science, Woodwork, (Sp. Arithmetic).
David M. Morgan	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, Geography, Mathematics, Chemistry.
Gwynfor E. Morgan	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, History, Geography, Mathematics, General Science, Music.
Thomas J. Nicholson	..	Eng. Lang., French, Geography, Mathematics, Woodwork.
David P. P. Norman	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, History, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
Harry S. Norris	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, History, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
William L. F. Osborne	..	Eng. Lang. Eng. Lit., French, History, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
David Owen	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, Spanish.
John H. Palmer	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, German, History, Geography, Mathematics, General Science.
Roger Pickthorne	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., German, Geography, Chemistry, French, Mathematics.
Anthony E. Pierce	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, Scripture Knowledge, History, Mathematics, Chemistry, Art.
Peter J. Powell	..	Eng. Lang., Latin, French, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
Edward G. Prater	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, German, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
Brian M. Price	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Geography, Mathematics, Chemistry.
Patrick L. Quinn	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, History, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
William T. Roberts	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, Geography, Mathematics, Art.
Paul H. Rowlands	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Welsh Lang., Welsh Lit., Latin, French, Geography, Mathematics, General Science.
Raymond J. Thatcher	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, Scripture Knowledge, History, Chemistry.
Brian Thomas	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Scripture Knowledge, History, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, French.
Christopher J. Thomas	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, German, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
David F. Tovey	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Art.
David P. Vaughan	..	Eng. Lang., French, German, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
John R. Williams	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., French, History, Mathematics, Chemistry, Music.
Gerald A. Worts	..	Eng. Lang., Eng. Lit., Latin, French, History, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
Ronald E. Young	..	Eng. Lang., Eng., Lit., French, German, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.

## SCHOOL FORM PRIZES :

1A	Gareth A. Bevan	
1B	Philip M. Cross	
1C	John H. Baker	
1D	Robert R. Jones	
2A	Godfrey J. Adams	
2B	Robert F. Beynon	
2C	Robert M. Cooper	
2D	{ Michael S. Parkes Roger W. Thomas	
3A		Clive Bevan
3B	David J. Jones	
3C	David B. Evans	
3D	Peter E. Lewis	
4A	Robert B. Hennigan	
4B	Robert V. Barnes	
4C	Anthony R. V. Matthews	
4D	Anthony C. Hicks	
5A	Keith Jones	
5B	Edward J. Davies	
5C	David A. Powell	
5D	John C. H. Davies	
The Penhale Prize	.. David Harris	4A
	Jeffrey Turner	4B
The Leslie Norman English Prize	.. P. Quinn	LVI Sci.
The Colonel Hyett Prize	.. John S. Hancock	LVI Arts.
	James B. Harding	LVI Arts.
The Griff David Prize	.. David P. Norman	LVI Sci.
	Harry S. Norris	LVI Sci.
The Dynevor Prize	.. John Richardson	UVI Sci.
	Hywel Lewis	UVI Sci.
The De-la-Beche Prize	.. Seymour Phillips	UVI Arts.
	John D. Austin	UVI Sci.

## PRESENTATION OF TROPHIES

The Glan Powell Cup	..	DAVID PRICE, VD. Exhibitor of Honour ; Hobbies Exhibition, 1957.
Inter-House Junior Rugby Trophy	..	Grove House
Inter-House Senior Rugby Trophy	..	Dillwyn House
Inter-House Junior Soccer Shield	..	Roberts House
The Harold Richards Senior Soccer Cup	..	Llewellyn House
The Harry Secombe Cup	..	

*The "Harry Secombe Cup" is awarded to the top House taking account of school activities as a whole : academic work, rugby, soccer, athletics and the Hobbies Exhibition.*

1883 - 1958.

1883. Swansea Higher Grade School, Trinity Place.  
First Headmaster : Mr. GOMER JONES, B.A.
1884. Mr. SAMUEL ROBERTS, B.A., appointed Headmaster.
1894. The School moved to Dynevor Place.
1896. A change of name to " Swansea Higher Elementary School."
1908. Became the " Swansea Municipal Secondary School."
1910. Mr. SAMUEL ROBERTS resigned after 26 years as Headmaster.
1911. Mr. W. A. BEANLAND, B.A., became Headmaster.
1929. Mr. LLEWELYN JOHN B.Sc., appointed Headmaster on the  
resignation of Mr. Beanland.  
The Old Boys' Association was formed with Mr. Beanland  
as first President.  
The School moved into its new buildings and shortly became  
known as " Dynevor School."
1941. Partial destruction of the School in the Blitz.
1942. Mr. W. BRYN THOMAS, M.A., became Headmaster on the  
resignation of Mr. John.
1952. Mr. GLAN POWELL, B.A., became Headmaster on the  
resignation of Mr. Thomas.
1957. A major project of restoration and reconstruction was begun  
at the School.  
Mr. MEREDYDD G. HUGHES became Headmaster on the  
resignation of Mr. Powell.
1958. 75th Anniversary Celebrations.

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A Special Commemoration Issue of the School Magazine will be  
published shortly and copies may be ordered from the School.

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The School records with gratitude the help—both financial and  
otherwise—which has been received from the Old Dyvorians'  
Association in arranging the 75th Anniversary Celebrations.