

and sat at tables all with 2 metre distancing. It was also a nice day, and it was enjoyed by all.

We all look forward to a return to 'normality' some time during 2021, but in the meantime, please feel free to contact us if you think we might be of assistance to you in some way.

Christmas will certainly be different this year – well, the first one was at a feeding trough in a cowshed – so back to basics?



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SCHOOL TREAT - On Saturday night, the 3rd of January, the children of Dolyddelen School were treated with presents from a splendid Christmas tree in the schoolroom, chiefly through the munificence of Mr. Charles Kurtz of Coed-y-celyn, who is so well known in this neighbourhood for his liberalities towards all benevolent and philanthropic movements. When the doors were opened, 150 youngsters made their appearance, and were delighted with the tree, which had been tastefully decorated with every variety of prize, under the superintendence of Mr. H Findlay (the son of the chief manager of the LNWR) who has recently come to reside in the parish. He also provided several beautiful prizes for the occasion.

Adults were admitted by paying one shilling. In the intervals songs were sung, by Mr. Findlay and the blind harpist, and were highly applauded. After the prizes were distributed, Mr Findlay presented the children with apples and oranges. The vicar of the parish proposed a cordial vote of thanks to Mr. Findlay, Mr. Kurtz and to the Gwydyr Estate for the tree.