

Bryn Offa Newsletter

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The first thing I would like to do in this newsletter is to thank all parents for their co-operation during the difficult situation with the car park. I was really pleased to be able to open the school after the Easter break, albeit with some restrictions in place. It was actually really nice to see that lots of parents had taken the opportunity to walk to school with their children, which I think makes for a much nicer start to the day than a short car journey. I would be delighted to see this continue long after the roadworks have gone.

My understanding is that the work will continue into next week and possibly beyond, so the restrictions may need to stay in place a little longer. As soon as we can return to the normal use of the car park I will let all parents know.

I would like to finish by saying that without the co-operation of the Landlord of The Cross Guns we would not have been able to open and many parents could have experienced child care difficulties during this time. It would be nice to think their kindness will be repaid by our parents supporting this local business.

Police Presentation

Dyfed Powys Police will be holding a presentation regarding county lines and drugs in the local area if any parents wish to attend. It will take place on Wednesday 8th May at 7.00pm at Llanymynech Village Hall and is open to everyone.

Class Photo Orders



The last day for Class Photograph orders is **Tuesday 7th May**

Week commencing Monday 6th April

Monday- Bank Holiday (school closed)

Tuesday during school – Guitar lessons and Football Tournament at Gobowen Primary School

Thursday during school – Yr 5 John Muir session at Treflach Farm



Stars of the Week



Noah Star for working really hard this week and for doing some brilliant Maths work!

Taylor Grove for making huge progress in phonics. Taylor has worked so hard during the Easter holidays to learn his new sounds!

Calisee Lyon for working very hard this week. She has begun her work straight away and has worked independently without asking for any help. Keep up the good work Calisee!

Temperance Waddington-Gries for showing great initiative and maturity this week. She thought of a new idea of how she could help Mrs Prior and Mrs Machin with classroom routines!

Lacey Watkis for coming back to school after the Easter holidays with a great attitude to learning! She has worked hard particularly in English this week, during SPAG activities where she has grown in confidence. Well done Lacey, keep it up!

Rylan Beckett for being such an enthusiastic learner! He reads every day and is starting to enjoy books now he is becoming more fluent. Rylan has also tried really hard with his Maths this week and has done some brilliant fractions work.

Braiden Keechen for working really hard this week. He is keen to get started on his work and is asking if he can do more! Miss Harvey, Miss Parry and Mrs Maddocks have all chosen Braiden to be their Star of the Week this week. Keep up the positive attitude Braiden!

Elise Swannick for giving up some of her free time at lunchtime to help Miss Hyde. This shows what a lovely, kind and caring girl she is!

Abi Evans for working really hard this week, especially when adding decimals. She was the first to finish on her table and to complete all of her corrections. Well done Abi!

Owen Smith for making a great start to the new term. He has concentrated really hard and has tried his best in every lesson. Owen worked especially well with his partner in English to identify the features of a poem. Well done Owen!

Josh Taaffe for continuing to challenge himself and to try his best this week, despite being on crutches! The quality of his ideas in English has been particularly outstanding. Well done Josh!

Olivia Lambert for being super brave when showing her gymnastics routine to the whole of the class. Olivia and her group produced a superb routine showing control and flair. Great effort Olivia, well done!

Keiran Swannick for showing excellent focus in gymnastics this week. He listened to and acted upon advice given by his peers. His performance on the beam was particularly impressive!

Izzy Hawkes for her excellent contribution in Science with Miss Hyde this week. Izzy always takes great pride in her presentation and challenges herself. Well done Izzy! Izzy has also been given Star of the Week by Mr Jones this week for showing random acts of kindness in school. Mr Jones has noticed Izzy being a great team player. She holds the door open for others and supports other children with their work- totally unprompted. Izzy has had a great week! Well done!

Callum Breeze for working harder than ever after his return to school after the Easter holidays. He has a great attitude and fantastic focus. Well done Callum!