

# Bryn Offa Newsletter

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As we approach the end of the first half term of the Summer Term we can look forward to the rest of the Summer which will be more back to normal than it has been for a couple of years.

The sporting events are well under way with more and more of them coming back after quite a break. The Cross Country has continued to go from strength to strength with 35 children representing Bryn Offa this week. Those parents who can remember what a tough event cross country is from their own school days, will recognise this as a huge achievement for a school our size.

In the next half-term we will welcome the new children who will start with us in September. This is now back to our usual system of one morning, one afternoon and one full day, with the parents also getting the opportunity to stay for lunch on one the days. We are expecting an intake this year of 24 children into Reception, so the school numbers continue to be really healthy.

Of course, in addition to getting ready to welcome our new pupils we are also getting ready to say goodbye to our Year 6 children. It is in the next half term that these children will have the opportunity to spend time in their chosen secondary school. On the 12<sup>th</sup> July we have the exciting but always emotional leavers performance to the parents of the Year 6 children. This will be my twelfth at Bryn Offa, but it is always difficult to say goodbye to children I've seen every day for the last seven years.

The other event that has been really missed has been our Sports Day. Everyone is delighted that this will be back to normal this year with the parents invited in to watch. Let's all hope for a beautifully sunny day on 15<sup>th</sup> July 2022.

## **Year 4 multiplication checks**

The Year 4 pupils will have their multiplication checks during the week commencing 13th June. A leaflet regarding this will be sent out with this Newsletter.

## **Head Lice**

Please note that a couple of cases of head lice have recently been reported in school. Please do your part to prevent head lice spreading by checking your child's hair. **We would recommend that your child's hair is checked regularly (at least once a week), and on a regular basis thereafter.** If head lice or eggs are detected, treatment should be given. We would ask that any cases of head lice are reported to the school office to allow us to monitor cases and prevent head lice spreading.



## Week commencing Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> May

Monday after school:	Creation Club and Dance Club
Tuesday during school:	Football Match at Gobowen Primary, Guitar lessons pm
Tuesday after school:	Textiles Club and Sports Club
Wednesday during school:	Woodwind lessons pm
Thursday during school:	Class 1 Forest School pm
Thursday after school:	Jubilee Celebrations in school and Jubilee Lunch for the children, Outdoor Activity Club and Lego Club, Cross Country at The Marches 4pm-5pm
Friday:	School is closed

## Bryn Offa Value of the Month- Perseverance

Don't give up.  
I believe in you all.  
A person's a person  
no matter how small.  
- Dr. Seuss

"Blessed is the one who perseveres under trial because, having stood the test, that person will receive the crown of life that the Lord has promised to those who love him" (James 1:12).



### Stars of the Week



**Ivy Lambourn** for her fabulous writing this week about the Queen's Jubilee. Well done Ivy!

**Ophelia-Rose Cubberley** for working really enthusiastically in Maths this week. Ophelia-Rose was very proud of herself and Mrs Prior and Mrs Dibbins are very proud of her too. Well done Ophelia-Rose!

**Eva Swannick** for her fantastic letter to the Queen! Eva thought of some lovely questions and worked really hard to complete her letter independently! Well done Eva!

**Florence Bryan** for also writing a fantastic letter to the Queen! Florence's handwriting is always beautifully neat and her ideas were very creative. Well done Florence!

**Henry Bowkett** for being an absolutely delightful member of Class 3! Henry always has a smile on his face and makes Class 3 laugh every day! He is also making super progress with his Maths, especially with his times tables. Keep up the great work Henry, well done!

**Niamh Tuer** for showing perseverance in everything that she does! Niamh has an impressive 'can do' attitude and always gives 100%. She also shows great kindness and support to her peers- an admirable quality. Miss Harvey is really proud of her. Keep up the great work Niamh, well done!

**Bonnie Creaser** for her amazing batting ability. Every time Bonnie picks up the bat, all of the class move back as they know just how far she can hit the ball! She has wonderful hand-eye coordination. Well done Bonnie!

**Tyler Robinson-Scott** for showing a huge improvement when fielding in cricket! Tyler made some amazing catches during the Class 4 cricket session this week. His first one had to be seen to be believed! Superb reactions Tyler, well done!

**Molly Tuer** for her excellent attitude to learning and for always being prepared to help others! Molly explains things carefully and in detail, making her a wonderful guru. Well done Molly!

**Rylan Beckett** for working really hard to improve his writing! Rylan always tries his best and challenges himself. He is a credit to the school. Well done Rylan!