



# YSGOL CWM BROMBIL PRIMARY PHASE NEWSLETTER

**Friday 19th July 2024- Summer Term Newsletter**

Dear parents/carers,

As we end another school year, we would like to say thank you for all of your support over the academic year. It's been very busy and we've had some changes along the way. We are very proud of all our children at Cwm Brombil and what they've achieved. We appreciate the high number of 'report reply slips' which were returned to us with feedback. It was lovely to hear all of your kind words.

When we return for the new academic year we will send information our regarding key dates for the term. We hope you all have a lovely summer break, stay safe, make memories and we will see you all in September!



## **Whole School Performance of Peter Pan**

I think you'll all agree, our children's performance of Peter Pan was amazing! For a number of weeks, children worked together using their creativity and hard work and it truly brought the magical world of Neverland to life. Their dedication was evident in every aspect of the production. From acting and singing to set design and costume creation, each of our children played a crucial role. Once again, we'd like to thank Miss Burrige and Mrs James for leading and organising the show, as well as all of our staff for giving up their time to provide these opportunities. Also, a huge thank you to you all for supporting each of the shows and providing the costumes for children. Without your support the shows wouldn't be as successful as they are.

## **Sports Day 2024**

After a rainy start, the weather managed to stay dry for the rest of Sports Day! We apologies for delaying the start of Foundation Phase Sports Day, however it all worked out for the best. The day was fantastic, we loved seeing a smile on children's faces, as well as parents and family members! Thank you all for your engagement. It was good fun seeing you all joining in the races and tug of war. These will be memories our children will look back on in years to come. Thank you to Mr Curran organising a brilliant day.

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## Wales National Assessments- Year 2 to Year 6

Pupils from year 2 to year 6 completed their yearly national testing in the summer term. This included an online assessment in procedural maths, reasoning and reading.

Feedback from these assessments can be accessed through your child's hwb account. Children will need to login to their account and go to the tab labelled 'personalised assessments'. Here you will be able to see your child's progress and next steps for development. Follow the link below for guidance on how to access the results:

<https://ysgolcwmbrombil.npted.org/personalisedassessment.html>



## Meet your teacher! Primary transition days

Our transition days in primary were a huge success on the 11th & 12th of July 2024. It was fantastic to see children excited to meet their new teachers and move to their new learning environment for September. Good luck to all our year 6 pupils as they leave primary and start the next chapter in Comprehensive.

Roll on September!

## End of Year Festival!

A fun filled day for all to celebrate their success and hard work of our children. It was lovely to see staff and children enjoying indoor and outdoor activities.

Lets keep making memories at YCB!



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## Celebration of Learning

Our children have loved inviting you to school to celebrate their learning with them. There's been many different events the last few weeks, from our nursery and reception farmers market to the year 5 'paint along' sessions! Thank you for your support. Below is a summary of some of the recent learning that has taken place:

**Nursery & Reception- Farmers Market** - Our inquiry this term was all about nature and how it helps us. We learned about life cycles and watched chrysalis change to butterflies and rescued some tadpoles then rehomed them in the school pond.. We used different skills to make items for our Farmers Market. We shared everything that nature had taught us in our Farmers Market.

**Year 1- Selling of personal cookbooks!**- This term, the children in Year 1 have been working incredibly hard to answer the big question, "How do we depend on the planet for survival?" Through this exploration, they have created their very own personal cookbooks! Children have learned various cooking techniques, discovered where our food comes from, and understood the importance of caring for our planet to ensure it can continue to care for us.

**Year 2- Games Nights** - Our end of inquiry product was a game using recycled materials. Pupils had studied the properties of materials, designed the games using their knowledge of recycled materials, prototyped, tested and innovated to create their finished product. Pupils also wrote instructions on how to play the game and a report about their chosen game. Year 2 voted on snacks that they would like to have at a Games Night for families, and raised money for these through selling bracelets also made from recycled materials. Families had a great evening and voted for the winning game – The Throwing Game!

**Year 3- Designing Futuristic Products-** This term the children in year 3 have been working hard to answer our big question 'how technology can positively impact our community'. Children have learnt the importance of technology and how it can benefit their communities to improve issues they see day to day. I am super proud of how well the children have engaged within our inquiry and worked hard together to create their technology.

**Year 4- Hedgehog houses & Bug Hotels-** Children have been learning all about how living things are connected in our environment and how to care for living things. They've been hard at work building bird boxes, hedgehog houses and bug hotels to increase living things in our school community.

**Year 5- Paint Along Session** - This term year 5 have been answering the inquiry question "can art change the world?" They have learned to use the mediums of pencils, paint and pastels to show the different art techniques in the world in 2024. They have learned all about the different periods of art and the diverse artists we have in our world and what makes each of them unique. The class held their own art gallery and an interactive art session with their families.

**Year 6- Peter Pan Performance-** For a number of weeks, children worked together using their creativity and hard work and it truly brought the magical world of Neverland to life. Their dedication was evident in every aspect of the production. From acting and singing to set design and costume creation, each of our children played a crucial role.





Take a look at the mural created by our Year 5 children alongside the talented artist Rhys Jones from 'Orieldl'.

Next time you visit school please take time to admire the mural which is located in our primary phase hall for all to see. Awesome work Year 5!

### Key Dates

Monday 2nd September 2024- INSET Day

Tuesday 3rd September 2024- Return to school for all children.

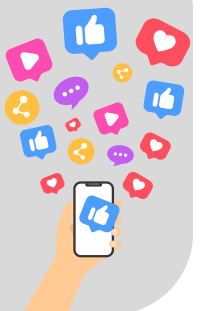
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