



BERRIEW COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL
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NEWSLETTER 30

Dear parents

Welcome back to the second half of the Summer Term. We have a very busy term coming up and will try and keep you updated on all the events taking place. Please see the list of diary dates at the end of the newsletter, which will be updated on each newsletter. As ever, if you have any questions or concerns regarding your child or any other issue in school, please do not hesitate to get in touch with us.

1. **PTA**

a) **Vintage Fete**

A huge thank you to all those who contributed towards and attended the Fete. The weather was fantastic and everyone really enjoyed the day. Over £1000 has been raised, but we will let you know the final amount raised shortly.

b) **Meeting** – the next meeting of the PTA will be held on Tuesday 9th June at 3.30pm – all welcome.

2. **Coffee Afternoon** – Thursday 11th June 1.30pm-3.00pm

We are holding a Coffee Afternoon in school next Thursday 11th June and are inviting ex-pupils and local residents to come into school to chat and share their memories with the children and staff. We are asking if they can also bring along any photographs and memorabilia of the school and those attending will have an opportunity to have a tour of the school.

The Coffee afternoon is part of the ongoing activities for our 100 year celebrations and these memories will form part of our 'Time Line' for the Centenary celebration **on Saturday 11th July**, and a memory book we are hoping to compile following the event.

If you know of anyone with connections to the school over the years who would be interested in coming to the Coffee Afternoon, please let them know. If you know of anyone living outside the area now who may be interested, please let them know too! We would be grateful if you could let us know of anyone you know will be attending, so we have an idea of the numbers attending on the day.

3. **Year 5 & 6 Red Ridge residential trip**

Just a reminder the final installment / payment is now due for the trip to Red Ridge, Cefn Coch. A letter confirming the final arrangements and kit list will be sent home shortly.

4. **School Painting Day** – PROVISIONAL DATE - 19th June 2015

Our next painting session will be held on Saturday 19th June, from 10am onwards. We are aiming to get the outside of the school looking it's best for the 100 year celebrations, so any help you can give on the day will be much appreciated.

5. **Gardening Day** - Saturday 4th July

We will have a gardening morning and general 'tidy-up' of the school from 10am onwards, again in readiness for the 100 year celebrations. Please come along if you are able to help out in anyway.

6. **End of Year Reports and Consultation Day**

The children's reports will be sent home **on Friday 3rd July**. A Parent Consultation Day will also be held on **Wednesday 8th July** which will give parents the opportunity to look through the children's work and discuss progress with your child's class teacher. We will let you know when we will be putting up the appointment sheets on your child's classroom door, nearer the time.

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7. **Class arrangements for 2015/2016**

The classes from September 2015 will be as follows;

- Class 1 Nursery, Reception and Year 1 - Mrs Conlin
- Class 2 Year 2, Year 3, & Year 4 - Mrs Clarke & Mr Clarke
- Class 3 Year 5 & Year 6 - Mr Denton

Class meetings will be held in September to give parents an opportunity to meet with their child's class teacher.

8. **Farewell to Miss Liquorish**

At the end of this academic year we will be losing Miss Liquorish who leaves to take up a post at The Meadows School in Oswestry. We will be sad to see her leave us but wish her every success for the future. If you would like to contribute to a leaving present for Miss Liquorish, please send this into school as soon as possible.

9. **Sports Day – Friday 19th June**

We will be holding our Sports Day on the Friday 19th June (weather permitting!) from 1.30pm onwards on the Recreation Ground, Berriew. We are hoping the weather will be kind to us, so bring along your chairs and picnic blankets, as the children will be seated in the stand.

10. **Summer arrived!**

As the weather is getting sunnier, please ensure your child, especially those in Class 1 & 2, have a sun hat in school. Sun cream needs to be applied before your child comes to school, but if you wish to send in sun cream, please complete the attached permission form which will allow staff to apply sun cream. Please ensure both the sun hat and sun cream are clearly marked with your child's name and class. Please also send a water bottle (with water only) into school, which can be refilled during the school day

11. **Dates for your diary**

- Saturday 6th June - Playgroup Table Top Sale 10am, Community Centre
- Monday 8th June - C4 Bowling
- Tuesday 9th June - Natalie Forsyth WHS visiting Y6
Y6 Cycling proficiency
PTA Meeting – 3.30pm
- Wednesday 10th June - Y6 Cycling proficiency
- Thursday 11th June - Whole school / class / team photographs **REARRANGED DATE**
Coffee Afternoon in school
- Friday 12th June - Rounders & Cricket, Forden School
- Saturday 19th June - School Painting Day 10am
- Wednesday 17th June - Girls Cricket Tournament – Montgomery Cricket Club
C4 Bowling
- Friday 19th June - Sports Day
- Monday 22nd June - C4 Bowling
- Wednesday 24th – Friday 26th June - Y 5 & 6 Residential visit to Red Ridge, Cefn Coch
- Friday 3rd July - Bowling Competition, Montgomery School
School Reports sent home
- Saturday 4th July - School Gardening and Tidy Up day 10am
- Monday 6th July - Y6 visit to Welshpool High School
- Tuesday 7th July - Y6 visit to Welshpool High School
- Wednesday 8th July - Consultation Day
- Friday 10th July - Area Sports – Forden
- Saturday 11th July - School's Centenary Celebrations from 1pm onwards – *more details to follow*

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SUN CREAM - 2015

NAME OF CHILD: _____ CLASS: _____

I enclose sun cream for my child, which has been labeled with their name and class, and I give permission for a member of Berriew CP School staff to apply sun cream to my child.

Signed: _____ Date: _____