



BERRIEW COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL  
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**NEWSLETTER 33**

Dear parents

Please see the list of diary dates at the end of the 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 Meeting** – the next meeting of the PTA will be held on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> June, 6.30pm at the Talbot Hotel, Berriew – new members always welcome. Come along and give your support and ideas.
2. **Centenary Celebrations** – Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> July, 12 midday onwards  
If you have your family time line information for the Centenary, please return these to school in readiness for the display. If you have not yet completed one and would like to do so, please see the attached form. If you have not already returned the slip to inform us if you are able to attend on the 11<sup>th</sup>, please do so as soon as possible, as we are busy preparing for performances and will need to know who will be available on the day.
3. **Gardening Day** - Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> July, 10.00 – 12 midday  
We will have a gardening morning and general 'tidy-up' of the school from 10am onwards, in readiness for the 100 year celebrations. Please come along if you are able to help out in anyway. Any donations of plants/shrubs will be much appreciated.
4. **End of Year Reports and Consultation Day**  
The children's reports will be sent home this **Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July**. Parents Evening will be held on **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July** which will give parents the opportunity to look through the children's work and discuss progress with your child's class teacher. If you have not already put your name down for an appointment but would like one, there are still a few appointment times left in each class. Please contact the school if you are not able to come in.
5. **Farewell to Miss Liqueorish**  
At the end of this academic year we will be losing Miss Liqueorish 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 Liqueorish, please send this into school as soon as possible.
6. **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 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. Please note no flip flops or crocs should be worn to school as these are unsuitable for school use.
7. **Lost Property**  
We have had a number of reports recently of lost uniform. Can you check all your uniform at home to ensure it is your child's and if not, please return these to school.

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## 8. Dinner Money

As we are nearing the end of the Summer term, please ensure your child's dinner money is paid up to date. Please note any arrears will need to be settled by the end of term or this amount will be carried forward to September. If your child is going to High School, the arrears will go with them to high school. If you are unsure of the amount owing for dinners, the Cashier is in school every Friday morning and will be happy to discuss any queries with you. Please note dinners are £2.20 per meal and if you are paying by cheque, these will need to be made payable to 'Powys County Council'.

## 9. Centenary & Eisteddfod

The school has been invited to take part in this year's Eisteddfod, being held on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> August in Meifod. The children will be working with the Andrew Logan Museum, who will be undertaking a series of workshops in school. All parents and past pupils and ex-staff members are invited to come in and work alongside the children during these workshops. The theme of these workshops is 'Crowns' to include Wales / Berriew / Local environment.

The crowns will be worn in a procession to open our school Centenary celebrations and also one of the opening ceremonies at the Eisteddfod on 1<sup>st</sup> August at around 5.30pm. We really hope the children can take part in the Eisteddfod. If you have not already returned your slip to school, please return this as soon as possible.

The workshops in school will be held on the 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> July, as follows;

Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July – morning session	Class 1
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July – afternoon session	Class 1
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> July – morning sessions	Class 4
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> July – afternoon session	Class 3
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> July – morning session	Class 2

## 10. School Photographs

The whole school, class and team photographs are being sent home today. If you would like to order any of these photographs, please return these to school by **TUESDAY 7<sup>th</sup> JULY** at the latest, as we have a very short time period for these to be returned to us before the end of the Summer term.

## 11. Dates for your diary

Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	-	Class 2 trip to the Spaceguard Centre, Knighton
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	-	Bowling Competition, Montgomery School Class 1 trip to Aberdyfi School Reports sent home
Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	-	School Gardening and Tidy Up day 10am
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	-	Y6 visit to Welshpool High School
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> July	-	Y6 visit to Welshpool High School New starters 'Taster morning' – Class 1 <b>LAST DAY FOR RETURN OF SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS</b>
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	-	Andrew Logan Workshop – Class 1 Parents Evening
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	-	Andrew Logan Workshop – Class 3 & 4 New Starters – Class 1 & Class 1 'Pirate Party'
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	-	Area Sports – Forden Andrew Logan Workshop – Class 2
Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	-	School's Centenary Celebrations from 12 midday onwards
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	-	New Starters – Class 1
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	-	New Starters – Class 1
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	-	<b>FINISH FOR SUMMER HOLIDAYS</b>