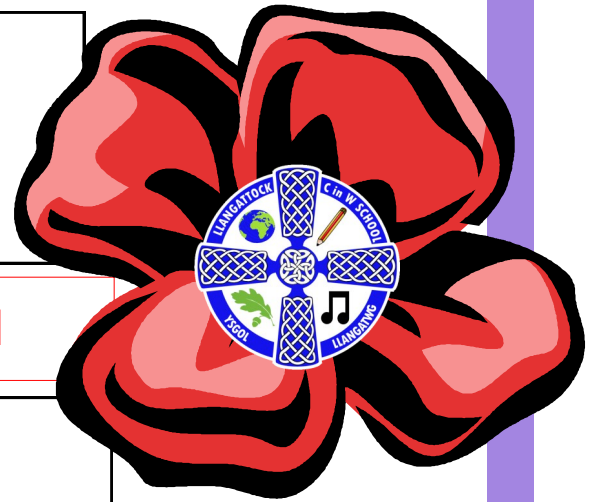


Llangattock Church in Wales Primary School Newsletter



Arts Week at Llangattock School

We are very excited to announce that we will be holding an 'Arts Week' the first week back after half-term. The idea for the arts week has come from a group of parents (Stefhan Caddick, Lee Wright, Sarah Kilbride and Jay Turner) who are all working the arts field of and have kindly offered to give their time freely for the children at Llangattock School. One of our school governors and local artist, Margaret Llewellyn-Jones will also be visiting the school. The PTA will kindly be funding any costs incurred.

The activities will include designing and making a cardboard city, printmaking, a drama workshop and kite-making. For your information, I have included biographies of the artists on the school website.



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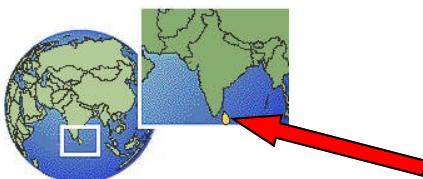
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REMINDERS & THANKS

- For health and safety reasons, **strictly no dogs on site please**
- Fruit is available in the infants and juniors each day. Fruit costs 30p and juice is 25p for juniors. Milk is provided free to all infants.
- School lunch money needs to be sent in on Mondays please; £2.20 per day. All cheques for school meals need to be made payable to POWYS COUNTY COUNCIL.
- Tickets for the Firework Display are available from the office—£10 for a family.
- Thank you—we raised just over £100 for 'In the Pink' and just over £70 for Keep Wales Tidy on our Eco day!
- **STRICTLY NO CARS ON SITE PLEASE AND NO TURNING IN THE SCHOOL CAR PARK.** There is a car park in Llangattock - turn right immediately after the left turning into the school. Thank you all for your support in this matter.

Our Special Link with Sri-Lanka

Our new families may not be aware that we have an important link with Batticaloa in Sri Lanka. We have been supporting an orphanage and school in Batticaloa since the area was devastated by a tsunami in 2004. The link is actively supported by Bethesda Chapel and residents of Llangattock and Llangynidr. Louis Mehendra, brother to the Bishop of Batticaloa is the local organiser of the charity and regularly comes into school to talk to the children. Our fund raiser for this event this term will take place on **Thursday 27th November** at Bethesda Chapel, where we will be joining Revd. Margaret Williams for carols and refreshments.



Sri Lanka

Remembrance Day 2014

On Tuesday 11th November at 11am, we will once again be commemorating the armistice and observing the 2 minute silence at Llangattock School's Remembrance Day 'Cuppa 'n' Cake' morning. The event will take place from 10am to 12 noon. Years 5 and 6 and class teacher Mrs Jones will be organising the event for the sixth year, following the success of the previous years' events, which is part of their World War 11 project. Visitors usually include members of the communities of Llangattock and Crickhowell, some of the governors of the school and members of St Catwg's Church and Bethesda Chapel. The 2 minute silence will be led by members of the Royal British Legion, Blaina branch.

Years 5 and 6 children organise the whole event and during the morning they meet and greet their guests dressed in clothes from the 1940s, serve refreshments donated by parents of the school, sing wartime songs to entertain the troops and even help with the washing up! The event will raise money to be shared between a variety of soldiers charities.



Dates for the Autumn Term 2014

- ◆ **3rd November** Whole School ARTS WEEK
- ◆ **5th November** Firework Display 5pm



- ◆ **6th November** Y3/4 'Mary Rose' web chat
- ◆ **7th November** Crickhowell Rotary Club Technology Day with Y5/6
- ◆ **11th November** 'Cuppa and Cake' for Remembrance Day 10am to 12 noon
- ◆ **12th November** Parent Consultation Evening 6pm
- ◆ **13th November** Parent Consultation Evening 4pm

- ◆ **14th November** Children in Need
- ◆ **27th November** Bethesda Chapel Carol Service 6pm
- ◆ **28th November** PTA Christmas Market from 2pm
- ◆ **29th November** PTA Shopping Trip to Bath— Tickets available now
- ◆ **3rd December** Infant Christmas Play at 1.30pm and Junior Play at 6pm
- ◆ **4th December** Junior Play at 1.30pm and Infants at 6pm
- ◆ **5th December** Chaplin's Pantomime production of 'Cinderella' in the Community Hall
- ◆ **10th December** Y5/6 to sing at Crickhowell Ladies Probus carol concert at the Bear Hotel

- ◆ **11th December** Christmas Jumper Day & Christingle Service at St Catwg's Church 6pm
- ◆ **12th December** Children's Christmas Fair
- ◆ **15th December** New Nursery Induction Afternoon 2pm & Junior Christmas Party
- ◆ **16th December** Infant Christmas Party
- ◆ **17th December** Christmas Lunch
- ◆ **18th December** Crickhowell Community Carol Service at St Edmunds 6pm
- ◆ **19th December** Last day of term for pupils - 'Toy and Games Day'

