Llantarnam Community Primary School

Growing and Learning Together

Newsletter – Newyddion

Dydd Llun - Mehefin 18

Dydd Iau – Mehefin 22

The Right of the Month – To be safe

SEAL Topic – Changes

This Week

JRSO

On Monday, our school JRSO were monitoring the use of the school crossings

Sports Day

Thank you to everyone who came to support.

Foundation Phase

Juniors KS2

Nursery Sports Day Photos

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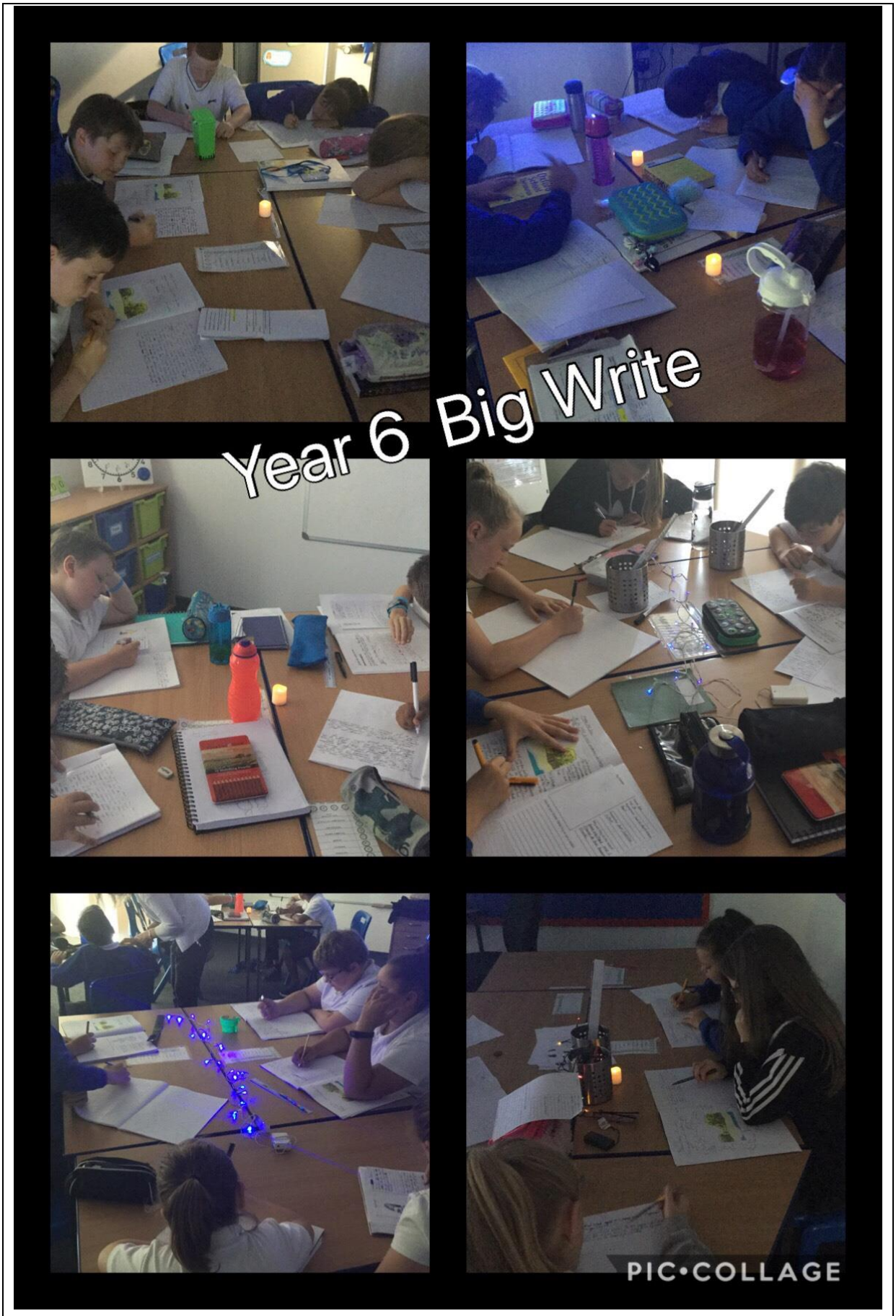
Many thanks to ASDA Store Cwmbran for the prize for World Book Day competition and the treats for Year 5 pupils.

PC Murphy visited Year 5 on Wednesday to talk about anti-social behaviour. She also visited Year 3 for a talk on Stranger Danger


Year 6 Big Write
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Special Assembly

Year Group	Seren Y Wythnos
Reception – Apple	Selena and Jared
Reception – Maple	Connah G and Lucas P
Year 1 – Willow	Jeremy B and Rachel B
Year 2 – Sycamore	Tommy B and Ayush K
Year 3 – Rowan	Megan and Dominic
Year 4 – Elm	Gethin D and May C
Year 5 – Beech	Ellie R and Ryan L
Year 6 – Chestnut	Ronish M and Laila G
School Council	Foundation Phase - Noah T Key Stage Two – Annabel

Out of school achievements

We are extremely proud of Ejiroghone for quick thinking and action helping her friend who appeared to be choking on some of her food at lunch. Ejiroghone remained calm and patted her back.

Congratulations to Elizabeth J who was awarded scout of the month by 1st Llanyravon scout Group.

Brooke J received a medal for participating in Race for Life 2018

Lacey B received a trophy for participating in a dance competition in North Wales

Ruby D received a certificate for participation in Valleys Gymnastic Academy competition.

Next Week

School Choir

Monday 25th June

The choir are performing at St David's hall as part of the Gwent Music Showcase

Thursday 28th June

The choir are performing with Pontypool Male Voice Choir at 7pm New Inn

Enterprise Week

Week beginning 25th June

Classes will plan and bid for funds to spend.

Prepare, Create and make products and services to sell to parents, friends and family at our Enterprise final event

Monday 9th July at 2:45pm in the school hall

Thursday 28th June

Careers Wales

Parent Mrs Alm and colleague from Careers wales will be leading workshops for Key Stage 2 pupils.

Tuesday 26th June

Year 5 summer trip

Cwmbran Community Farm

New Nursery Intake Meeting

Tuesday 26th June

3:30pm school hall

School Council

Thursday 28th June

Mrs Perrett, Governor Councillor Thomas and the school council will be meeting with mangers from a neighbouring business, 'we fight any claim' to discuss moving their smoking shelter away from the school perimeter fence

Forthcoming Events and Notices

Enterprise Sale for Parents

Monday 9th July at 2:45pm in the school hall

Parent Book Look

Come and look at your child's book and work from this year.

Monday 9th July 3:15-4:15pm

Go to your child's class and take the time you don't get during parents consultations to look through and talk with your child about their learning and work.

Parent Meeting

Class organisation 2018-19

If you would like to learn more about school organisation please attend a short presentation

Monday 9th July 5pm

School hall

PTA

Summer Events

July 5th End of Year Disco's – Whole school

July 13th Summer Fete

Gwent Music Summer Schools

Singing (28th Aug – 30th Aug):

Gwent Music's Singing Summer School is open to all children aged 7-11. The course is three fun-packed days of singing, dance and craft activities! It will run from Tuesday 28th to Thursday 30th August, 9am-3pm, at Gwent Music HQ, NP20 6NS. Only £40 for all three days. To book your place, please log in to your Parent Portal account at www.gwentmusic.co.uk/parent and enrol. If you have not logged in before, please click on Register, Enrol, Music Centres and select "Summer Schools", then "Singing" is on the next page.

Theory (31st Aug – 2nd Sept):

Want to improve your music theory skills? Then come along to Gwent Music's Music Theory Summer Course. The course will run for three days from Friday 31st August to Sunday 2nd September, 10am-2pm, at Gwent Music HQ, NP20 6NS. Only £30 for all three days. To book your place, please log in to your

Parent Portal account at www.gwentmusic.co.uk/parent and enrol. If you have not logged in before, please click on Register, Enrol, Music Centres and select "Summer Schools", then "Theory" is on the next page.

Simply Out of School

Simply out of school will be starting a new after school child care provision starting September 2018. Registration forms available from school office or email emma@simplyoutofschool.co.uk

Torfaen Parent Information Booklet – Please follow the link below

https://www.torfaen.gov.uk/en/Related-Documents/Schools-Info/Schools-Information-Booklet.pdf

Complaints from the local residents

James Prosser Way

Parents parking on the pavements and blocking their driveways. .

Please consider the residents and park safely

When using the visitor car park, do not obstruct the entrance to the staff car park.

Thank you

SNACKS

We are a healthy eating school. Please can parents give their child a healthy snack for break time which can be fruit, muesli bar etc. Pupils can bring fruit Monday to Thursday and every Friday can choose an alternative (unfortunately not chocolate or sweets)

Free School Meals

Please click on the hyperlink below and complete the online form to see if you qualify

https://www.torfaen.gov.uk/en/EducationLearning/SchoolsColleges/Schoolcatering/Freeschoolmeals/Free-School-Meals.aspx

Music Provision

Music Access Fund

This may be available to pupils on the Free School Meals register or undergoing severe financial difficulty, who are also receiving **Gwent Music tuition**. Funding is limited and is administered on a 'first come first served' basis. Please contact the school or Gwent Music on **01633 210800** or **gwent.music@newport.gov.uk** for an application form if this applies to you.

Music Tuition at School

Monday – Mrs Murray Woodwind
Tuesday – Mr McKeon Celtic Band
Thursday am - Ms S Goveia – Violin
Thursday pm - Mr D Williams – Brass
Friday - Miss S

Gwent music offer a wide range of provision for schools including singing lessons. If you would like your child to have music lessons book online at www.gwentmusic.co.uk

Extra-Curricular Clubs

CLUB LEADER NAME	CLUB	AGE RANGE	DAY	TIMES	Availability
MR BIGMORE	INFANTS FOOTBALL CLUB (YEAR 1 AND YEAR 2)	Year 1 - Year 2	Monday	15:15-16:15	5 Spaces
MRS SEMPLE	CONSTRUCTION CLUB	RECEPTION – YR2	TUESDAY	15:15 – 16:00	2 Spaces
MRS PRITCHARD	HOMEWORK/LIBRARY	YR2 – YR6	TUESDAY	15:15 – 16:15	7 Spaces
MR THOMAS	GARDENING CLUB	YR2 – YR6	TUESDAY	15:15 – 16:15	6 Spaces
MISS ELLAWAY	CHOIR	YR3 – YR6	TUESDAY	15:15 – 16:00	10 Spaces
MR CLASH	FOOTBALL	YR3 – YR6	WEDNESDAY	15:15 – 16:15	FULL

MISS MIGGINS	FRENCH CLUB	YR3 – YR6	WEDNESDAY	15:15 – 16:00	10 Spaces
Mrs PERRETT	GYM FUN	YR3 -YR6	WEDNESDAY	15:15 - 16:15	2 spaces
MRS FREEBURY	NETBALL	YR3 – YR6	THURSDAY	15:15 – 16:00	10 Spaces
MISS MILLER	CRAFT CLUB	RECEPTION – YR2	THURSDAY	15:15 – 16:00	FULL

Note to parents non-attendance to the clubs for over 3 weeks could result in your child's place being offered to a child on our waiting lists.

EXTERNAL AFTERSCHOOL CLUBS

Mr Limbu's Taekwondo club is every Friday from 3:30 pm until 4:30 pm in the school Hall.

NEW FOOTBALL CLUB COURT FARM AFC

If you would like further information then please contact Gareth Ponting on 07802473435 or Barry England on 07967673843

Torfaen Catering

School Lunches

Please ensure you keep up to date with lunch payments via Torfaen Cashless Payment System

Only up to 5 credit meals is permitted by catering

£2.30 Foundation Phase

£2.40 Junior

MESSAGE FROM TORFAEN CATERING

SPECIAL DIETARY REQUIREMENTS

If your child has special dietary requirements please can you provide a letter from either the child's GP or a registered dietician giving precise details of your child's dietary requirements. This will be passed to Catering Department, where staff will work with yourself and the individual cook at your school to draw up a suitable menu for the child.

Whilst the cooks at your site will no doubt do their best to try to accommodate a child that needs a specialised diet, such requests need to be managed and co-ordinated by staff in the Catering Department.

Your co-operation in relation to this matter is greatly appreciated

ATTENTION BREAKFAST CLUB USERS

Breakfast club starts at **8:20 am**. Please do not leave your child unsupervised, outside breakfast club. Please make sure you have booked your child into breakfast club, before leaving site.
Thank you for your support.

PARENT SUGGESTIONS BOX
School Reception
Please share your ideas and thoughts of ways we can continually improve our school to give the pupils the very best

Attendance

Torfaen council STRIVE FOR 95%

The Welsh Assembly Government expects all pupils to have an attendance above 95%

Currently our attendance is – 94.4 %

Our school target is – 95.6 %

Best class for attendance w/c 11/06/18 – Willow 96.1%

IMPORTANT!

If your child is absent from school, please contact the school office Tel. 01633 480039 every day of their absence to confirm and update on their situation. Thank you.

Late for school

Please make every effort to get your child to school on time.
When they arrive late it unsettles them, the class and they will often miss vital parts of their lessons.
Consistent lateness has significant impact on pupil progress. The School and EWO will be writing to parents who are persistently late.

DIARRHOEA OR VOMITING ILLNESS

If your child has had any incident of diarrhoea or vomiting, your child will have to be at least 48 hours absent from school from last episode of diarrhoea or vomiting. (This is a recommendation from the Health Service to control the spread of infection.)

School Policy for Term Time Holiday Requests

In line with the strive for 95% holiday requests will only be authorise if your child's attendance is 95% or above and they are on track for their progress targets

Laura Perrett

Head Teacher - Prifathro

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Dates for Your Diaries	
Tuesday 3rd July	**New Reception parent meeting at 3:45 pm**
Wednesday 4th July	**SWAP over morning – Children meet their new class teacher** **Year 6 Transition Croesyceiliog comprehensive** **Year 6 Transition Cwmbran High School**
Thursday 5th July	**Year 6 parent transition meeting Croesyceiliog Comprehensive**
Thursday 5th July	**School discos**
Monday 9th July	**Enterprise sale school hall 2:45pm**
Monday 9th July	**Parent Book Look – 3:30pm classrooms**
Tuesday 10th July	**Year 6 Leavers Show – Giggle Box 1:45pm**
Wednesday 11th July	**Year 6 Trip to West Midlands Safari Park**
Thursday 12th July	**Year 4 Trip Noah's Ark**
Friday 13th July	**PFA Summer Fete**
Tuesday 17th July	**Foundation Phase trip to Barry**
Tuesday 17th July	**Year 3 and Year 5 Trip to Eden Centre**
Thursday 19th July	**Final awards assembly and leavers event**
Friday 20th July	**Last Day of Term. School Closes for the summer break**
Monday 23rd July	**Training Day**
Tuesday 24th July	**Training Day**
Autumn 2018	
Monday 3rd September	**Training Day**
Tuesday 4th September	**Training Day**

School Term and Holiday Dates - 2017/2018 Academic Year

Term	Term Begins	Half Term Begins	Half Term Ends	Term Ends
Summer	Monday 16.04.18	Monday 28.05.18	Friday 01.06.18	Tuesday 24.07.18

School Term and Holiday Dates - 2018/2019 Academic Year

Term	Term Begins	Half Term Begins	Half Term Ends	Term Ends
Autumn	Monday 03.09.18	Monday 29.10.18	Friday 02.11.18	Friday 21.12.18
Spring	Monday 07.01.19	Monday 25.02.19	Friday 01.03.19	Friday 12.04.19
Summer	Monday 29.04.19	Monday 27.05.19	Friday 31.05.19	Monday 22.07.19

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