

Llangan Primary School Newsletter Autumn Term 2020



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25/9/2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

There is quite a lot to share again this week as we continue adapting and moving forward. You will find the curriculum newsletter attached this week for your information.

For new families to the school, the curriculum newsletter is sent out termly (Autumn, Spring and Summer.) This provides you with lots of information about the topics we are covering in class.

Well-being catch up

The teaching staff will be in touch with you over the next week or two to discuss how your child has been during lockdown and the subsequent return to school.

Lunchtime Supervisors

We will be placing an advert on the Vale of Glamorgan council website for two lunchtime supervisor positions very soon. These roles are for 2 hours a day to assist with supervision of the children during the busy lunch period. A job description and further details will be available soon on the Vale of Glamorgan website. If you know of anyone who may be interested, we would be grateful if you could make them aware of these vacancies.

Diolch yn fawr,

Sue Price

Headteacher

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Dates for the diary are in the curriculum booklet. We have tried to cover key dates for the whole academic year to assist you to plan in advance.

Please make sure you check ParentPay and Schoop for any messages. Schoop app can be downloaded and the Login ID is: 7056

CAR PARK

Can we please remind all families using the car park to collect their children and leave promptly. There have been incidences of children running around on the grass verges and mixing in different bubbles that we have carefully maintained throughout the school day. With cases of COVID increasing, it is important to maintain social distancing. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.



REMINDER

The School Nurse will be in on Thursday 15th October to administer the nasal flu spray.

Consent forms have been sent home and it is important these are returned to school as soon as possible. Nasal flu spray will not be administered without your written consent.

SCHOOL LUNCHES



Please ensure your ParentPay for school meals is in credit. Any debt is charged to the school.

We are on week 2 of the menu next week.

This is a new menu from Big Fresh Catering which includes Pizza ③ .The new menu is attached for your information.

We are still able to offer baguettes as an additional option from the hot meal of the day with the following fillings, ham, cheese, tuna or sausage (sausage baguettes are not available on Thursdays as the preparation for roast dinner is too time consuming).

Please complete the baguette order form or email the school by 9.30am on a Monday if your child would like a baguette as these are ordered in advance for the week. Thank you.

HOMEWORK AT LLANGAN

We are making some slight changes to homework for the next few terms. We have been using 'Learning Logs' for children to develop their independence and use their creative skills in the past few years. Since returning to school after the national lockdown, we are concentrating on children's basic skills, such multiplication tables, mathematics, spelling and reading. As such we will providing the children with weekly homework (maths, language and spellings or phonics) on a Friday and will be expected that the work to be 'handed in' by Tuesday evening. This will give the members of staff time to mark the work and set more for the following week. All homework will be carried out via electronic platforms - Seesaw (Nursery and Reception) and Google Classroom (Years 1 to 6). As such, we are hoping that you can encourage your child to complete the work as it will be followed up with your child in class. As always, we are hoping that they can develop their independence and complete the work themselves, although some direction and support may be needed. If you have any issues with the technology, please let the school know and we will do what we can to solve any issues you may have.

BREAKFAST CLUB

We are very pleased to announce we are now in a position to re-open our breakfast club from **Monday 5**th **October.**

We are delighted that Mrs Meek (school cook) will be joining Mrs Blethyn in running breakfast club. This will be a familiar face for the children.

There is a separate communication further in the newsletter including a form that needs immediate action if you wish to register for this club.



Simply Out of School will also be returning for after school care from **Monday 5**th **October.**The club is open until 6.00pm.

Cost £10.50 per child and includes a light tea and fruit.

Numbers are limited to 15 per session.

For more details about registering please contact Jo Hopkins on 07756 836806 or email jo@simplyoutofschool.co.uk

Families Magazine

We have previously sent out paper copies of the 'families' magazine. They have requested we pass on an electronic version of this edition. Here is the link

https://issuu.com/familiesonline/docs/fam cardiff 9 - sept oct 2020 web?fr=sMTAxZTE5NTYyNzY

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BREAKFAST CLUB

Dear Parents / Guardians

Due to updated guidance given to us in August by Welsh Assembly Government schools have been asked where possible to reinstate Breakfast Club provision. We are now in a position to get it up and running. In order to do this safely we will have to implement some changes.

These include:

Restricting numbers. We only have access to the small hall and not the additional classrooms we previously used. In order for us to have enough space to allow the children to remain in 'bubbles' we will have to restrict the number of children that we can accommodate safely in Breakfast Club.

Ensuring Breakfast Club's purpose is met. Breakfast club is to provide breakfast for your child.

Please do not request a place if your child is going to eat before arriving at school as this may prevent another child from accessing the free provision of breakfast that they need.

Allocating places termly – Each term you will need to complete an online form to request your child's place in Breakfast Club. These will be limited per class and will be on a first come first served basis. If you are unsuccessful in securing a place you will be placed in a waiting list.

Monitoring attendance – if your child is allocated a place and is not regularly using it, you will be asked to release that place so that it can be offered to someone on the waiting list.

We have attached a register of interest form to assist us with how many families would meet the criteria and likely to apply for a place. We can then work out the logistics of running this club safely.

https://forms.gle/PZmeFUedcqKLg8wS8

We will confirm places as soon as possible.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Yours faithfully

Miss S Price