



YSGOL GYNRADD GYMRAEG BRYN-Y-MÔR

Pennaeth/ Headteacher: Mrs Elin Wakeham

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3/12/2021

Dear Parents

We are fast heading towards the Christmas holiday. It's definitely starting to look a lot like Christmas!

Celebrating Christmas

All classes have been learning songs and preparing to record a Christmas message for you all. Videos will be posted on you class pages when they are ready. You will be notified when they do become available.

On December 15th (Wednesday) the whole school will take part in Christmas celebrations. Children can wear a Christmas jumper or outfit on the day. There will be Christmas department assemblies and an opportunity to sing Christmas carols. You will receive further details from your child's department staff on their specific activities. At the end of the day, **weather permitting**, the children will come out 10 minutes earlier (R to Yr 2 - 2.55pm) (Yrs 3 – 6 - 3.10pm) onto the school yard to sing to parents as they are being collected to go home. Please note, that this is not a formal singing concert, more an informal singing as they leave celebration of the festivities.

Reception Class

We wish Mrs Harris Jenkins a speedy recovery from her operation. Mr Leyshon will remain in Reception until Christmas.

Sponsor a Pot -Thank you!

A huge thank you to John and Ruth Thomas who have been working so incredibly hard to plan for a *blooming* spring and summer at the school. They have sourced the soil and pots in preparation for the 'Sponsor a Pot' scheme! It has been incredibly hard work for both. Also a massive thank you to Joseph Croft and his team that helped move all the soil and pots! If you would still like to sponsor a pot – we will extend the time you can send in either bulbs or a financial contribution so that we can buy bulbs - date 10/12/2021. Don't forget, you will be able to take the pot you have sponsored home in the last few weeks of the summer term.

A big thank you as well to Stacey Yuan Hairdressers for sponsoring our Christmas tree. It's wonderful, even in these difficult times, that the community of Bryn y Môr can still come together.

Covid

AS you are all aware, there has been much talk about the new covid variant on the news. I ask that we all be extra vigilant of any of the symptoms for covid in your household. Please remember, that if any of the members of your household display symptoms, they should go for a covid test along with all the other members of the household.

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Important Dates

The last day of term will be Friday - 17/12/2021

School will restart on Wednesday – 5/12/2022

Inset dates for next year

Tuesday - 4/1/2022

Friday - 18/2/2022

Yours Sincerely

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