

Friday 6th October 2017

Message from the head



We are delighted to inform you that Kate Tench had a beautiful baby girl at 3:30 on Wednesday morning. Congratulations to Kate and Jordan from everyone at Brecknock, we can't wait to see the baby! On another maternity matter Henny will be going on maternity leave next Wednesday. I am sure that you will join with us in wishing her and her family well and we will look forward to hearing about the safe delivery of Henny's second child. We will miss you Henny but what a great mum you are!



Dates for your calendar

10th October	Guernsey to the CLC
12th October	Skye to the National Portrait Gallery
17th October	Sumatra Shakespeare Performance at the Pleasance Theatre
18th October	Mull to the National Portrait Gallery
18th October	Madagascar Shakespeare Performance at the Pleasance Theatre
18th October	Digital Leaders to the CLC
Friday 20th October	INSET day - school closed for children
23rd-27th Oct	Autumn Half Term Holiday
30th October	Children return to school
31st October	Deadline for Secondary School Application
2nd November	Family Supper
9th November	Year 2 at the National Portrait Gallery
14th November	Jamaica to the CLC
7th December	Cuba to the CLC
18th December	Last day of term. Note: this is a Monday
22nd Dec-Jan 2nd	Christmas Holidays
3rd January	INSET Day—School closed
4th January	School opens—children back
9th January	Year 6 trip to British Library
19th January	Corsica to CLC

Greeting Cards

Today, your children will bring home a drawing. You will have the opportunity for their drawing to become personal greeting cards or gift wrap. Please complete the order form on the back of the drawing and return with the exact payment by 18th October to Valérie who will be standing by the office after school. For special arrangement please call her on 07796 760 614.

The benefit will go towards the Brecknock PTA fund to finance projects for the children at school. If you'd like to know more about the PTA please contact brecknockpta@gmail.com



Join Your Local Cub Scouts

The local Cub Scouts desperately need more girls and boys to join, to keep going. Anybody aged 8 to 10 who enjoys having fun, making new friends and having an adventure will love it. It costs just £2—you just need to drop in. They meet 6.30pm to 8pm on Thursdays, at Basil Jellieco Hall, Drummond Crescent, NW1. For more information, pick up a leaflet at the school office.



Upcoming Friday Tea's

Y1– 13th October



Missing Scooter

If anybody took home the wrong scooter last week please return it to the office as soon as possible. An orange and black adult scooter went missing between 3:30 and 4:45 one day last week. Do take the time to check, there is a very sad family awaiting its return! Thank you.



The Famous Five

This week, The Famous Five (The Librarians) took an exciting trip to Kentish Town Owl Bookshop to buy some books for the school! The books we have bought for the year groups will be given to the two teachers to read to their class. Then, the books will be put on display in our library, free for anyone to pick up and read!

There will be a sign-out sheet where you will write your name and which book you have borrowed so we can keep track of the books to make sure they are safe. Please write some reviews about the books so we can see which ones are popular, and buy more copies next time. Happy reading!

From The Librarians - Isla, Cleo, Naila, Zoe and Casey



Digital Leaders

Congratulations to our new Digital Leaders! They will be working on termly projects which include iMovie, I CAN animate, blog writing and testing apps out for the school. They will be working with teachers and students, helping to make computing great at our school.



A Midsummer Night's Dream

Sumagascar went to the Cecil Sharp House to begin rehearsals for their upcoming production of 'A Midsummers Night's Dream,' with a real life actor and playwright.

Remember you can pre-order tickets for £6.50 at the school office!

Sumatra's performance - 17th October
Madagascar's performance - 18th October



Creating the Rainforest

This week, Corsica and Sicily have been creating amazing rainforest displays in their classrooms linking to their topic Saving The Planet.



Great Fire of London

Guernsey class were building structures for the victims of the Great Fire of London to stay in. We tested several different types of material to see which would be the most waterproof for the people to stay in as the fire raged in the city.

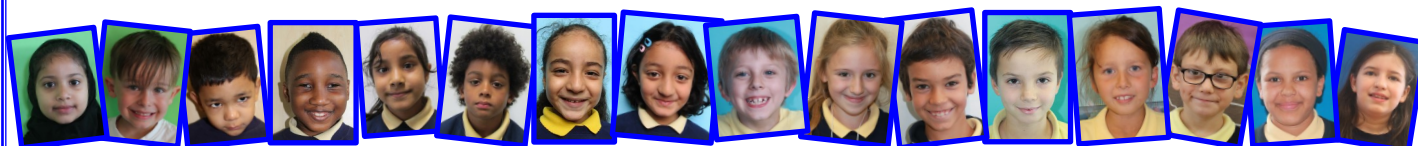


Allotment

Thank you to Jennie and all those who have been and are keen "allotmenters". We have achieved School Gardening Award Level Two from the Royal Horticultural Society!



Golden Book Awards! And this weeks winners are...



Jamilah & Michael—Mull, Arif & Hubert—Skye, Jannat & Jude—Guernsey, Mia & Imaan—Jersey, Alfie & Lily—Y3, Memati & Max—Y4, Greta & Freddy—Y5, Zoe & Goldie—Y6