

Friday 10th November 2017

Message from the head



All of the children have settled into a good working routine after half term and it is fantastic to see how much learning is going on. We have been making assessments of their progress towards end of year expectations ready to talk to you at Parent Conferences later this term, we have high hopes! There are also a number of school events to look forward to this term: Debate Day next week, Christmas Fair on 8th December and EYFS and Years 1 and 2 shows. Keep an eye on the newsletter so that you don't miss anything.

Rohingya Refugee Crisis

We raised a total of **£301.80** for the Rohingya Refugee Crisis. Many thanks to everyone.



Dates for your calendar

14th November	Jamaica to the CLC
17th November	Year 3 to London Zoo
22nd November	Year 4 to The British Library
1st December	Year 5 to Jazz Concert at Regents High
4th December	Year 6 to HM Belfast and Church Hill Rooms
5th December	Nursery Show
7th December	Cuba to the CLC
7th December	Reception Show
8th December	Christmas Fair
12th December	Year 1 Show
14th December	Year 2 Show
15th December	Non-Uniform Day. Minimum contribution £1
18th December	Last day of term. Note: this is a Monday
19th Dec-Jan 4th	Christmas Holidays
3rd January	INSET Day—School closed
4th January	School opens—children back

Christmas Fair Volunteers and Contributions Needed!



It's nearly that time of year again, and we are in need of volunteers for the Christmas Fair. Please email brecknockpta@gmail.com if you can help out in any way. Additionally, if anyone is able to kindly donate prizes for the tombola and raffle, or is able to reach out to any local businesses they know to see if they will donate too, we'd be very grateful. Many thanks.

Year 5 Poetry Performance

On Thursday 16th November, Year 5 children will be working with musicians to perform their Space themed poems to Key Stage 1 and families.

It will be great if as many parents and family members as possible can attend this wonderful event! The performances will start promptly at 14:50 and finish by the end of school. We will distribute a letter shortly so that you can RSVP.



The Great British Bake Off

The 'Great British Bake Off' is currently looking for a fresh batch of brilliant, amateur bakers who would love to enter the tent for the ninth series of the show.

To apply, please visit:



www.applyforbakeoff.co.uk or call / text: 07384 748 225. Applications close on Sunday 7th January 2018.

Upcoming Fundraising Events

Brecknock Sing-along-and-on-athon When: Friday 8th December- All day Minimum contribution £1 Get practicing your songs!

Non- uniform day: When: Friday 15th December Minimum contribution £1



Bonjour!

This week, Tahiti have been learning how to count to twenty in French. It was harder than they thought!

Check out the QR code or a link to a video Year 6 acting out a Parisian conversation with their classmates. www.brecknock.camden.sch.uk/ news/bonjour-to-year-6/









Mersea's Autumn Walk

The children went on an autumn walk and they used their senses to explore the environment.



Year 2 National Portrait Gallery

As part of their Great Fire of London topic, Year 2 went to the National Portrait Gallery to learn about Samuel Pepys and his diary









Mathletics

Please encourage your children to log on at home—every little helps!

First News

Tahiti have been enjoying reading First News newspaper





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



Twitter: @BrecknockSchool



Budding Palaeontologists

As part of their Active Planet topic, Year 4 had the very exciting

task of digging for fossils in class this week. Once they carefully excavated the fossils they then had to examine and identify each of them. They were even lucky enough to find some dinosaur







Hawaii have made an incredible video showcasing their matrix home learning. Follow the link or scan the QR code to view it.

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www.brecknock.camden.sch.uk/news/ matrix-video/