



Brecknock Newsletter



Friday 26th January 2018

Message from the head



It's been another busy week at Brilliant Brecknock with lots of great learning: fantastic maths in Year 2, programming at the CLC in Year 3 and a brilliant assembly by Year 6. There was also sporting success—congratulations to the football team for their excellent efforts! We wish them lots of luck in the final.

The weather is currently very unpredictable so please make sure that your children are dressed appropriately and that all their clothes are labelled (it makes it a lot easier when searching for lost items). It is a good idea to remind them to always store their gloves and hats in the pockets of their coats if possible. Thank you!

Dates for your calendar

29th January	Brecknock Choir at Young Voices Concert
31st January	Digital Leaders to the CLC
12th-16th Feb	Half Term Holiday
19th February	Children return to school
23rd February	Year 1 at Little Angel Theatre
26th February	Sicily to the CLC
28th February	Year 4 Recorder Performance at Royal Academy
1st March	World Book Day
12th March	Choir at the Royal Albert Hall
14th March	Tahiti to the CLC
17th-23rd March	Sport Relief
26th March	Hawaii to the CLC
28th March	Year 4 Show
29th March	Last day of term. Note this is a Thursday at 2.00pm
30th-13th April	Easter Holiday
16th April	Children return to school

Widening the Pavement on Cliff Villas

Dear Parents,

In case you missed the local consultation about widening the pavement outside nursery on Cliff Villas and some other road safety measures, the consultation closes **TODAY 26th January 2018**.



Please do log on and have your say. It only takes 3 minutes.

<https://consultations.wearecamden.org/supporting-communities/brecknock-school/>

E Safety

Are you concerned about e safety and your child's online life?

Please visit www.thinkuknow.co.uk for all kinds of advice for parents and carers of children of all ages. There are also fun games for children from 5 to 14+ to help children learn about online safety.



Safer internet day 2018 is on Tuesday 6th February. The 2018 theme, "Create, connect and share respect: A better internet starts with you" is a call to action for every stakeholder to play their part in creating a better internet for everyone, in particular the youngest

Money Raised by Friday Tea

Last week, Year 4 raised **£97**. This money is for the class to spend as they wish.



Upcoming Friday Teas

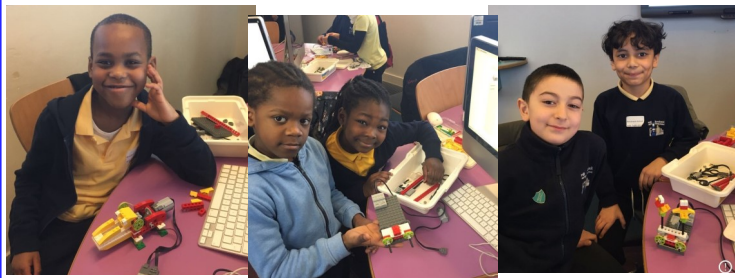
February 2nd—Year 2
February 9th—Year 1
February 23rd—Reception



17th-23rd March

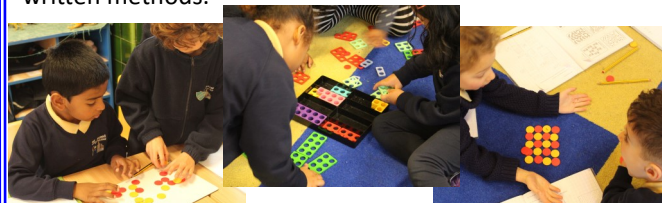
Corsica at the CLC

When Corsica visited the CLC last week they were given sets of 'Lego WeDo'. It required the children to work in partners to follow specific instructions to build models and then create a programme that would make them move. Using a motor and motion sensors they built snapping crocodiles, monkeys which played the drums and dancing birds. Everyone had a great time and worked really hard throughout.



Multiplication in Year 2

Year 2 have been learning about multiplication. They started off using a variety of resources to solve the problems, including using Cheerios and Numicon, before moving onto formal written methods.



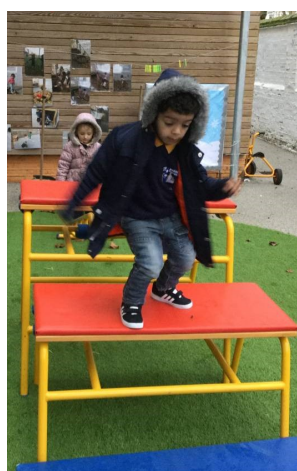
Sumatra's Assembly

Well done to Sumatra for a fantastic interactive class assembly related to their work on WW1. There was so much going on! An interactive quiz, a soundscape, a dramatic performance, and vivid descriptive writing pieces.



Taking Risks

This week, Mersea class have been taking risks! The children have been willing to try out new things and have been open to new experiences and challenges.



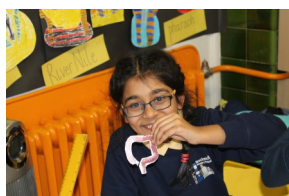
Drama in Year 3

Year 3 have been reading Ug: Boy Genius of the Stone Age. They first acted out scenes from the story, then imagined their own conversations between the characters and performed them. They thought about what makes a good performance, including how to use their voices and body language.



Science in Year 4

In Science, Year 4 looked at the digestive system and tried to understand how our body works. They organised the different organs in the correct order and explored the function of each. They then looked at Ancient Egyptian Canopic jars and the organs they stored before mummification.



Year 6 Football

As the season approaches its end, the boys' fantastic performance on Monday has secured them a place in the final. Well done to Jamie for scoring eight goals! The girls have shown great teamwork and enthusiasm in every match, and are looking forward to competing in the next season.



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

