



Llangattock Church in Wales Primary School Newsletter

**Happy
Easter!**

SUMMER TERM VALUE: Truthfulness

Good-Bye!!!

My final newsletter as Headteacher of Llangattock Church in Wales School!

What an absolute privilege it has been to be part of this fantastic school. There have been many challenges over the years, such as the building project and COVID pandemic to name just two. I have learnt so many new things, but it has been full of fun, with so many amazing experiences which I feel very proud and lucky to have been part of, such as every Christmas concert and Eisteddfod, seeing our fabulous children progress from Reception to Year 6, a trip to London as well as numerous Y6 Leavers' Concerts and Sleepovers (!!)

Where else could you work where every day someone tells you they love you, 'Rwy'n dy garu di!', you look lovely, they love your dress, as well as asking you if you were around when there were dinosaurs? I truly feel very lucky!

Seeing all of the children flourish academically, emotionally and in confidence has been my highlight. I am very much looking forward to my new role, but will miss the children very much. I hope I will be invited to the occasional Christmas performance, or Year 6 sleepover....!

I would also like to thank staff for their never-ending hard work and commitment to making this school the friendly, productive and welcoming school it is. We have been a great Team!

Finally, a huge thank you to all parents, families and friends for your continued support, whether that is making very generous donations to events, then buying them back, baking for The Greenman, or helping to tidy the school grounds and take rubbish to the tip. We couldn't do it without you!

Although I am sad to be leaving I feel very confident that the school is in very safe hands and will continue to flourish and go from strength to strength with Mrs Durbin and the new Team. Good luck to everyone. Wishing you all the very best.

Mrs M!

Thank you

Thank you to all our volunteers who have been in to School this term:

The Rotarians, who listen to readers on a weekly basis

All our parents, grandparents and friends, who help in both Foundation Phase and KS2

Thank you to Lynsey McCrohon for organising the PBuzz sessions for Y3. They have had a great time!

Nicola Jones for organising the Cross-Country event at Crickhowell Primary School.

Easter Service and Hat Parade

It was lovely to see so many people at the Easter Service and Hat Parade on Tuesday. The children's singing was amazing, as usual! Thank you to Rev Jeremy Bevan for his thoughtful prayers and lovely Open the Book Service, and also thank you to the Y6 children for stepping into their roles so easily, and enthusiastically. Thank you to everyone involved for making it such a special day. Mrs Durbin was delighted and had a great day too.



Twitter

Please follow us on Twitter to keep updated with photographs of school life and information of events.
@Our_Llangattock

SUMMER 2023

Monday 17th April-NON-PUPIL Day

Tuesday 18th April-All Pupils return to School

Weds 19th- Y3/4 visit to Crickhowell Primary School to see The Prince of Wales Band

Thurs 20th Apr-Govs' Meeting

SAT 21st Apr-Community Hall Open Day

Tues 25th-Y5/6 Rugby Event tbc

Thurs 27th-6pm London Meeting Y5/6 (TEAMS)

Mon 1st May-BANK HOLIDAY

School Closed for ALL

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Weds 10th May-Keri Bosley Modern Foreign Languages Session

Fri 12th May-3:30-6pm Fun Night YR/6

Mon 15th May- Eco week

Weds 17th May-Youth Speaks Y5/6

Thursday 18th May-Non-Uniform/Eco Day

Welsh Yard Games with Gruff

Half-Term

Mon 29th May-Fri 2nd June

Fri 9th June-Talent Show tbc

Tues 13th June-PC Skyrme with Y3/4

Mon 19th June-PC Skyrme with Y6

Thurs 22nd June-Cluster Transition Day Y6. School 'Move up' day

6pm YR New Parents' Meeting

Fri 23rd June-Class Photographs

Fri 30th June-1:30pm Sports Day/Summer Fair

Mon 3rd July-Annual Reports Out

Tues 4th July-PC Skyrme with KS2

Weds 5th July-Y5/6 trip to London

Fri 7th July-Y5/6 return from London

Fri 7th July CLUSTER INSET DAY

School Closed for all pupils

Thurs 13th July-2:30pm Open Afternoon

Fri 14th -Y6 Sleepover

Weds 19th-Y6 Leavers' Concert

Fri 21st-10am Leavers' Service @ St Catwg's

LAST DAY FOR PUPILS!!

POLITE REMINDERS

LATENESS-The school opens for pupils at 8:50am. If you arrive after 9:00am please use the main entrance and sign the late book. Please be considerate of the 'reasons' for lateness as this book is shared with our Challenge Advisor from Powys C.C.

COLLECTING CHILDREN- If/when children need to be collected early, due to an appointment etc, please inform your child's class teacher. Please note children should not be leaving early on a regular basis, but only for an occasional appointment. Thank you.

SEVERE NUT ALLERGIES—Please note that we have children with severe nut allergies and so we are a nut free zone. Please do not send food containing nuts into school.

SAFEGUARDING—In the interest of child protection and privacy, please can parents refrain from entering the building via side doors during or after school. Please come in via the main door, when admitted by a staff member.

FRUIT BREAK-All children need a daily healthy snack and a water bottle

DRINKS BOTTLES – Please ensure your child has a labelled water bottle with them every day.

NAMED CLOTHING-We seem to have a lot of 'lost' school uniform without names on it. Please check all uniform, including shoes, is clearly labelled so that mislaid items can be returned.

JEWELLERY-Children can wear one pair of small stud earrings. Children should not wear any other jewellery.

HAIR – All children who have hair that is long enough to tie back should do so, for health and safety reasons.