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Dear Parents / Carers

5 September 2019

Dates, Expectations & Changes

Staffing

Mr Adam Lewis has been appointed to teach *Dosbarth Masarnen* – Year 3 & 4 English medium - on a part time contract; Mrs Lilian Stokes, Mr Tomi Rowlands, Mrs Gwenan Phillips, Miss Iona Thomas, Miss Lois Evans and Mr Alwyn Jones will make up the rest of the class's timetable.

Contact Details

If your contact details have changed, could you please inform the school office at the earliest opportunity.

Attendance

I would like to remind you once again of the importance of consistent school attendance: the school and government target is 95%+. If a child's attendance falls below 90% the Education Welfare Office is informed and holiday's taken during term-time cannot be authorised unless there are extenuating circumstances. We kindly ask for a copy of all medical and dental appointments which takes a child out of school, so that we can authorise the absence.

Breakfast Club

NO changes have been made to date to the Breakfast Club provision. If you have not yet respondeded to the consultation letter sent out in July, could you please contact the school to request another copy and return your response to school by **Friday 13 September**.

I would also like to remind you of the running Breakfast Club times: **8.15 – 8.50am.** We cannot take responsibility for any child who arrives on site before 8.15am. The cost for this provission is a £1 a day per child, unless your child is in receipt of free school meals.

Dates for Your Diary

See over page for a list of dates for your diary between now and the end of term which I hope you will find useful. Please note that these dates may change according to circumstances. Every effort will be made to communicate last minute messages by text and social media: FaceBook & Twitter. All letters can also be downloaded from the school's website:

https://www.brohyddgen.powys.sch.uk/en/information/correspondence

Yours faithfully

Haf ap Robert Assistant Head Teacher

DATE	EVENT
06/09/19	 New brass teacher to give presentation to KS2 (Yr4-6) pupils – please contact the school office if you would like your child to learn to play a brass instrument
11/09/19	In Character show <i>Living Through the Blitz</i> for Collen & Helygen classes
12/09/19	Roald Dahl Celebration Day - everyone to dress up as one of the characters
16/09/19	 In Character show - Owain Glyndŵr - for Afallen, Masarnen & Derwen classes in the Owain Glyndwr Centre
23/09/19	Bike to School week: <u>https://www.sustrans.org.uk/campaigns/bike-to-</u> <u>school-week-2019/</u>
25 - 27/09/19	National Standards Cycling Training for Year 6
03/10/19	Transition day for Year 6 – Secondary Campus
07/10/19	Open Evening for Year 5 & 6 on the Secondary Campus
09/10/19	Primary School Photographs individuals and family
14/10 & 15/10/19	Open Evenings for all parents
16/10/19	Flue immunisations
18/10/18	Transition Weekend at Glan-Ilyn for Year 6 & 7
21/10/19	Numeracy Challenge Week
28/10/19 - 01/11/19	HALF TERM
04/11/19	Staff INSET Day
05/11/19	• Year 4, 5 & 6 English medium performing <i>Macbeth</i> at Aberystwyth Arts Centre
08/11/19	Anti-bullying Day – everyone invited to wear blue clothes
15/11/19	• Start of Anti-Bullying Week: <u>https://www.bullying.co.uk/anti-bullying-week/</u>
18/11/19	Online Procedural Numeracy Tests during the week
20/11/19	Year 6 Science Transition Day
09/12/19	 kS2 Christmas concert will be held during this week: dates & times to be confirmed nearer the time
20/12/19	End of term
06/01/20	Staff INSET day
07/01/20	Start of new term