

Dear Parents,

We are now into the second year at our brilliant new school and loving every minute of it.

I have some important dates and information for you –

In our continual drive to raise standards this first half term has seen a focus on subject monitoring within the classroom which has been very successful.

After our half-term break Ms. James (Y2) has been asked to work with students from Trinity College Carmarthen for 6 weeks. Ms. James is highly regarded by both the college and the education authority for her skills in promoting "Assessment for Learning". During Ms. James' six week absence Ms. Boswell will be the Y2 teacher.

The PTA have held their first meeting of this academic year. It was great to see some new faces supporting our dependable long standing members. If you feel you would like to join this team of fund raisers we would be delighted to see you.

As a new venture the PTA are starting a 100 club after half term. By paying an annual sum of £10 you can have the chance to win some money in our monthly draw. Please have a go, it's a good way to raise some funds to support the needs of the children within the school.

October 22<sup>nd</sup> – Music service Playday at Bryngwyn

October 22<sup>nd</sup> – PTA Halloween disco 5.30p.m.- 7p.m.

October 23<sup>rd</sup> – Y6 Bryngwyn taster day

**Half-Term is from Monday 26<sup>th</sup> /Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October**

November 2<sup>nd</sup> is a staff INSET day (No school for pupils)

November 3<sup>rd</sup> pupils return. There is also a PTA meeting at 9a.m.

November 12<sup>th</sup> – Launch of the Bryn Teg website and a pupil portrait exhibition and sale

November 20<sup>th</sup> – Children in Need fundraising day (details to follow)

December 3<sup>rd</sup> – Christmas Fayre (PTA)

December 10<sup>th</sup> – Christmas concerts – afternoon and evening performances

December 18<sup>th</sup> School breaks up for Christmas holidays.

**School starts back on TUESDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY**

The school has an open door policy and as parents/carers you are always welcome to speak to myself or a member of staff if you have any concerns regarding your child.