



# Cogan Primary News

## Into the Summer term...

The Summer term is upon us. Let's hope the weather is kind to us and we can engage with more activities outdoors. The Forest Schools sessions in Years 3 and 4 continue to be successful-keep an eye out on Twitter for all the fantastic learning opportunities. It's lovely to have Mr Birchall and Mrs Smart back after periods of absence. It's great to be at full strength once again!

We are planning a 'In Celebration of our Families' community picnic on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June at 12pm to celebrate the wonderful contribution all our families make in raising their child at Cogan and instilling the values that we all hold dear. So save the date!- details are overleaf.

We have Creative Practitioners working with Year 5 throughout the Summer. They are going to base their work on Cynefin-belonging, starting with making puppets. This is going to be a really creative and exciting opportunity.

We will be welcoming Ms Eleri Evans from the Museum of Wales on Friday. She will be judging the Welsh Schools Heritage Initiative. We have been winners for the last six years. Hopefully we can continue our success this year as well.

Llongyfarchiadau – congratulations to Mrs Beckles, one of our teachers who comes in on Thursdays to cover Year 6. She has won the Blair Peach Award 2024. This award recognises exemplary contributions to equality and diversity. Mrs Beckles also works for Show Racism the Red Card. We are very lucky to have her input and advice here at Cogan.

There are lots of exciting learning opportunities, visitors and trips out of school, please see dates. All trips are paid for via ParentPay, you also give permission/consent through this platform.

Please could I also gently remind you about lateness, we have a few children coming in persistently late. New term, fresh start- it is very important that children do not miss out on learning at the start of the day. If they miss out, it can cause all sorts of issues, their learning is suffering and it often doesn't start the day in a positive way.

Hope is our value of the month, we will be focusing our assemblies on this value and promoting a sense of community and calmness.

Best wishes,  
Mrs S M Sibert



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## Superstar Corner

Congratulations to:

**Proud to Present winners for March- Humanities Focus**

Infant class— Year 1

Y3— Gwen M

Y4— Laci-Jay M

Y5— Zoe D

Y6— Emily M

Handwriting— Willow B, Shanyia K,  
Hania R and Jacob P

Criw Cymraeg—

Y1- Noah Y

Y4— Madison B

Y2- Giorgie B

Y5— Owen R

Y3— Amarii-Rogue

Y6— Amelia F-S



Mrs Beckles- Blair Peach Award

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## Keeping Healthy- Healthy Snacks

In line with our Healthy Schools policy-please could we remind parents and carers that children should be bringing healthy snacks for break times e.g. fruit or small cereal bars. Thank you

**Well done!  
Llongyfarchiadau!  
Cogan PS**

We have raised £180 for  
Comic Relief

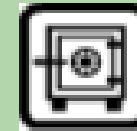


Attendance winners this month:

1<sup>st</sup>- 96.5% - Year 6



Instant Updates on Twitter  
CoganPrimary @CoganPrimary



## Safety/Online Safety

<https://hwb.gov.wales/zones/keeping-safe-online/>

**Please take a look at this link for the latest advice about safeguarding and wellbeing- (Using Hwb)**

**22:03:24-EASTER BREAK (25<sup>th</sup> March - 5th April 2024)**

**08:04:24- Summer term begins / Year 6 Chemistry session with Mrs Patterson from St Cyres**

**09:04:24- New Nursery children to start / Y6 P C Reed – Griff's Story**

**11:04:24- Super Ambassador Workshop Years 5 and 6**

**12:04:24-Schools Heritage Competition Judging Y2 / School Nurse – Reception children**

**15:04:24- School Clubs start / Year 6 Trip to Plantasia / Year 5 Cynefin Project underway**

**16:04:24- Year 5 trip to Warner Brothers- Harry Potter**

**17:04:24- Year 4 Recycling Workshop**

**19:04:24- School Nurse Reception**

**23:04:24- Llais Groups**

**24:04:24- Year 2 Rhondda Heritage Park trip**

**25:04:24- Proud to Present**

**30:04:24- Crucial Crew Year 6**

**02:05:24- Year 2 Class Assembly**

**06:05:24- Bank Holiday**

**07:05:24- Y6 Cycling this week /P C Reed Reception People who help us and Year 2 Right and Wrong**

**08:05:24- Standards and Provision Governors' Meeting**

**09:05:24- Year 4 Class Assembly**

**13:05:24- Colorfoto Class Photographs**

**14:05:24- Governors' Learning walk**

**15:05:24- The Selfish Giant- Theatre Group visit / Full Governors Meeting**



### **Inset Days...**

**24<sup>th</sup> May 2024**

**22nd July 2024**

## **Diary Dates...**

## **Advance diary dates...**

**22:05:24- Proud to Present**

**23:05:24- Year 1 Class assembly**

**24:05:24- Inset Day**

**27<sup>th</sup> May to 31<sup>st</sup> May –Half Term**

**06:06:24- Rec/Y1 Mountain Ranch Trip**

**07:06:24-Sports day**

**10:06:24- National Tests start for two week period/Llais Groups**

**11:06:24- Reserve Sports day /Nursery –Sports**

**12:06:24- Welsh transition- Mrs Boot and Y6 / Y2 and Y5 RSE Spectrum workshops**

**17:06:24- New Parents Meeting 1:30pm Main site/Nursery visits**

**19:06:24- New Parents Tour 9:20am/Nursery visits**

**20:06:24- Summer Fayre- 3.20pm**

**24:06:24- Year 4 Swimming begins- 3 weeks**

**26:06:24- St Cyres Induction Day –Year 6**

**28:06:24- Clubs end/ Celebrating our Families-Community Picnic 12-12:50pm**

**2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup>:07:24- Year 5 cycling**

**05:07:24- Meet your new class/Open afternoon- to see books and classrooms-2pm onwards**

**09:07:24- Nursery Graduation**

**10:07:24- Junior Fun Afternoon/ 11:07:24- Infant Fun Afternoon**

**12:07:24- Year 6 Leavers' Assembly 17:07:24- Y6 Leavers' Rounders**

**19:07:24- End of Year**

# 'In celebration of our families 2024' community picnic

Please can the children bring a rug and a packed lunch to share with their friends  
(Free meal baguettes will be available if required)



At Cogan Primary School,  
On Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2024  
12pm- 12:50pm

