

Model News...



Autumn Term 2018



School Mural Award

The school has been awarded a plaque for our mural in the hall, which depicts life at the Model School and within the community. If you look closely, you will see Canon Patrick and Cosmo, to name but a few pictures, that you may recognise. Carmarthen Civic Centre, award various groups within the community, for their contribution to the life of Carmarthen, so we are very honoured, as a school, to receive such an award.

Dates For Your Diary



- 14.10.18 — Year 5 Dewi Class Assembly (AT)
- 15.10.18 — Individual School Photographs
- 24.10.18— Nursery Harvest Assembly (Madoc CS)
- 05.11.18 — INSET Day
- 09.11.18 — Year 2 Melangell (CT)
Remembrance Service (Christ Church)
- 09.11.18 — Year 6 Remembrance Service
(Christ Church)
- 13.11.18— Parent Council Meeting
- 22.11.18—Year 5 Teilo Class Assembly (RO)
- 11.12.18 — Foundation Phase Carol Service
- 12.12.18 — Foundation Phase Carol Service
- 13.12.18 — School Christmas Dinner
- 14.12.18— KS2 Carol Service (Year 4)
- 19.12.18—Year 3 Christmas Concert

Polite Notice—School Car Park

Please can we kindly ask parents to park their vehicles in the designated car parking spaces that have been allocated within our car park in order to refrain from blocking other parents in. Diolch yn fawr!

P.T.F.A. News

A massive thank you to everyone who gave donations and supported our Summer Fun Night. The PFTA managed to raise £893.25 for the school! This would not have been possible without your support. Thank you very much!!



Forthcoming Events:

Tuesday 27th November — PTFA Christmas Fayre

Thursday 6th December — Junior Fun Night More Information regarding these events to follow....

Model Lottery The Model Lottery is a weekly lottery draw run by the PTFA to raise funds for the school. Since it began over £19,000 has been raised by the school. If you would like to join simply collect a membership form from the school office.

Health & Safety Notices



- Please can we kindly ask that parents do not leave small children unattended in vehicles during drop off and pick up times.
 - Parents must ensure the safety of their own children on school grounds whilst waiting to handover at Breakfast Club/the gate. This also applies once pupils have been handed over at the end of the day.
 - May we also remind parents of pupils in Years 5 & 6, who have granted permission for their child to walk home, that it is their responsibility that their child arrives home safely.
- Thank you sincerely for your co-operation as our pupils' safety is paramount.

Parent Council News



Please come and join us at our next Parent Council meeting which will be held here at the school on **Tuesday 13th November 2018 at 4pm (All Welcome)**

Up and Coming Events for Parents:


Thursday 8th November 2018 – Literacy Course (All Welcome).
The course will be every Thursday for five weeks.

Letters with more information will be sent home shortly.



Outdoor Area Development

This term we are looking to develop distinct areas within the outdoors and are looking for donations of the following things:

 **Music Zone:** - 'All things metal' e.g. pots, pans, spoons, metal dustbin lids, bowls, colanders (anything metal that could be noisy!).



Small World Area - any unwanted gravel, stones, bark, paving slabs, compost etc.



Messy Play Area - Any unwanted shirts that could be used as aprons.

To develop our school grounds even further we would like to call on the help, expertise and advice of any builders/carpenters or 'handy' people who would be willing to give us a hand to make our visions a reality! If you are willing to offer some help, please just call into the school office to let us know!

Any donations can be dropped off at the gate and will be stored until they are ready to be used. Thank you in advance for your support!

E-Safety Top Tip – www.thinkuknow.co.uk



Thinkuknow is the education programme from CEOP, a UK organisation which protects children both online and offline. Explore one of the six Thinkuknow websites for advice about staying safe when you're on a phone, tablet or computer.

Enrichment Friday

This year we are trialing something new, which we hope will enhance the pupils independent learning and application of skills across the curriculum. We are all very excited about our new enrichment curriculum, which will be held every Friday afternoon. Children from across the school, Y1 to Y6 will choose an activity of their choice to follow through until the first ½ term. Activities range from Mindfulness exercise, art and craft, cross country, Italian, Digital Lego, cross stitch, eco, musical theatre to Welsh, math games and puzzles, digital music and a book club. We are always happy to have any volunteers at the school, (followed by an enhanced DBS check), so if anyone, has any particular skills, in line with the above, who would like to help, please get in touch.

