



Eco -Council

# Eco-News



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## *Eco-Council 2017 - 2018*

The School Election was held at the end of the Summer Term in order to elect new members for the Eco-Council. The members are **Jac Jones** (Chairperson), **Steffan Lewis** (Vice-chairperson), **Llŷr Griffiths** (Secretary), **Lowri Thomas** (Treasurer), **Bedo Hallam** (Year 5 and 6 Representative), **Ffion Rees and Hawys Llewelyn-Jones** (Year 3 and 4 Representatives), **Gwen Morgan and Lili-Ela Jones** (Foundation Phase Representatives), **Gwenno Evans** (Press Officer).



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**If you have any suggestions or questions, please contact any member of the Eco-Council.**

## *Children in Need*

On Friday November 17th, it was 'Children in Need' day. Pupils and staff wore spotty clothes to school. We sold Pudsey biscuits, Pudsey and Blush badges and we had a Photo Booth!

We raised £315 – Thank you for your contribution.



## *Food Bank*



The school has been busy collecting long shelf-life foods including tins, pasta, tea and coffee. We collected a variety of foods for people who are less fortunate. The food was delivered to Carmarthen Food Bank. Thank you for your generosity. We also donated £295 from our Christmas Sernive collection to the Food Bank and £200 towards Childreach International.

## *Bishop's Visit*



The Bishop of St Davids, Joanna Penberthy, visited the school on Wednesday November 29th. We had an assembly outdoors next to the Prayer Garden and the Bishop blessed the garden.

## Macmillan Coffee Morning

On Thursday September 28<sup>th</sup>, we held a successful Coffee Morning to raise money for Macmillan Cancer Support. Everyone enjoyed the tea, coffee, cakes and the opportunity to socialize. Pupils had been busy making bunting to decorate the canteen and members of the Eco-Council helped with the cake stall during the morning. Thank you to parents and friends for their generous contributions towards the cake stall.



Pupils and staff also joined in the fun, wearing green clothes to school and contributing a £1 to raise money for the charity.



A variety of green snacks were also sold, including biscuits with green icing, green jelly and green squash. We would like to thank everyone for their support. Together we raised £505.65 towards Macmillan Nurses.

## Christmas Fair

The Christmas Fair was held on November 30<sup>th</sup>. The pupils had been busy creating products to sell during the evening.



Nursery and Reception pupils made candle holders.

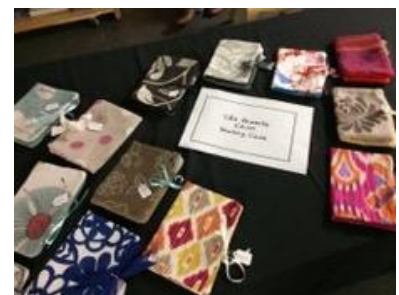
Year 1 and 2 pupils made lavender bags.



Year 3 and 4 pupils made sports bags.



Year 5 and 6 pupils made sewing cases.



Father Christmas arrived in style this year! Thanks to Castell Howell for giving him a lift in the Christmas lorry!



## Hygiene Display



Thank you to Catrin Rees and Angharad Vaughan-Owen for attending the Christmas Fair and reminding us about the importance of hygiene and hand washing. Pupils enjoyed learning about germs and how to wash their hands using the Glitter Bug machine.

## Advent Calendars

The school has been selling Advent Calendars this year again. The calendars contained 'Divine' chocolate made by Fairtrade producers.



## Botanical Garden Visit

The Foundation Phase pupils visited the Botanical Garden.



They learnt how to look after the red robin and his friends during the winter months and they visited Father Christmas!



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## Bag2School

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The school has been busy collecting bags of old clothes, shoes, bags and soft toys. We collected many bags and received £148 - thank you for all contributions.



**Merry  
Christmas and  
a Happy New  
Year to you all!**



## Sports Kit

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Thank you to Melin Consultants for sponsoring the school sports kit. The pupils love showing off their new kits!

