

## Llais y Plant



## **Newsletter - Autumn Term 2017**

School attendance percentage for the term – 95. 95%

This is good because our target is 95%



Here are members of the Scool Committee this year 2017-1018:

Hedydd (Chair), Cameron (Deputy Chair), Leon (Secretary), Cian (treasurer) and Cadi, Gwydion, and Lili as Committee members. The Committee meet up during the school term and make decisions about things that happen in Ysgol Nebo. There is also a box in the foyer where children can share their ideas how to improve our school.

The School Committee has decided to support a few charities this term. They collected £182 towards Macmillan in their annual coffee morning. Also they supported Childrenin Nedd and collected £49 towards the goos cause. Thank you to everyone who supported us.





During the second half of half term Anni from the Urdd came to the school and did the physical activity lessons with them. Remember there are many Urdd activities after school in local leisure centres in Penygroes and Caernarfon.

It's great this year to see so many children joined up with the Urdd. One of our first session's of the Urdd was game night with Iwan, They all had a good time.

Wehave been extremely busy at Ysgol Nebo this term. We had an inspection back in October and we have to praise the children for all their hard work. The inspection report is being released on December 27th and will Be on Estyn's website.

We went to Pant Du as part of our school work. The theme this term was 'Breuddwydion' (Dreams/Ambitions) We went to have a look around Pant Du in Penygroes as this was Richard and Iola's ambition. They wanted a grapevine in Dyffryn Nantlle and after hours of research they made the decision to start their own business. Today it is a growing successful business and it is because of their perserverance that it has done so well.



Mr Keith O'Brian came to the school to talk about Hedd Wyn with the children. The had an interesting talk and the children listened well and were enthusiastic.





Ffion from Cyngor Gwynedd came to the school in November to remind us of the importance of recycling, switching electricity and heaters off, and also turning the taps off in order to save energy. This is a very important message and we think that we are very sensible in Ysgol Nebo with our energy saving ideas.



The school is happy to announce that we have a new website. So, if you would like more information about the school visit our website—ysgolnebo.cymru. The website will be translated in the new year.

Christmas time in the school is an extremely busy time for us. We had a nice Carol Singing and Christmas Fair in the school. This year's show was 'Santa ar Streic' with excellent performance again by the children. We had a delicious Christmas lunch again this year from Anti Rhiannon and it was nice to see the community again joining us. We also went to Tyddyn Sachau to see Father Christmas and we had a nice lunch there as well. We also went to the panto to watch 'Culhwch and Olwen'. We would like to thank Mr Gerallt Llewelyn who payed for the tickets for us to watch the panto.









The school will be working on these priorities during

the year:

1. Assessment for Learning and Growth Mind-set

- 2. Develop the outdoor play area.
- 3. Modify schemes of work to be innovative.
- 4. Continue to develop ICT and raise awareness of the new framework.
- 5. Further develop the roles of governors and coordinators.

Well done Ryan, Tomos John and Maisie who achieved 100% attendance this term.

We would like to wish you all a MERRY CHRIST-MAS and HAPPY NEW YEAR. Thank you for your continued support. The school will re- open Monday 8th of January 2018.

Just a quick note to remind you that there will be a new system starting in January with the breakfast club. The Breakfast care club will start at 8:10 and there will be a fee of 80p per child. (Discount to families with 3 children and more). The breakfast club will start at 8:35 for everyone else who are not paying. You will need to book on-line before hand for the pre school care club.

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