



**Small School, Big Heart**

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Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2025

Dear Parent/Carers,

### **Outdoor Adventure Centre Residential Trip 2025**

The date for this year's residential stay at Bryntysilio is fast approaching. So wanted to remind you of some key information:

The visit will take place between Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> March and Friday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2025 inclusive. Children will leave school at 9am on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> March and will return to school in time for normal school pick up on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> March. They will travel to and from the residential on transport provided by Bryntysilio.

During the stay at Bryntysilio, students will undertake activities such as climbing on the escarpment above Llangollen, canoeing on the canal, scrambling in the hills, bushcraft in the woods and much more. The Centre use activities to help students with mental well-being realise their confidence, sense of self, and resilience. The final activities will be weather dependant but an example of the typical activities is included at the end of this letter as well a reminder of the [suggested kit list](#).

The staff members who will be joining pupils this year are Mr Shepherd, Miss Ward and Mrs Henders.

Children should not bring mobile phones or other electronic devices including digital cameras. They may bring a disposable camera. We will take the school iPad and will share photos with you through Class Dojo. Children may bring a maximum of £5 to spend at the tuck shop.

Please remember, children's belonging are their responsibility so please do not send them with anything valuable or clothing that might be ruined by the outdoor activities.

**Full payment for the trip is due in full by Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March.** Please log onto your ParentPay account to see your balance remaining: [www.parentpay.com](http://www.parentpay.com). You can pay through ParentPay, or cash/cheque at the school office. Please make cheques payable to Selattyn C.E. School.

**Bryntysilio require this online form to be completed for consent, contact information, medical issues and allergies. If you haven't already completed it, please complete it here:**

<https://forms.office.com/e/2jCemHrRMC>

If you are unsure if you have already completed it, please ask at the office.

If you have any questions or difficulties, please feel free to speak to Mr Shepherd in confidence or ask at the office.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'R. E. Shepherd'.

Mr R.E. Shepherd, Headteacher

# YOUR 3-DAY ADVENTURE

We can't wait to have you here with us at Brynty, so we wanted to give you a taster of what's in store:

★ **DAY** ★

**evening**

**1**

Arrival  
Canoeing

Low Ropes

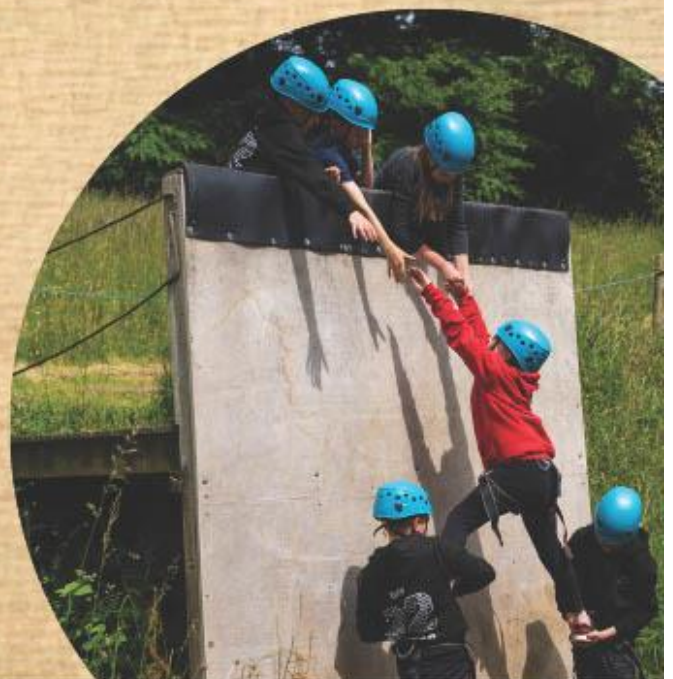
**2**

Scramble  
Gorge

Night Line

**3**

Wilderness Quest  
Departure



# Kit List

Participants must be prepared to be outside for the majority of the day during their programme. Therefore, we recommend that you pack old clothes that you don't mind getting dirty and wet. A cleaner, neater set of clothes is suitable for the evening.

Do not bring new clothes, valuable jewellery or watches. We strongly recommend against phones for old participants

All items should be labelled to help us reunite lost items with owners!

## Outdoor Activities

For those on an adventure day, you just need clothes to wear and one complete set of below

For those on 3-day programmes, you need to pack 2 sets of:

For those on 5-day programmes, you need to pack 4 sets of:

- Trousers (tracksuit bottom or cargo pants)
- T-shirt
- Jumpers (sweaters, fleeces)
- Socks (thick and warm)
- Underwear
  
- Trainers you can get wet/muddy
- Second pair of clean trainers
- Swim wear and wet tshirt
- Warm jacket/coat

## Useful Items

- 1l water bottle
- Torch
- Plastic bags for dirty/wet clothes
- Sun cream/sun hat
- Hat, gloves, scarf
- Small ruck sack
- Pocket money for ice cream/tuck shop (£5 max)

## Overnight

For those staying over night

- Pillow and pillow case
- In Hall:
  - Bottom sheet
  - Duvet cover or sleeping bag
- In Summer Village:
  - Sleeping bag
  - Blanket
- Pyjama's
- Slippers / Sliders
- Washbag and Toiletries (personal medication, lip salve, plasters)
- Towel

## If you have them

*But don't worry or buy if you don't have these items*

- Wellies
- Walking boots
- Waterproof coat
- Waterproof trousers

