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Urdd Eisteddfod Cookery Competition

Dear parents/carers,

Each year our Friends of the School organisation kindly pay for all pupils in Years 3 to 6 to join the Urdd at a cost of £10 per child. This membership provides opportunities for pupils to compete in various competitions across the year, including a cookery competition.

The cookery competition takes place this term for pupils in Year 4, 5 and 6. I have today spoken to all pupils about this opportunity.

The first round is a school based one and will take place on the afternoon of Tuesday 15th October. The pupils taking part will be asked to make a cold wrap for one person. They need to decide what ingredients they will use; they need to bring these with them on the day and they need to practice the process at home in advance as they must be able to compete independently. Please note, Urdd rules state there are no nuts allowed in any recipe. Pupils are not allowed to prepare any of their ingredients in advance and must bring in an apron to wear. They will have 15 minutes to set up their areas and 45 minutes to complete.

School will provide any equipment needed, will arrange for a staff member to supervise and an adjudicator to judge. The adjudicator will be judging the preparation skills, the cooking skills shown e.g., cutting and slicing, the organisation skills and time keeping, the hygiene and food safety standards shown and of course the presentation of the wrap and its taste.

The winner will then be invited to attend Ysgol Bro Caereinion for the regional round on 18th November, where they will be asked to make and present a burger.

We appreciate that entering this competition will entail a huge commitment from the pupils and their families, but we didn't want to not share this opportunity with you. If your child would like to enter the first round, please can you email the school office to let us know as we will need to register pupils competing by Friday 4th October.

Kind Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'S M Corbett'.

Miss Sarah Corbett (Headteacher)