

## **Views and Comments Captured via Social Media**

- I'm a Pen y Cwm parent and this is the first I've heard of this
- Me too but why would the school tell parents about it: 'Our kids are only attending there'
- Wonderful that many more children & young people will benefit from this amazing provision with the most dedicated staff. Diolch Pen y Cwm & Diolch BGCBC
- Amazing news for these children, my son is currently in the process of receiving a statement of education. Unfortunately, there doesn't appear to be a school within the Borough to meet his needs. He's not 'Complex' enough to fit the ALN placements suggested but its such a horrendous battle to ensure the LA enable him to be adequately supported in mainstream. The School is amazing but there's just no money in BG. If you don't have a diagnosis of ASD, but have Learning Difficulties – you fall under the 'Complex Needs' umbrella. It would be lovely if the LA could explore where children with no complex needs but who need significant extra support in their learning could be educated to the standard that every child deserves.
- Fantastic news
- Wonderful news
- Great news for the community
- Amazing news my son goes there and has come on so much in every way possible best decision I ever made was putting him there.
- Problem is if they increase capacity they need to increase qualified staff sufficiently.
- Fantastic news