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# An Lester Trumach - The Packet Ship

11 January 2016

Dear Parents

*I've been taking the last few prospective parents around class over the past days as we approach the deadline for applications (see below) and it never ceases to amaze me how rapidly the children become involved in their new learning focus and how quickly the classes reflect the new term's exciting topics with fresh and intriguing role-play areas set up in all the classes.*

**Important – 23:59 this Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> January is the deadline for parents or guardians wishing to apply for a place in September's reception class. If your child was born between 1<sup>st</sup> September 2011 and 31<sup>st</sup> August 2012 and you haven't yet applied, please visit the Admissions pages at [www.cornwall.gov.uk](http://www.cornwall.gov.uk).**

*We've 're-jigged' clubs for the new term too. With the early evenings and winter weather there is a bit of a move indoors and a break for the gardeners. So here's a summary of what's on offer (see details under the clubs page on the school website - <http://marlborough.eschools.co.uk/website/clubs/7891>):*

	Before School	Lunch-Time	After School	
Monday	<b>Table Tennis</b>			y3-6 (4 spaces now available) y4-6 (8 places available) y1 upwards
Tuesday			<b>Bridge</b> <b>Multi-Sports</b> <b>Art</b> <b>Cooking</b> <b>Circus</b>	infants now – juniors after ½ term currently full, sign up for after ½ term
Wednesday	<b>Table Tennis</b>	<b>Chess</b>		y1-6 y3-6 (2 spaces now available) y3-6
Thursday			<b>Film</b> <b>Tag Rugby</b>	all ages y3-6
Friday	<b>Table Tennis</b>	<b>Recorder</b>		y3-6 (2 spaces now available) y1-6

*Netball and Gardening will resume after half term. We would also welcome any support from parents willing to assist with or even take a lead with some of our club activities. Please ask at the office for information.*

## Pupil Premium

We've sent an application form home for Reception (y0) children's parents to complete as we need to register any children eligible for pupil premium shortly. This could mean increased funding to support your child at school and also enable us to pass on savings in costs for visits and extra curricular activities etc. If your child is not in y0, but you feel you may qualify, please ask at the office.

## Children with asthma

We issued care plans for children with inhalers at the beginning of the autumn term to assist in managing their asthma in school. Some of these have not however yet been sent back. If you did not return one last term and should have done, please complete the care plan attached with this newsletter and send it in to the school office by Friday this week. Thank you, Lisa Pearce (Inclusion)

## School meal choices

Thank you for assisting class 1 to choose their meals in the morning. Now that they are familiar with the ordering system, and to develop personal responsibilities, they will now continue to choose their school meals in class during the morning. Parents can of course discuss the daily meals with the children at home by checking the weekly menu displayed on the website or in the school foyer but we would now like them to choose their own meals like their older peers.

This week's packet points			
1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Fox</b>	34	7
2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Swiftsure</b>	25	5
3 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Pelham</b>	21	4
4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Walsingham</b>	20	3
5 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Freeling</b>	17	2
6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Chichester</b>	16	1



## Evening Classes for Adults at Marlborough School ~ newcomers welcome

ZUMBA every Tuesday 18:15-19:15 and Thursday 18:00-19:00 with Amy Trevartha-Andreou

MOVES FITNESS every Wednesday 19:30-20:30 with Jenny Symons



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