

An Lester Trumach

The Packet Ship

Number 20

8 February 2016

## **Dear Parents**

A number of interested companies have either taken a look at our outdoor space or are booked in to do so, hopefully all with inspiring ideas to help us bring our outdoor learning, LINE and BIG DIG ideas together. We won't be signing up with anyone however until all views are sought, including from parents and especially the children. Indeed, whatever we do manage to make of the school site it will always have to reflect their design dreams. If you'd like to help us getting the ball rolling, be sure to come along to the **Headteacher's Coffee Morning** at **08:45** on **Friday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2016**. School grounds improvements and the way ahead to help fund them is one of the subject areas we'll be discussing... I'm not sure what the others will be as I'm sure you'll bring along your own thoughts. But if you do have any specific subject in mind, please drop a line to the office so that we can prepare any information for you.

## **Date for your diaries**

On Friday 12<sup>th</sup> March the Global Links parliament group will be hosting a fundraiser for Diabetes Awareness after school. If you are spring cleaning during half-term please keep any unwanted, good quality toys, books and DVDs. Also if you still have any unwanted Christmas presents we would like those too! Please bring any donations into school after half-term. We will also need lots of help ~ details to follow soon. *Thank you* 

## **Cross County**

Well done to our 16 juniors who participated in last Friday's cross country competition at Falmouth School. Despite wind rain and muddy conditions six children made it through to the next round at Pool Academy in two weeks' time. Well done to everyone who took part.

#### Clubs

Film club this week has had to be cancelled – we apologise for the short notice, disappointment and any inconvenience caused

### after half term ...

Gardening Club ~ Fridays 2-3pm for years 1 to 6 ~ £5 for four weeks from Friday 26<sup>th</sup> February until 18<sup>th</sup> March Juniors Art Club ~ Tuesdays 3:30-4:30 (y3-y6) ~ £7.50 for five weeks from 23<sup>rd</sup> February until 22<sup>nd</sup> March We would like to be able to offer netball after school to children in y4-y6 but we don't have enough coaching help for the group at the moment. If you or anyone you know would be able to run our netball club for an hour a week please let us know ... office@marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk

Unfortunately we have had to cancel cooking club for next half term, but hopefully will be able to run it again shortly.

Keywear are having a uniform sale in their shop on Saturday 20th February 09.30 - 5.00 the cost of Marlborough uniform will be: Sweatshirts £5.00  $\sim$  Cardigans £6.00  $\sim$  Fleeces £9.00  $\sim$  PE T-shirts £3.00 whilst stocks last. If parents are really interested and to save disappointment, they are welcome to pre-order the week beginning Monday 15th February.

Keywear Uniform: 2 Church Walk, Truro TR1 1JH Tel: 01872 242233

Polite email request from a local resident: Good afternoon, I live on Pengarth Rise and would just like to point out that this morning I had trouble leaving my road due to all the cars parked for the school drop-off (at 8:30am). The end of the road (which leads onto Marlborough Avenue) had approximately 10 cars parked on it, on both sides of the road which meant cars entering Pengarth Rise were doing so in the middle of the road. This meant I had to reverse down my road a handful of times before being able to drive up

and out of the street, on my way to work. Could you please remind parents that they need to park more considerately on the surrounding residential areas? I do sympathise with the problem - my children attend a nearby primary school and the parking situation is very difficult around there too. We are sent letters on numerous occasions reminding us to park more considerately! Thank you for your assistance.

This Week				Total		
1 <sup>st</sup>	Swiftsure	30	7	1 <sup>st</sup>	Fox	28
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Fox	26	5	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Swiftsure	27
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Chichester	23	4	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Pelham	18
4 <sup>th</sup>	Pelham	19	3	4 <sup>th</sup>	Freeling	15
	Walsingham	19	3		Chichester	15
6 <sup>th</sup>	Freeling	18	1	6 <sup>th</sup>	Walsingham	13



ZUMBA classes will continue at Marlborough during half term ... next Tuesday 18:15-19:15 and Thursday 18:00-19:00 with Amy Trevartha-Andreou

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