



## An Lester Trumach - The Packet Ship

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Our pupils are busy with their learning and are getting excited about sharing their outcomes with parents and carers towards the end of this term. Reception pupils will be sharing their learning journeys on the 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> of July from 8.30 to 9.30am, Year 1 pupils are performing *Sea Shanties and Stories* on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> of July at 2.45pm, Year 2 pupils will be holding an *Under the Sea Samba Special* on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July at 2.45pm, Year 3 pupils are curating their *Land and Sea Exhibition* on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> of July at 2.45pm, Year 4 pupils are launching a class book entitled *Foul Play on the Fal* on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> of July at 9am and Year 5 pupils are sharing stories about *Fascinating Falmouth* on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> of July at 9am. The Year 6 pupils will be deciding on their outcome once they have returned from camp. Each class will be sending out invitations for their outcome with more information nearer the time.

### SATs Information

The Year 6 pupils have been preparing for their SATs which started today. Year 6 pupils are invited in for a Brainy Breakfast at 8am this week to enable them to have a relaxed start to the day. All papers will start when pupils are settled and ready, usually around 9.15am. The timetable for the Year 6 SATs is as follows:

*Monday 13 May 2019*- English grammar, punctuation and spelling papers 1 and 2

*Tuesday 14 May 2019*- English reading

*Wednesday 15 May 2019*- Mathematics papers 1 and 2

*Thursday 16 May 2019*- Mathematics paper 3

### Learning Out and About and In School

**Music Sessions**- Pupils in Years 2 and 3 are working with Lucetta learning how to play Samba drums and the recorder. We have access to 15 recorders but pupils are welcome to bring in their own. **Choir Concert**- The Choir will be performing for the school on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May at 1.30pm. Parents and carers are invited to come along for this exciting concert. **History Walk**- Year 5 pupils are heading out on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May for a *History Detective Tour* around Falmouth linked to their Packet Ships' learning. **Maritime Museum**- Year 1 pupils are taking part in an exciting workshop at the Maritime Museum on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May, linking with their explorers' topic. Pupils will be out of school for the whole day and they are able to bring a packed lunch or have a free lunch provided by school. Please speak to Miss Finnegan if you are able to accompany the visit. **Queen Mary Gardens**- Year 3 pupils and some Year 6 pupils will be helping to keep the seafront looking wonderful by gardening with the Falmouth Town Council team on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> of May. They will be planting our Marlborough School flower bed. Pupils will be out all day and will need a packed lunch.

### Sport in School

**Sports Coach Sessions**- Pupils in Year 6 and 0 are working with our sports coach, Liam, this term. Year 6 pupils are developing their cricket skills and Year 0 pupils are learning team games. **Chance to Shine Cricket Coaching**- Pupils in Years 1 and 2 will be developing their cricket skills on Tuesday afternoon. **Tennis Training**- Year 4 pupils are practising their tennis skills at Falmouth Sports Centre on Tuesday. Some Year 4 pupils are playing at the Mini Red Tennis Tournament at Falmouth School on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> of May. **Water Sports**- Pupils in Years 3 and 5 are taking part in Elemental water sports sessions. The first session is on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> of May and they will last for five weeks. The cost for the 5 sessions is £65. **Rugby Competition**- Due to their success last week the Touch Rugby Team are heading to Redruth Rugby Club on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> of May for the final of the tournament. Pupils will be out of school from 9.30am until 2.15pm and will need a packed lunch. **Swimming**- Year 1 and 2 pupils start swimming sessions on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> of June at 9.15am. Payment details have been sent home with pupils.

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### **Year 6 Residential Visit**

Pupils in Year 6 are heading to Osmington Bay on the Dorset coast on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May. Activities will include orienteering, adventuring through tunnel trails and riding a giant swing! A final kit list is being sent home this week. If you have any questions about the residential please speak to Miss Draper.

### **School Kitchen**

Our wonderful school kitchen works incredibly hard to enable pupils to have a healthy and hearty lunch. Angie is very accommodating in what can be provided, not only for children with allergies, but also for children who may find menu choices difficult. Please consult with Angie or Ruth. A reminder that food allergies and intolerances are taken very seriously. Allergy forms are now to be completed annually but please ask for a form from the office at any time if your child develops any allergies.

### **Marlborough Governors' Monitoring Week- 20<sup>th</sup> May**

Our Governors are meeting with pupils and staff next week to monitor various aspects of school life. Governors take the safety, wellbeing and progress of our pupils very seriously and give up their own time to rigourously ensure we are heading in the right direction.

### **A Message from Marlborough Cabinet**

*We as a cabinet would like to raise some funds to send to the WWF for their work with Hector's Dolphins. Hector's Dolphins are an endangered species from Marlborough Bay in New Zealand. As a whole school parliament, we decided to help and voted to hold a sponsored read.*

*We will be in the hall during the beginning of this week for you to pick up your sponsorship form. We will be collecting money raised after half term. Thanks*

### **Year 6 Fundraiser**

Year 6 pupils will be selling ice creams and lollies from 2pm outside school on Friday 17th May. This is to raise money for leavers hoodies and the y6 party.

### **Marlborough Mariners**

The Mariners will be holding their Annual General Meeting on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> of May at 8pm at The Townhouse. They will be formalising their finance structure. Any parents interested in taking on a finance role within the group (either now or in the future) can email [mariners@marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk](mailto:mariners@marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk). The current finance roles to be filled at the AGM are Chair, Secretary and Treasurer. As part of this process the Mariners Constitution is being re-drafted. This will also be discussed at the AGM and then sent out for wider final consultation. If you wish to receive the agendas and minutes from Mariners meetings, please email [mariners@marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk](mailto:mariners@marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk) and ask to be added to the mailing list. All are welcome to attend the AGM.

Meeting dates and times for next year are also being set. We are looking to vary the times so there will be some evening meetings, some coffee morning updates, and some afterschool meetings. Whilst it is impossible to arrange times everyone can make, if you have wanted to come to meetings but not been able to make the times, and that arrangement would still not let you attend, please do let us know!

### **Congratulations**

Well done to Roxy and Lily-Marie in Year 5 who have spent the weekend in Manchester competing nationally in a dance completion. They have made it through to the next round which is taking place in New Jersey!

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**Reading Support-** Reception Class are in need of parents or carers to listen to readers and discuss stories. If you are able to help please talk the the office staff who will ask you to complete a volunteer form which includes a DBS check.

### **Lost Property**

We have a lost playmobile pirate ship which has no captain! Please reclaim it from the office if it is yours.

<b>Packet Points</b>						
<b>This week score table</b>				<b>Termly score table</b>		
<b>Position</b>	<b>Team</b>	<b>Weekly Points</b>	<b>Weekly Score</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Team</b>	<b>Termly Score</b>
1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Chichester</b>	32	7	1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Chichester</b>	83
2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Swiftsure</b>	29	5	2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Walsingham</b>	72
3 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Freeling</b>	24	4	3 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Swiftsure</b>	68
4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Pelham</b>	21	3	4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Pelham</b>	53
5 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Walsingham</b>	20	2	5 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Fox</b>	38
6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Fox</b>	16	1	6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Freeling</b>	37

### **Dates for the diary**

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May- Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May-** SATs week for Year 6 pupils

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May-** Choir Concert @1.30 - Parents and Carers invited, Ice cream sale @ 2pm

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May-** Elemental Watersports for Years 3 and 5

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May-** Rugby Tournament at Redruth rugby Club 10am-2pm

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May-** Year 6 to Osmington Bay, Year 5 *History Detectives Tour* of Falmouth, Year 1 to National Maritime Museum, Mariners AGM @8pm,

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May-** Year 3 and Year 6 to Queen Mary Gardens

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May-** Year 6 Osmington Bay pupils return, collect @ 5.30pm from school

**Half Term Break-** Monday 27<sup>th</sup> - Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May

**End of Summer Term-** Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July. 2pm finish

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