

An Lester Trumach - The Packet Ship

Number 35

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2022

Dear Parents and Carers.

Many thanks to everyone who helped with the very successful Big Dig day! The children had a wonderful time, learning in our natural environment. The programme of activities had something for everyone and, due to your input, felt incredibly positive and exciting. We were also treated to pasties for lunch and some shanties from *The Countrymen* at the end of Big Dig day so, all in all, it was a blast! Next week, we have our **Sports Day** sessions and the start of our rehearsals for our summer production which we can now announce is... *drum roll*... **The Legend of King Arthur**. We are very much looking forward to whipping up the play-in-a-week and sharing this story with you on the school field on the 7<sup>th</sup> of July at 5.30pm. All pupils will work with either John Brolly from the Minack or Sally Knight from Cscape dance. These workshops are being funded through our Hall for Cornwall Partnership status.

# **Learning Out and About and in School**

**Robin Hood Production** – The whole school are being treated this afternoon to a production of Robin Hood. This is being performed by Image Musical Theatre.

Reflection Spaces – We are very lucky to have Jane Wheeler and her team setting up reflection spaces in our garden area during the week beginning the 27<sup>th</sup> of June. All children and staff will have the opportunity to find peace, calm and time for reflection using the multi-sensory activities that the team will set up.

Class 5 Adventure Club – Class 5 will be heading to Swanpool Beach with Louise Tremewan on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> of June. They will be back to school in time for lunch.

**Sports Days** – We have our Sports Day sessions coming up next week, with Reception, Class 1 and Class 2 competing on **Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> of June** and Classes 3 to 6 competing on **Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> of June**. Families are invited to watch the competitions. Both afternoons will start at 1.30pm and children will be able to be collected from the field following the event. Children should come to school in their PE kit, with a sun hat, water bottle and sun screen.

**Optional Summer Production Workshop** – As we have John Brolly and Sally Knight all day on Friday, we are offering free workshops on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July **after school** for children who would like to be involved in either a *People of the Lake* dance or be involved with the *Introduction of the Performance*. If your child would like to take part, please let class teachers know that your child will be staying for the workshops.

Class 3 to Maritime Museum – On Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July, Class 3 will be spending the day at the National Maritime Museum Cornwall, taking part in a workshop developing their maritime skills and exploring the delights of the museum. The cost of the workshop is £5.95 per person and this can be paid through Parent Pay.

Class 5 Surf Day – Class 5 have an exciting day planned with Global Borders on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> of July. Lou Gall will send details out nearer the time.

**PSHE 'Changing Me' topic** – Most class teachers will be emailing parents and carers with the content of the Relationships and Sex Education aspect of their teaching this term. If you have any questions about how you can support this at home, please talk to your child's class teacher.



## Class 4 Residential to BF Adventure

Class 4 will be heading to BF Adventure at Halvasso from the 11<sup>th</sup> to the 13<sup>th</sup> of July. Martin Gimenez will be sending out a kit-list and itinerary next week. Payments can be made via ParentPay. If you have any questions about the residential please speak to Martin Gimenez or Abi Squibb.

# **Open Afternoon**

Parents and carers are invited in to school on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> of July from 2pm to look through your child's work and see the displays in the classrooms. This will be a lovely opportunity to celebrate the progress your child has made throughout the year.

# Staffing 2022-2023

Next academic year, most teachers will be staying in the same year groups. We will have Hannah Bridges joining us in September. However, we are making a change to two of the class rooms. We are swapping the rooms belonging to Class 3 and Class 6. This decision has been made to provide Class 3 with a more 'zoned' room, akin to KS1, with direct access to the woods. It also allows the upper school - Classes 4, 5 and 6 – to work closely together and for them all to have access to the larger playground and toilets. The group this will have the most effect on is Class 5, as they will have been expecting to move to the old Class 6 room. Matt Swiggs will be working with Class 5 to put the classroom together to make it feel Class 6-y!

Below is a list of the classes and their teachers and towards the end of term you will also know the teaching assistants working with your child's class.

<u>Class</u>	Class Teachers for September 2022
Reception	Lisa Pearce and Becky Prason
Class 1	Kerry Finnegan
Class 2	Hannah Bridges
Class 3	Kathy Rowe and Abigail Bailey
Class 4	Martin Gimenez
Class 5	Lou Gall
Class 6	Matt Swiggs

#### Class 6 London Residential

Last week, wonderful Class 6 went on a whistle-stop tour of London! In four days, they managed to pack in a walking tour of central London, a visit to Twickenham Stadium, a stroll along the Southbank, a flight on the London Eye, exploration of the Natural History Museum and the Science Museum and they enjoyed a performance of The Lion King. They visited Chase Bridge Primary School in Twickenham and met with the pupils of the contrasting school. The children were amazing throughout the four days, and their behaviour and attitudes were great. We had compliments from strangers regarding their politeness in restaurants, the way they line up and listen and their impeccable behaviour in the theatre. Their rooms were tidy and they were organised each day. Much to the adults' delight, they also went to sleep on time! Thank you so much to the parents of Class 6 for allowing us to take your children off you for four days; they were a real credit to you. And a HUGE THANK YOU to Matt Swiggs, Melissa Pentecost, Louise Tremewan and Kay Patterson for giving up their own time to provide such a memorable experience for our pupils.



#### Class 6 Raffle

Class 6 are currently fund-raising by holding a raffle to pay for their Leavers' Party. The prizes are coming in thick and fast and include days out for the family, beauty vouchers and restaurant vouchers. If you would like to donate a prize, please see Kay in the kitchen. Raffle tickets can be bought either from Class 6 parents, who will be at the front of school, at the beginning and end of the school day or from Kay in the kitchen.

# Come and join us for lunch!

Families are invited to join their child for lunch. Each class has a week where adults are able to come in on any day of the week. Meals cost £3.50 and can be booked through the office. Please book your meal by the Friday of the week previous to your class lunch.

NEXT WEEK- Week beginning 27<sup>th</sup> June – Class 3 adults, arrive at 12.15pm

Week beginning 4<sup>th</sup> July – Class 4 adults, arrive at 12.15pm

Week beginning 11<sup>th</sup> July – Class 5 adults, arrive at 12.15pm

Week beginning 18<sup>th</sup> July – Class 6 adults, arrive at 12.15pm

# Help Needed!

The little play house in our reception courtyard has lost some of the felt roofing. Does anyone have any felt that could be put on the top?

Also, our raised beds are looking a bit sad and overgrown since Gardening Club finished. Does anyone have any time they could spend tidying up the beds? Please contact the office if you can help with either of these jobs. Thanks!

# Marlborough Kitchen

Upcoming lunches are:

Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Monday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday 21st	Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup>
June	June	June	June	June	June	June
Beef Chilli	Fishfingers &	Pizza Margarita	Jacket Potato	Beef Lasagna	Turkey Burger &	Smoked Salmon
Bean Chilli	Wedges	Olive Pizza	Ham Roll	Sweetcorn &	Wedges	& Pea Pasta
Hummus &	Beetroot &	Leek & Potato		Red Pepper	Veggie Bean	Roast Vegetable
Breadsticks	Halloumi Burger	Soup		Pancakes	Burger &	& Tomato Pasta
	& Wedges			Jacket Potato	Wedges	Herby Cheese
	Tomato and				Lentil, Tomato	Scones
	Sesame Soup				& Coconut	
					Soup	

# Dates for the Diary

Wednesday 22nd June – Robin Hood Production in school

Wednesday 29th June – Sports Day from 1.30pm – Reception, Class 1 and Class 2

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June – Sports Day from 1.30pm –Classes 3, 4 5 and 6

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July – Class 3 to Maritime Museum

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> July – Whole School Summer Production 5.30pm – School Field

Monday 11th July – Class 5 Surf Day

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July – BF Adventure Residential

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> July – Whole School Open Afternoon 2.00-3.30pm

Thursday 21st July – Whole School Beach Morning

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July – Last Day of Term – Community Beach Barbeque

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September – INSET Day

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> September – Children back to School



#### Term Dates 2022-2023

Please find next years term dates below. The INSET days are highlighted in green and the school will be closed to pupils on these days. When booking any holidays for the next academic year, please keep your dates within the school holidays as all holiday absence is marked as unauthorised.

## **Cornwall Council** 2022/23 School Term Dates for Community and Voluntary-Controlled Schools





November 2022						
Mon			7	14	21	28
Tue		1	8	15	22	29
Wed		2	9	16	23	30
Thurs		3	10	17	24	
Fri		4	11	18	25	
Sat			12	19	26	
Sun		6	13	20	27	

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December 2022					
Mon		5	12	19	26
Tue		6	13	20	27
Wed		7	14	21	28
Thurs	1	8	15	22	29
Fri	2	9	16	23	30
Sat	3	10	17	24	31

January 2023						
Mon		2	9	16	23	30
Tue		3	10	17	24	31
Wed		4	11	18	25	
Thurs		5	12	19	26	
Fri		6	13	20	27	
Sat		7	14	21	28	
Sun	1	8	15	22	29	

February 2023						
Mon		6	13	20	27	
Tue		7	14	21	28	
Wed	1	8	15	22		
Thurs	2	9	16	23		
Fri	3	10	17	24		
Sat		11	18	25		
Sun	5	10	10	26		

Bank holidays	
Christmas Day	25 December 2022
Boxing Day	26 December 2022
Bank Holiday (in lieu of 25 Dec)	27 December 2022
New Years Day	01 January 2023
Bank Holiday (in lieu of 1 Jan)	02 January 2023
Good Friday	07 April 2023
Easter Monday	10 April 2023
May Bank Holiday	01 May 2023
Spring Bank Holiday	29 May 2023
Summer Bank Holiday	28 August 2023

March 2023						
Mon		6	13	20	27	
Tue		7	14	21	28	
Wed	1	8	15	22	29	
Thurs	2	9	16	23	30	
Fri	3	10	17	24	31	
Sat	4	11	18	25		
Sun		12	19	26		

April 2023						
Mon		3	10	17	24	
Tue		4	11	18	25	
Wed		5	12	19	26	
Thurs		6	13	20	27	
Fri		7	14	21	28	
Sat	1	8	15	22	29	
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Mon	1	8	15	22	29
Tue	2	9	16	23	30
Wed	3	10	17	24	31
Thurs	4	11	18	25	
Fri	5	12	19	26	
Sat	6	13	20	27	
Sun	7	14	21	28	

AUTUMN TERM (70 days)
5 September - 16 December
(HALF TERM 24-28 October 2

School holidays

5 September - 16 December 2022

## SPRING TERM (59 days)

3 January - 31 March 2023 (HALF TERM 13-17 February 2023)

#### SUMMER TERM (66 days)

17 April - 25 July 2023 (HALF TERM 29 May - 2 June 2023)

June 2023							
Mon		5	12	19	26		
Tue		6	13	20	27		
Wed		7	14	21	28		
Thurs	1	8	15	22	29		
Fri	2	9	16	23	30		
Sat	3	10	17	24			
Sun	4	11	18	25			

July 2023							
Mon		3	10	17	24		
Tue		4	11	18	25		
Wed		5	12	19	26		
Thurs		6	13	20	27		
Fri		7	14	21	28		
Sat	1	8	15	22	29		
Sun	2	9	16	23	30		

August 2023								
Mon			7	14	21	28		
Tue		1	8	15	22	29		
Wed		2	9	16	23	30		
Thurs		3	10	17	24	31		
Fri		4	11	18	25			
Sat		5	12	19	26			
Sun		6	13	20	27			

195 days are included on the school calendar. Schools will be open to pupils for 190 days. The five additional days are allotted for In-Service Training (INSET). Schools allocate their own INSET days.

