



# An Lester Trumach - The Packet Ship

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you found the Parent Consultation meetings helpful in identifying how your child is progressing with their learning. We have been immensely proud of how the children have managed this first half term of the academic year. Despite the disruptions to the world around them, they have continued to support each other and keep their chirpy outlook on life whilst being keen learners; such fantastic and resilient citizens. Looking ahead, our dates for the diary now include Christmas dates, with information about performances in this newsletter. Next half term is going to be a busy one! Have a lovely break and we will see you after half term.

## Learning Out and About and In School

**Supertato 'Reading Rocks' Event** – Class 2 will be linking up with St Ives bookshop for a live author session to read and discuss the book Supertato; Night of The Living Veg on Thursday. Books are available to buy through Parent Pay.

**Class 5 to Falmouth Art Gallery** – Class 5 will be heading to Falmouth Art Gallery for the day on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> of November to take part in an automata workshop, creating their own moving models. Children will need a packed lunch.

**Class 4 and Class 6 Diwali Workshop** – Charlotte from Inspirasian Dance will be working with Class 4 and Class 6 on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> of November to create a dance to celebrate Diwali. If the weather is dry, parents and carers are invited to watch the dance at 3.15pm in the playground.

**Spacedome in School** – Classes 5 and 6 will have the amazing opportunity of learning more about space in the magnificent Spacedome on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> of November.

**Reception Parent Consultations** – Parent Consultations for reception parents will take place during the week of the 15<sup>th</sup> of November.

**Class 2 Outcome in Kimberley Park** – **Change of date** - Due to unforeseen circumstances, Class 2's outcome in Kimberley Park will now be on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> of November at 2pm. Apologies.

## Autumn Term Outcomes

	Outcome	Date
Class 1	Mad Hatter's Tea Party	Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November @ 2.30pm
Class 2	Kimberley Park Tour	Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> November @ 2pm
Class 3	Fair Trade Shop and Exhibition	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> December @ 8.45am
Class 4	Ancient Egyptian Museum	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> December @ 2.30pm
Class 5	Heavenly Bodies Exhibition	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> December @ 8.45am
Class 6	VE Day Party	Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> November @ 2.45pm

## Mini Marathon – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October

We are inviting children to complete their own Virgin Mini-Marathon after school on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October at Falmouth Rugby Club. As this will be near Halloween, children can run in fancy dress if they would like (nothing too scary as there will be little ones there!) 2.6 miles is the same as 11 laps of the Rugby Club but children can walk, run or jog as many laps as they are able. Please can families bring their own drinks and snacks.

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## Free School Meal Vouchers for Half Term

Free School Meal vouchers have been sent to families in receipt of Free School Meals this week. This is being funded by Cornwall Council. If you have not received your vouchers please contact the office.

## Clubs after Half Term

We have made some changes to clubs after half term, opening up clubs for other year groups and extending the time for Craft and Create Club. Highlighted changes are below. If you would like your child to join a club please email [office@marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk](mailto:office@marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk)

Day	Club	Last Date of Club	Lead By	Year Groups	Time	Cost
Monday	Karate	06/12/2021	Kay Banks	2,3,4,5,6	15:30 – 16:30	TBC
Monday	Coding Club	06/12/2021	Mr Gimenez	4 + 5	15:30 – 16:30	£0
Tuesday	Netball	07/12/2021	Mrs Vinnicombe	4,5+6	15.30 – 16.30	£0
Wednesday	Drama	08/12/2021	Miss Squibb	3,4+5	15:30 – 16:15	£0
Wednesday	Choir	8/12/2021	Miss Finnegan	3,4,5+6	15:30 – 16:15	£0
Thursday	Multi Sports	09/12/2021	PAFC	3,4,5+6	15:30 – 16:30	£38.50
Thursday	Craft and Create	09/12/2021	Mrs Gall	5 + 6	15:30 – 16:45	£0
Friday	Multi Sports	10/12/2021	PAFC	R,1+2	14:00 – 15:15	£38.50
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## London Residential Meeting

Class 6 pupils, parents and carers are invited to a meeting on the 4<sup>th</sup> of November at 3.45pm to look at the itinerary for the London residential and answer any questions.

## Secondary School Places

The deadline for applications to secondary schools for our Year 6 pupils is the 31<sup>st</sup> of October.

## Christmas Performances

Christmas is coming! After half term we will start rehearsing and creating ready for our celebrations. **Reception, Class 1 and Class 2's** Christmas nativity will be performed on 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> of December at 5.30pm and on 15<sup>th</sup> December in the afternoon at 2.15pm.

This year **Classes 3 to 6** are doing something a bit different. We have been selected by Trebah Gardens to create a **Garden of Lights Parade**. We are one of four schools to work with artists to create structures for the gardens. We will have Trebah Gardens to ourselves on **Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> of December from 5pm** and children will lead a parade and perform scenes along the way. The whole garden will be illuminated by professional artists and lighting designers leading down to a fireside beach food offer and mince pies. More details will follow after the meeting with the Trebah team.

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### Mayor's Christmas Card Competition

We had a visit from Steve Eva, our Mayor, this week as he is asking Marlborough pupils to design a Christmas card to be used by the town council. The winnings designers get £100 to put towards any aspect of school life, copies of their card to use and their first name on the back of the printed card. Entries need to be handed in to the office after half term. We are looking forward to seeing your creative ideas!

### Scholastic Book Fair

We will have the Scholastic Book Fair in school during the week of the 8<sup>th</sup> of November. Details about timings and brochures will be sent out after half term.

### Breast Cancer Fundraiser

Many thanks to everyone who donated, baked cakes, manned stalls, and bought items at Class 6's fundraiser. Thanks to your generous donations they managed to raise £440.75. An amazing amount for an amazing charity. Many thanks to Class 6 for their time, effort and empathy.

### Our Amazing Mariners' Funding Pot!

The Sponsored Cycle Ride raised an amazing **£6026.22!** This means that the **Mariners' Funding Pot** has had contributions of over £9000. This money makes such a difference to the curriculum that we can offer the children. This term alone the pot is funding our HfC Partnership Programme membership, Trebah Gardens' Light Parade artist workshops, the Spacedome, Screech Owl Sanctuary, Pendennis Castle workshop, the toilet on the school field and Falmouth Art Gallery workshops. It is also allowing us to subsidise ticket costs for Cinderella. Without the contributions from the Mariners' Funding Pot these amazing learning opportunities would not be able to take place. The children talk with such enthusiasm about learning and it is down to your generous donations that we can make the curriculum come to life, giving the children experiences that they will remember forever. Thank you so much to everyone who helps organise and support the events. You make Marlborough School such an amazing place to learn!

### Mariners' Coffee Morning – Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November

Please come along for a cuppa on Wednesday to meet other parents and talk about ways the Mariners can support the school community.

### Dates for the Diary

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup>- 22<sup>nd</sup> October** – Parent Consultation Week

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October** – Fancy Dress Mini Marathon at Falmouth Rugby Club; 2:15 – 4pm.

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup>** – Half Term Holiday

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November** – Class 5 to Falmouth Art Gallery

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November** – Mariners Coffee Morning

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> November** – Class 6 London Residential Meeting; 3.45pm

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> November** – Classes 4 and 6 Diwali Dance workshop – performance at 3.15pm.

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> November** – Scholastic Book Fair

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> November** – Space Dome

**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> December** – Cinderella at the Hall for Cornwall.

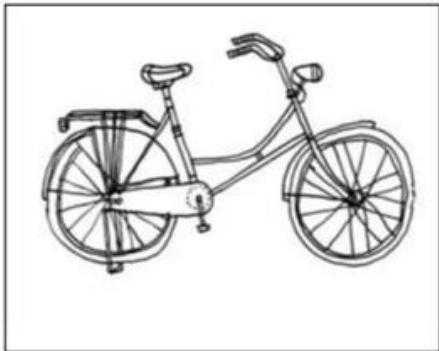
**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> December** – Classes 3 to 6 Garden of Lights Parade at Trebah Gardens at 5pm

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> December** – Reception, Class 1 and Class 2 Nativity at 5.30pm

**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December** – Reception, Class 1 and Class 2 Nativity at 2.15pm and 5.30pm

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**Marlborough School's  
Sponsored Cycle ride around  
Falmouth Rugby Club on  
Friday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2021**

...has raised a massive  
**£6026.22!**

*(so far! Hopefully gift aid will be added to this)*

Huge well done to the children, parents, sponsors, helpers,  
organisers, and everyone for making this happen.

**Marlborough Mariners coffee  
morning**

**Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> November after drop off**

**Lower playground/ school hall**

**Do come for a quick cuppa (and cake)!  
New and old parents especially invited!**



**This is primarily a social event but if you have ideas  
about school support that is always welcome!**

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