

Number 12

Wednesday 30th November 2022

An Lester Trumach - The Packet Ship

Dear Parents and Carers,

Many thanks to our amazing school choir for their wonderful performances last week. Also, thanks to Kerry Finnegan for leading them brilliantly and giving them the confidence and skills to sing with such enthusiasm! The next few weeks are busy ones, so in this newsletter we have given you information needed for events happening until the end of term.

Nativity 2022 - It's a Baby!

Reception, Class 1 and Class 2 will be performing **It's a Baby!** on Tuesday 6th and Wednesday 7th of December. The evening performances start at 5.30pm, so please can all children be back in school to get changed into their costumes by 5.10pm. Many thanks.

Learning Out and About and in School

Class 4 to Truro Museum – Class 4 are going on a Mummy hunt to Truro museum as part of their Ancient Egypt topic today.

Swimming Sessions for Classes 5 and 6 – The dates ahead for swimming are Friday the 2nd and 9th of December.

Class 3 Hall for Cornwall Workshop – Class 3 will be taking part in a Treasure Island themed workshop in school, provided by the Hall for Cornwall on Monday 5th of December.

Spaceport Cornwall Visit – All of Class 5 and Freeling pupils in Classes 3, 4 and 6 will be getting the chance to visit the Spaceport in Newquay on Monday 5th December. A letter has been sent home with information for those pupils.

Class 3 Adventure Club – Class 3 will be investigating maths problems on Swanpool beach on Tuesday 6th December in the morning. They can wear warm, waterproof clothing to school and then get changed into their uniform upon their return.

Choir Concert – The choir are performing at Source FM's *Carols for Christmas* Concert at Princess Pavilion on Thursday 8th December alongside other school choirs. They will need a packed tea and can be collected at the end of the concert at around 8.30pm.

Class 2's Advent Adventures – Class 2 will be spending the morning at All Saints Church on Friday 9th December for an Advent Adventure workshop with Jane Wheeler and her marvellous team.

Key Stage 2 Church Rehearsal – All of Key Stage 2 will be rehearsing in All Saints Church on Monday 12th December in the afternoon.

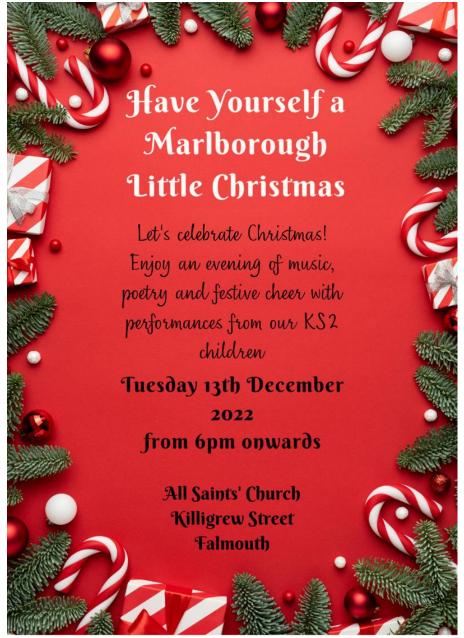
Key Stage 2 Christmas Concert: *Have Yourself a Marlborough Little Christmas!* – Pupils from Classes 3, 4, 5 and 6 will be treating us to a Christmas concert, guitar performance and poetry at All Saints Church on Tuesday 13th December at 6pm. Please can children arrive by 5.45pm. Please can they wear festive wear.

Sleeping Beauty – On Wednesday 14th of December, the whole school will be walking to the Princess Pavilion to see Miracle Theatre's performance of *Sleeping Beauty*. The show is advertised as being suitable for age 7+, however it will be adapted for the schools' performance to make it suitable for all of our children. The cost of the performance is £10. This has been added to Parent Pay. All children will need a packed lunch on that day. The show finishes at 3.30pm and therefore we will be returning to school at the later time of 4pm.



Sleeping Beauty Crowdfunder

Due to the cost of living crisis, the Mariners have set up a Crowdfunder campaign to raise money to help families who are unable to pay for Sleeping Beauty tickets. If you are able to put any money in the pot to support this event, and other arts events in the future, please contribute using this link: <u>Sleeping Beauty Crowdfunder</u> The link is also on our <u>Facebook page</u> Please share this far and wide to support our children's arts education!



Whole School Winter Walk – On Friday 16th of December we will be heading out on a Winter Walk in the morning. Children can wear festive clothing.

Thursday 15 th December at 3pm				
Wednesday 7 th December at 9am				
Friday 9 th December at 9am				
Thursday 8 th December at 2.30pm				

<u>Club News</u>

After-school clubs will finish the week before the end of term. From the 12th of December we will still be running Breakfast Club and Wrap Club but the other clubs will not run.



Football Success!

Congratulations to our marvellous football team for coming second in the Plymouth Argyle Tournament this week. They displayed great team work, skill and attitude!

Wrap Club

Plymouth Argyle are providing Breakfast Club and Wrap Club every school day, which can be booked through this link: **Booking Link**

Marlborough Kitchen – Have your say.

We are incredibly lucky to have our own on-site Marlborough Kitchen. We know that our children are being provided with healthy lunch options, made from quality ingredients and getting value for money. In order to keep our kitchen financially stable, we need customers! What do your children think about our menu? What are their favourites? What would encourage more juniors to have regular school dinners? We have sent out a survey to enable us to make lunches. Please complete it with your child so we can make sure we provide food for all. Many thanks.

WHAT'S FOR LUNCH?

	Thursday 1 st December	Friday 2 nd December	Monday 5 th December	Tuesday 6 th December	Wednesday 7 th December
MAIN (OPTION 1)	Shepherd's Pie with Root Vegetables Mash MILK, CELERY & FISH	Panko Crumbed Fresh Fish of the Day FISH, EGGS & WHEAT	Tomato & Miso Pasta WHEAT, SULPHITE & SOY	Taco Tuesday Beef Chilli	Jacket Potato with Tuna & Pilchards Mayonnaise EGGS & FISH
MAIN (OPTION 2)	Veggie Shepherd's Pie with Root Vegetable Mash CELERY	Crispy Fried Sweetcorn Fritters	Pesto (Allergy Free) Pasta WHEAT	Taco Tuesday Five Bean Chilli	Jacket Potato with Home Beans & Cheese MILK & SOY
SIDES Where main includes, portion will be offered as optional extra	Onion Gravy & Wholemeal Bread WHEAT, MUSTARD	Skin on Chips & Homemade Ketchup SULPHITE & SOY	Wholemeal Bread WHEAT	Shredded Iceberg, Salsa, Cheese & Sour Cream SULPHITES & MILK	Olive & Rosemary Wholemeal Focaccia WHEAT
VEGETABLES	Seasonal Vegetables & Salad	Seasonal Vegetables & Salad	Seasonal Vegetables & Salad	Seasonal Vegetables & Salad	Seasonal Vegetables & Salad
	Fresh Fruit	Thursday =	vith Honey or Fruit Compote (Crumble & Homemade Custar Fruit Flapjack T, OATS & MILK		

Dates for the Diary

Tuesday 6th December at 5.30pm – Reception, Class 1 and Class 2 Nativity Wednesday 7th December at 2.15pm and 5.30pm – Reception, Class 1 and Class 2 Nativity Tuesday 13th December at 6pm – Key Stage 2 Christmas Concert at All Saints' Church Wednesday 14th December – Whole school - Sleeping Beauty at Princess Pavilion - £10 per ticket Thursday 15th December – Christmas Dinner Friday 16th December – Whole School Winter Walk and last day of term

Mariners' Christmas Events

The Mariners are getting ready for Christmas with these events and activities;

Your child has created a Christmas picture in school and this can be added to Christmas cards, key rings, tea towels and more! Place any orders through the website and the orders will be delivered straight to your home address. Any orders made, will raise money for school funds. Many thanks.

Wreath workshop

The Mariners hosted a wreath workshop on Monday evening for parents and the wider school community. It was a lovely relaxing evening and some stunning wreaths were created. The smells of pine, francincense and mulled wine were very festive as they wafted through the hall! We have opened up 2 extra spaces for the Wreath workshop next Monday 5th December. Please click on this link to book. <u>https://bookwhen.com/cscape#focus=ev-sh3w-20221205180000</u> The workshops are hosted by Sam Shears from Flower and Field, who worked as a TA at Marlborough for many years, and was one of the founders of the original Mariners Parent group.







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HEY, HOW ARE YOU?

We're speaking to you, the parents of Marlborough School, as we believe that the best way to build healthy habits for life is to get children into the kitchen. We're creating a portal of age-appropriate cooking skills, fun activity packs and learning resources designed for parents to use at home, entirely free to use.

SUBSCRIBE TO OUR NEWSLETTER TODAY TO RECEIVE YOUR REFINED SUGAR-FREE MINCE PIE ACTIVITY PACK.



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Later, we will be building an app that frees up the headspace it takes to plan and purchase family meals, and eventually you'll be able to gain insight from the choices you make.

If you're interested to learn more, please head over to our website www.nourysh.co.uk.

FOLLOW OUR JOURNEY

We are part of LaunchPad, the start-up incubator at Falmouth University, and our mission is to simplify home cooking.

We want to know what you need, so please let us know at hello@nourysh.co.uk.



Martin Coursers

