



An Lester Trumach - The Packet Ship

2023-2024

Number 33

Wednesday 12th June
2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had meetings this week with both the Local Authority Attendance Officer and our Education Welfare Officer. As a whole school, our attendance has been affected by illnesses and now chicken pox seems to be doing the rounds. Our average percentage figure is now at 93%, which is low in comparison with other Cornish schools. We currently have 35 children with attendance below 90%. Please be vigilant with your child's attendance over the rest of the term; if your child is not feeling 100% send them in to school and we will keep a close eye on them and call you if they are unwell. As always, holidays and days out are unauthorised. From September the government are cracking down on school attendance and our Governors will be amending our attendance policy in line with the new regulations. Every day at Marlborough is brilliant, please make sure your child is in school to learn and enjoy it!

Learning Out and About and in School

REMINDER: Events marked with VC indicate that voluntary contribution payments have been added to Parent Pay.

Class 4 Residential to BF Adventure – Class 4 are off for their residential visit today until the 14th of June. Fingers crossed for dry weather!

Choir at Sea Shanty Festival – Our choir will be singing with Will Keating at the opening of the Sea Shanty Festival on Friday. They will leave school at 1.30pm, join the 2pm parade and perform at 2.30pm at Church Street Car Park. They can be collected at around 3.10pm.

VC Choir to Big Sing at the Hall for Cornwall – On 17th June our choir will be heading by train to Truro to take part in The Big Sing. They will be out for the whole day and will need a packed lunch.

Drumming Workshop – There is Refugee Day on the 18th June in Princess Pavilion and as a part of their celebration we will have a visiting band, Baraka, coming into school to perform and carry out a drumming workshop.

VC Class 6 and Class 4 Tennis Club Sessions – Both classes will be taking part in tennis coaching with Des at Falmouth Tennis Club. Class 6 will be playing on Tuesday 11th and 18th of June and Class 4 will be playing on Tuesday 9th and 16th of July.

Class 1 Adventure Club – On Wednesday 19th June, Class 1 will be heading to Gylly beach for the morning, to engineer with sand.

VC Class 5 to Windrush Celebrations – Class 5 are travelling by train to the Hall for Cornwall on Friday 21st June to take part in celebrations linked to the Windrush in 1976. The day is being organised by Black Voices Cornwall. **Children will be back to school at 3.45pm.**

Class 6 Transition Days – Children attending Falmouth School will be taking part in transition days on Thursday 20th and Friday 21st of June. Those attending Penryn College will be attending on Friday 28th of June.

Class 6 London Residential – Class 6 are off on their city visit on Monday 24th until Wednesday 26th of June. Matt Swiggs will be sending out kit lists and an itinerary this week. Unfortunately, due to the General Election coming up, we are unable to visit the Houses of Parliament.

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VC Class 1 to RNLI Station – Class 1 will be walking to the RNLI station near Falmouth Docks on Tuesday 25th of June. They will catch the train back to Penmere after the visit.

VC Class 5 Surf Day – Class 5 are off on their second adventure of the month to Gwithian to spend the day testing their resilience with surfing, provided by Global Boarders, on Friday 28th of June. **They will need to be in school early at 8.15am and they will be back later than normal at 4pm.**

Staffing Update

At the end of this term, we are losing our wonderful Louise Tremewan, who is not only leaving Marlborough but leaving teaching for other adventures. Louise started with us during Covid, when her skills in emotion coaching and outdoor learning were most needed and since then she has supported many children to enable them to manage their mental health and wellbeing, alongside her class teaching. She is an amazing human and will take advantage of all the adventures life comes up with next!

Shirleyfest!

You are all invited to come along to the school field after school on Friday 5th of July to say thank you to Shirley Burley, who has had to stop working at Marlborough School after 11 years. There will be music and laughter! Please bring your own snacks and drinks. Shirley has brought so much magic to our Reception classes, please wear anything glittery and magical! Any donations towards a gift can be handed to the school office.

Club Attendance

If your child is not able to attend a club, please can you inform the office as registers are called at the beginning of each club. Many thanks.



Fantasy Football League Results



Well done to all those who played in our **Marlborough School Fantasy Football League!**

Together you managed to raise £170 to fund PE equipment in school.

We have purchased new goals and footballs for the playground.

Here are the winners...

1st – Duncan won **Plymouth Argyle** vouchers

2nd – Arthur won a £20 **Castle Sports** voucher

3rd – Finn won £20 **Swanpool Beach Café** voucher

4th – Florence A won a tennis coaching session at **Falmouth Tennis Club**

5th – James and Judy both won Paddleboard vouchers from **Elemental**

Many thanks to Matt Swiggs for organising the league and the prizes, and many thanks to the local companies for their prize donations.

Wrap Club



Plymouth Argyle are providing Breakfast Club and Wrap Club every school day which can be booked through this link: [Booking Link](#)

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Marlborough Kitchen's Summer Term Menu

Please book your child's food choice in advance via Parent Pay.
If you would like to eat in school with your child, please email the office.

<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: center;">  <h3 style="margin: 0;">Marlborough Kitchen's Summer Menu</h3>  </div>					
Week 1 Weeks beginning: 17 th June 1 st July 15 th July	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Macaroni Cheese Or Tomato Pasta Yogurt and Oats or Fruit	Jacket Potato with Tuna, Cheese or Beans Or Quesadilla Fruit	Beef Chilli Or Hummus and Breadsticks Fruit	Veggie Spag Bolognese Or Cheese and Potato Pie Cake-of-the Week or Fruit	Oven Crispy Chicken and Wedges Or Veggie Bean Burger in a Bun and Wedges Fruit
Week 2 Weeks beginning: 10 th June 24 th June 8 th July 22 nd July	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Tomato Pasta Or Pesto Pasta Yogurt and Oats or Fruit	Margarita Pizza Or Vegetable Soup Fruit	Pulled Pork with Rice Or Vegetable Soup Fruit	Herby Cheese Scone Or Tomato and Sesame Soup Cake-of-the Week or Fruit	Fish Fingers and Wedges Or Veggie Nuggets and Wedges Fruit

Dates for the Diary

Wednesday 12th – Friday 14th June – Class 4 BF Adventure Residential

Wednesday 12th June – Reception Adventure Club

Friday 14th June – Choir to Sea Shanty Festival

Monday 17th June – Choir to Truro for the Big Sing event – all day

Tuesday 18th June – Class 6 to Falmouth Tennis Club

Wednesday 19th June – Class 1 Adventure Club (am only)

Friday 21st June – Class 5 to Hall for Cornwall Windrush Celebration (all day, late return)

Monday 24th – Wednesday 26th June – Class 6 London Residential

Tuesday 25th June – Class 1 to RNLI Station

Friday 28th June – Class 5 Surf Day (all day, late return)

Wednesday 10th July – Whole School Open Afternoon 2.30-3.25pm

Thursday 18th July – Summer Production – 5.30pm

Tuesday 23rd July – Class 6 Leavers' Assembly

Wednesday 24th July – Last Day of Summer Term

Tuesday 3rd and Wednesday 4th September – INSET Days

Thursday 5th September 2024 – Start of Autumn Term 2024

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Mordros: the sound of the sea

DIVE INTO A NEW ADVENTURE AND WRITE YOUR OWN SEA - THEMED POEMS

Come on in to Falmouth Library, TR112RT, and the Mor Poets will get you started, it's easier than you think!

Fri June 28th
3.30 pm until 5pm.
Book via Eventbrite.

Creative writing workshops for young people aged 6 to 10 years.







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WORLD REFUGEE WEEK 2024

FALMOUTH & PENRYN WELCOME REFUGEES CELEBRATION

This year's theme is **OUR HOME** - from the places we gather to share meals to our collective home, Planet Earth. Everyone is invited to celebrate what Our Home means to them.

18TH JUNE

PRINCESS PAVILION

FALMOUTH

2-10PM FREE ENTRY

Music from **BARAKA** and **DIABEL CISSOKHO**
CRAFT, FOOD and COMMUNITY STALLS

More info. and tickets:
falmouthandpenrynwelcome.org






PLYMOUTH ARGYLE ACADEMY

OPEN SESSIONS

UNDER 6 & 7 (SCHOOL YEAR 1 & 2)

PLYMOUTH	SOUTH DEVON	EAST CORNWALL
Date Friday, 21 June 2024 Venue Marjon Sports Centre, 3G Astro Turf Capacity 100 spaces Time 5.30-7.00pm  NEW DATE ADDED!	Date Friday, 5 July 2024 Venue Devon County FA, 3G Astro Turf Capacity 70 spaces Time 5.30-7.00pm 	Date Friday, 12 July 2024 Venue Brannel School, 3G Astro Turf Capacity 60 spaces Time 5.30-7.00pm 
PENRYN	OKEHAMPTON	
Date Tuesday, 16 July 2024 Venue Penryn College, 3G Astro Turf Capacity 60 spaces Time 5.30-7.00pm 	Date Thursday, 18 July 2024 Venue Ashbury Golf Hotel, 3G Astro Turf Capacity 60 spaces Time 6.00-7.30pm 	



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