



An Lester Trumach - The Packet Ship

2023-2024

Number 03

Wednesday 20th
September 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

All classes have now been out and about, working together as a team after their summer holiday. KS2 classes all had sessions on Swanpool Beach taking part in a range of amazing activities, Class 1 have been out exploring Prislw Woods and have had an Adventure Club session on the school field and Class 2 have been exploring Kimberley Park in preparation for their research project. It is always wonderful to make the most of the Cornish September sunshine before the autumn kicks in fully! Whether they have been on the beach, at Eden, at Flambards, in the woods, at the Hall for Cornwall, at the Art Gallery, at Kimberley Park or in school our Marlborough children have tackled the new school year with optimism, kindness and by displaying their Marlborough Manners. A great start!

Learning Out and About and in School

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

Class 5 to Falmouth Art Gallery – This afternoon, Class 5 will be taking part in an art workshop focusing on the King Arthur exhibition.

THIS FRIDAY! Maths Day and Cake Bake – We are having a Maths Day THIS FRIDAY. Children can come to school wearing anything Maths-y; patterns, lines, numbers, Times Table Rock Stars etc. We will be raising money for maths resources with a cake bake at the end of the day. We would love any donations of cakes, biscuits or snacks to sell at the end of the day. Many thanks.

Class 3 Adventure Club – On Wednesday 27th September, Class 3 will be *Getting Out and Getting Active* for the morning. They will be heading to Gyllyngvase Beach for the morning. Please can they wear weather appropriate clothing with a school jumper.

Woodland School – Starting this Thursday, some children will be taking part in our Woodland School afternoons with Louise Tremewan and Lowenna Collins. Letters have been sent home for those children attending this term.

Apple Day – The Mariners had a great meeting last week and APPLE DAY IS ON! On Friday 29th of September from 2.10pm we will be celebrating all things apple-y after school. The Mariners are busy planning apple related events; if you can help, please contact mariners@marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk

Class Outcome dates

Last week, your child brought home a copy of their *Curriculum Information* for the term. This sheet included Outcome dates. Another copy is below as a reminder.

Class 1	Monday 20 th November at 2.30pm
Class 2	Tuesday 17 th October at 2.15pm at Kimberley Park
Class 3	Thursday 7 th December at 3pm
Class 4	Tuesday 5 th December at 2.45pm
Class 5	Wednesday 6 th December at 2.45pm
Class 6	Friday 8 th December at 9am

<http://www.marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk/website>



Residential Meetings for London and BF Adventure

Class 4 Residential Meeting – Wednesday 4th October at 3.30pm

Class 6 Residential Meeting – Thursday 5th October at 3.30pm

Reporting absences

If your child is feeling unwell and you are unsure about whether to keep them off school or not, this link might be helpful. <https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>

If your child is unable to come to school please let the office know by email or by leaving a message on the school answer phone. If we do not have a reason for absence the office will call you but this is obviously time consuming. Thank you.

Tempest Photographs

Tempest will be in taking photos of individual children on Thursday 28th of September. If you would like a photo with siblings from outside of school, please come in between 8am and 8.45am.

Reception and Tapestry Communication

Reception parents are now set up on Tapestry and the team will be sharing messages and progress through this platform. Please can all families activate their account. Many thanks.

Starting School 2024 and Transfer to Secondary School 2024

If your child is starting school in September you can contact the office for a tour of Marlborough. The deadline for applications is 15th January.

The deadline for Year 6 pupils to apply for a secondary place is 31st of October. Both application forms can be found at [Cornwall Admissions](#)

Request for Garden Furniture

Class 4 have a lovely courtyard area and are in need of garden furniture. If anyone has any in good enough condition that they can donate to the class it would be appreciated. Many thanks.

Dates for the Diary

Wednesday 20th September – Class 5 to Falmouth Art Gallery (pm only)

Friday 22nd September – Maths Day and Cake Bake

Wednesday 27th September – Class 3 Adventure Club (am only)

Thursday 28th September – Tempest photography in school (Individual and family photos)

Thursday 28th September – Woodland School Starts

Friday 29th September – APPLE DAY!

Tuesday 3rd October – Screech Owl Sanctuary Visiting KS1 in school (am only)

Wednesday 4th October – Class 4 Adventure Club (am only)

Wednesday 4th October – Class 4 Residential Meeting for families, 3.30pm

Thursday 5th October – Class 6 Residential Meeting for Families, 3.30pm

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

Thursday 21 st September	Friday 22 nd September	Monday 25 th September	Tuesday 26 th September	Wednesday 27 th September	Thursday 28 th September	Friday 29 th September
Veggie Spag Bol Or Cheese and Potato Pie	Roast Ham Or Veggie Roast	Roast Veg Pasta Or Pesto Pasta	Beef Chilli Taco Or Ploughmans Plate with Hummus	Veggie Lasagna Or Tomato and Sesame Soup	Chicken and Leek Pie Or Veggie Sausage and Mash	Fish and Chips Or Veggie Nuggets



Apple Day 2023 Friday 29th September, 2:10pm in the School hall



~ Apple juicing ~ Apple bobbing ~ Face painting ~ Apple tasting ~ Conkers ~ Crafts ~
Largest Apple competition ~ Who can peel the longest peel? ~
~ Toffee apples and cakes for sale ~

If you are a new family to Marlborough, Apple Day is a celebration of all things Apple-y which is much anticipated by the children every year! It is a free event, apart from the cake sales, which raise funds for the Mariners to support the school curriculum throughout the year.

We need volunteers to help on the day! If you can spare some time for all or part of the event, please sign up here <https://volunteersignup.org/73YKQ> or post in your class WhatsApp group, asking the class rep to forward it on to the Mariners. Set up in the school hall from 1:15pm; the event will run from 2:10pm until 4pm. All hands welcome, no experience needed!

Apple Day needs apples!

This celebration is run on donated apples, so please bring in as many as you can from Monday 25th and leave them in the box in the school foyer. Eaters, cookers, homegrown or bought - all apples welcome! If you have any speciality varieties, please label them so they can go on the speciality tasting table. If you're bringing in an apple for the Biggest Apple Competition, please bring this in on the day, labelled with name and class!

We also need conkers! Please leave these in the labelled box in the foyer.

And finally - cakes and biscuits for the cake sale!

Please bring these in on the morning of Friday 29th and leave them in the school foyer.

Homemade and bought all welcome!



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