



2022-2023

Number 21

Wednesday 22nd
February 2023

An Lester Trumach - The Packet Ship

Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you have had a lovely half term. It was wonderful to get out and about, seeing snowdrops and other signs of spring! This half term is always a productive one as we enter the second half of the academic year. Dates for this term's events and outcomes are at the end of the newsletter.

Unfortunately, we have had to confirm that we will be closed due to Industrial Action but teachers are rejigging their plans to enable the full curriculum to be covered with these days out of school.

Learning Out and About and in School

Songfest 2023– Some of our choir members will be representing Marlborough School at the Songfest concert on Tuesday 28th February. We will be going to the Princess Pavilion at 2.30pm to rehearse and will then stay there until the performance. Children will need a packed tea and black or navy bottoms, with dark socks or tights. T-shirts will be provided.

World Book Day – We will be celebrating World Book Day on **Friday 3rd March**. Children can come in to school dressed as any book character or in a costume inspired by a book!

Class 4 St Piran's Dance – Class 4 will be dancing in the St Piran's Day Parade in town. The children will be parading through town on Monday 6th of March, leaving the Moor at 10am. It is requested by the organisers that children wear a white top. It will be cold so please can they wear a long sleeved top under their school polo shirt.

Netball Club – Netball Club will be changing to **Wednesdays** from 3.30pm until 4.30pm this half term.

SATs Club – Matt Swiggs is running a Class 6 SATs Club on Thursdays starting 9th March. The club will finish at 4.30pm.

PE days this half term

Please can children come into school in their PE kits on the following days this half term;

Class 1 – Tuesdays, Class 2 – Wednesdays, Class 3 – Thursdays, Class 4 – Wednesdays, Class 5 – Tuesdays, Class 6 – Mondays

Future Strike Action

The National Education Union are taking strike action on **Thursday 2nd, Wednesday 15th and Thursday 16th of March**. We will be closed to children on these days. We will be open for vulnerable pupils as per the definition at the end of the newsletter.

We have had to make cuts to our provision this term and Governors have carefully considered how we make the budget balance with the least impact to children's learning. The cuts are having an impact on staff workload and with future uncertainties, now is our chance to speak out and get the best deal for the future of our community.

Parent Governor

The Governing Body have a vacancy for a parent governor. Details of the application process will be sent out on Friday. If you would be interested in this role, please speak to Abi or any of our school parents who are already governors: Simon Brown, Adam Grice, Georgie Sharp and Ben Godsall.

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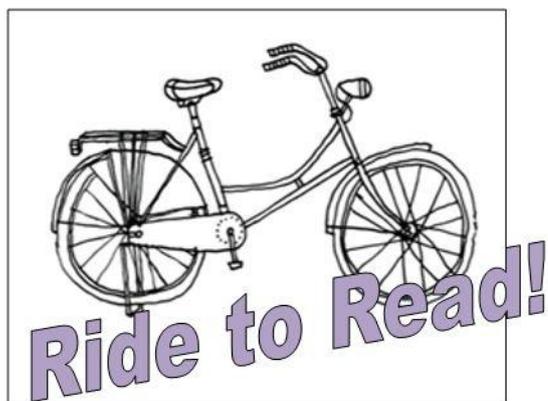


Wrap Club

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

Mariners' Update

The Mariners are busy organising the **Sponsored Cycle Ride**. If you are able to help in any way please let the Mariners know either at the meeting or by emailing mariners@marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk



Marlborough School's Sponsored Cycle Ride Falmouth Rugby Club Friday 24th March 2023

This has proved to be a great fundraiser and a truly rewarding and enjoyable event in previous years. Open to every child at Marlborough School to cycle, scooter or walk around the rugby pitch, and taking place between 2:15pm – 5pm, hopefully with a cake stall and raffle! *This year the Marlborough Mariners are particularly raising money to restock the school library, as well as for other curriculum enhancement activities.*

Dates for the Diary

Tuesday 28th February – Songfest, Princess Pavilion at 7pm

Thursday 2nd March – School Closed Due to Industrial Action

Friday 3rd March – World Book Day

Monday 6th March – St Piran's Parade – Class 4 dancing – 10am on Falmouth Moor

Monday 6th March – Bash Street Theatre Performance

Wednesday 8th March – Reception Class to Falmouth Art Gallery

Thursday 9th March – Lego League to Culdrose all day

Friday 17th March – Red Nose Day

Tuesday 21st March – Class 5 Outcome at 3pm

Wednesday 22nd March – Class 1 to Truro City

Wednesday 22nd March – Class 4 outcome at 2.30pm

Thursday 23rd March – Reception Class outcome at 2.30pm

Friday 24th March – Class 2 outcome at 9am

Friday 24th March – Sponsored Cycle at Falmouth Rugby Club 2.15pm – 5pm

Tuesday 28th March – Class 3 outcome at 2.30pm

Wednesday 29th March – Class 5 to National maritime Museum Cornwall

Wednesday 29th March – Class 1 outcome at 2.30pm

Thursday 30th March – History Day

Friday 31st March – Last day of spring term

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Marlborough Kitchen

Please remember that we are a **Nut Free School**. We have children in school with severe nut allergies and therefore any snacks or packed lunch items that contain nuts are a hazard. Thank you.



Marlborough School's Spring Menu

This Week	Next week
Monday 20th February 1. Mac n cheese 2. Tomato and Basil Pasta 3. Seasonal Vegetable Soup <i>Sides: Wholemeal Focaccia, Vegetables and Salad</i>	Monday 27th February 1. Tomato and Miso Pasta 2. Pesto (allergy free) Pasta <i>Sides: Wholemeal Bread, Vegetables and Salad</i>
Tuesday 21st February 1. Taco Tuesday- Chilli (Beef and veggie) 2. Hummus, Breadsticks and Salad Bar <i>Sides: Soft Wrap, Crispy Tacos, Brown Rice, Shredded Iceberg Lettuce, Salsa, Cheese Vegetables and Salad</i>	Tuesday 28th February 1. Jacket Potato with Tuna & Pilchards, Cheese or Beans 2. Sweetcorn and red Pepper Pancakes <i>Sides: Wholemeal Bread, Coleslaw, Vegetables and Salad</i>
Wednesday 22nd February 1. Hand rolled Tomato and Basil Margarita Pizza 2. Winter Vegetable Soup <i>Sides: Garlic Bread, Couscous, Vegetables and Salad</i>	Wednesday 1st March 1. Veggie Chickpea Curry 2. Tomato and Sesame Soup <i>Sides: Wholemeal Bread, Flatbread, Brown Rice, Vegetables and Salad</i>
Thursday 23rd February 1. Sausages and Mash 2. Veggie Sausages and Mash <i>Sides: Onion Gravy, Wholemeal Bread, Vegetables and Salad</i>	Thursday 2nd March 1. Overnight Slow Roasted Ham 2. Lentil Bake with Roasted Squash <i>Sides: Roast Potatoes, Applesauce, Wholemeal Bread, Vegetables and Salad</i>
Friday 24th February 1. Panko crumbed Fresh Fish of the Day 2. Beetroot and Halloumi Burger <i>Sides: Homemade chips, Homemade Ketchup, Vegetables and Salad</i>	Friday 3rd March 1. Oven Crispy Chicken 2. Veggie Bean Burger <i>Sides: Homemade chips, Spiced Mayonnaise, Vegetables and Salad</i>

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Tech Jam Community Day

This is just a short message to inform you and your students that the Cornwall Tech Jam will be providing coding experiences at the Falmouth University Metaverse Community Day.

This is on Saturday 25th February from 9:30 until 1pm. We will be providing children with our usual workshop experience of coding and software development. This will be the first time it has been to the Falmouth area and also combined with a university too. The Metaverse day will provide opportunities to see what the fuss is about with the Metaverse, to try it out and to see what the University is building with it.

It is all free to enter and a great chance to try out the top of the range equipment and experiences.



Definition of Vulnerable Children and Young People

Vulnerable children and young people include those who:

- are assessed as being in need under section 17 of the Children Act 1989, (including children and young people who have a child in need plan or a child protection plan) and children who are looked-after by the local authority
- have an education, health and care (EHC) plan
- have been identified as otherwise vulnerable by educational providers or local authorities (including children's social care services), and who could therefore benefit from continued full-time attendance.

This might include:

- o children and young people on the edge of receiving support from children's social care services or in the process of being referred to children's services or who have previously received support from children's social care services (as identified by local authorities)
- o adopted children or children on a special guardianship order
- o those at risk of becoming NEET ('not in employment, education or training')
- o those living in temporary accommodation
- o those who are young carers
- o those who may have difficulty engaging with remote education at home (for example due to a lack of devices or quiet space to study)
- o care leavers
- o children and young people in a family circumstance presenting challenges for them, such as drug and alcohol misuse, parental offending, adult mental health issues and domestic abuse
- o others at the provider and local authority's discretion including pupils and students who need to attend to receive support or manage risks to their mental health.

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