



An Lester Trumach - The Packet Ship

2023-2024

Number 26

Wednesday 17th April
2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to the Summer Term, now all we need is some sunshine and warmth to get us in the mood! We had a great INSET day on Monday developing our curriculum so the children are able to see clearly how their learning progresses throughout the term. Please look at the dates for the diary as there are other INSET days and Bank Holidays coming up. The summer term is a busy one, with our creative curriculum being delivered throughout the school alongside our amazing curriculum enhancement opportunities, Sports Days, residentials and a summer production. It is going to be brilliant, busy and hopefully sunny!

Learning Out and About and in School

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

Class 1 Adventure Club – Class 1 are heading to the field this morning to start their topic of *Oh I do like to be beside the seaside!*

Class 4 Ukulele Sessions – As part of the First Access to Music programme, Class 4 are all learning the Ukulele this term with Jenny Crow on Thursdays. This is a free programme provided by AsOne.

Reception Class to *Starchitects* at Hall for Cornwall – On Monday 22nd of April, our Reception class will be watching Motion House dance production of *Starchitects*. They will be travelling by coach and will need a nut-free packed lunch. The cost of the travel and tickets is funded through our Hall for Cornwall Partnership status. If you are able to help on this trip, please speak to the class teachers.

Class 5 and 6 Karate – Sensei Kay will be teaching karate skills to all pupils in Classes 5 and 6 on Monday afternoons for four sessions.

Class 3 Adventure Club – Class 3 are heading to Gyllyngvase Beach to study the rockpools on Tuesday 23rd April for the morning. They need to wear weather appropriate clothing with school jumpers.

Please could they bring in a change of clothes for the afternoon, as they are bound to get soggy!

Class 4 Adventure Club – Class 4 will be taking part in a beach clean at Gyllyngvase and Swanpool beaches on Wednesday 24th of April for the morning. They need to wear weather appropriate clothing with school jumpers.

RNLI Assembly – KS2 children will be taking part in an RNLI assembly on Wednesday 24th April in the afternoon.

Jago's Steam Engine – As part of the Trevithick Day celebration, Jago in Class 4 will be bringing in his moving, steaming, puffing Steam Engine on Friday 26th of April.

Family Worker Sessions

Lucy Furlong, our Family Worker, will be in school for the morning on Thursday 25th of April. If you would like to meet with her to discuss any aspects of parenting, please speak to Olivia in the office or email office@marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk

Mariner's Coffee Morning

You are all invited to our Coffee Morning on Friday 26th of April in the school hall after drop off. Please come along for tea, coffee, cake and a catch up!

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School Maintenance Update

Over the Easter holidays, **new fire doors** have been fitted to the hall, playground and Reception Class. We have also had a **new computer server** fitted by NCi. In the lower playground, there is a welfare unit for the company fitting our **new boiler**, which could take a month to install. While they are working in the lower carpark, we have reopened the upper carpark but this is only a temporary measure. The emergency fencing will remain in the lower playground until **new windows** are fitted along the top corridor, which should be installed this term. We also have a massive project starting soon, refurbishing the current resources room and making it into a **new therapy room** suitable for individual and group sessions. Marvellous Mariners' have helped create a **new beautiful woven willow fence**, creating privacy for the Reception class when they are learning outside.

PE Days for Summer Term 1

Please can children come into school in their PE kits and school jumpers on their PE day. Reception children keep their kit in school as getting changed develops their fine motor skills.



Class 1	Thursdays with Plymouth Argyle
Class 2	Wednesdays
Class 3	Thursdays with Plymouth Argyle
Class 4	Tuesdays
Class 5	Mondays with Sensei Kay
Class 6	Mondays with Sensei Kay

Marlborough Kitchen's Summer Term Menu

Our amazing Marlborough Kitchen team have come up with a brilliant summer 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.

 Marlborough Kitchen's Summer Menu 					
Week 1 Weeks beginning: 15 th April 29 th April 13 th May 3 rd June 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: 22 nd April 6 th May 20 th May 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

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42 Things to do at Marlborough School before you're 11 ¾

We are making our way through our curriculum enhancement list for the year! We have completed 27 out of 42 of the exciting learning opportunities that were chosen by the community to support our curriculum. 15 more to go this term!

42 Things to do at Marlborough School

before you're 11 ¾



Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Climb a tree	Have a tea party	Make apple crumble	Watch a film together	Learn a foreign language (French)	Visit outer space	Learn a martial art
Make a den	Be a sailor at the Maritime Museum	Become friends with Falmouth Art Gallery	Experience another religious culture	Perform a musical	Taste foods from around the world	Get to the top of the London Eye
Go pond dipping	Create an art exhibition	Become a miner for the day	Go to University	Have an over-night adventure	Meet an explorer	Go orienteering
Go on a treasure hunt	Make friends with a zebra	Learn to speak Cornish	Meet an artist and become an artist	Find an Egyptian mummy	Grow a plant from a cutting	Have a conker fight
Grow vegetables	Tell stories in the woods	Make friends with a meercat	Explore a rainforest	Chat to the elderly	Make an automata	Create your own Anderson shelter
Make a new friend from a different class	Write a book	Create a sensational samba band	Go on a coastal walk	Do a service for the community outside school	Do a good deed	Get out on the water

Time to spare?

Do you have time to spare to support learning at school? Some volunteers come in one day a week from drop off until 9am to hear readers and this role is invaluable. If you have any time during the week to help, please speak to Olivia in the office, who can set you up with an online DBS safeguarding check and then we can meet and allocate you a class to support. Many thanks in anticipation!

Staffing Update

Tegan Swanwick, who is studying for her PGCE, is back at Marlborough teaching in Class 2 this term. Tegan is being supported in the development of her teaching by Hannah Bridges and Matt Swiggs.

Dates for the Diary

Wednesday 17th April – Class 1 Adventure Club (am only)

Friday 19th April – Tempest Class Photographs

Monday 22nd April – Reception Class to Hall for Cornwall for Motion House's Starchitects

Tuesday 23rd April – Class 3 Adventure Club (am only)

Wednesday 24th April – Class 4 Adventure Club (am only)

Wednesday 24th April – KS2 RNLI Assembly pm

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Thursday 25th April – Family Worker in
Friday 26th April – Mariners' Coffee Morning
Friday 26th April – Health for Cornwall Talk – KS1 Dental health
Friday 26th April – Jago's Trevithick Day Steam Engine!
Monday 6th May – **BANK HOLIDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED**
Thursday 9th May – Class 6 Outcome at 2.45pm
Week beginning Monday 13th May – Class 6 SATs Week
Thursday 16th May – Class 1 to National Maritime Museum (all day)
Tuesday 21st May – Reception, Class 1 and Class 2 Sports Day – Families invited at 1.30pm
Wednesday 22nd May – Classes 3, 4, 5 and 6 Sports Day – Families invited at 1.30pm
Friday 24th May – **INSET DAY – School closed for children**
Monday 27th May – Friday 31st May – **HALF TERM**
Monday 3rd June – **INSET DAY – School closed for children**
Thursday 6th June – New Reception Beginning School 2024 meeting 6pm
Wednesday 12th – Friday 14th June – Class 4 BF Adventure Residential
Monday 24th – Wednesday 26th June – Class 6 London Residential
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

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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