



An Lester Trumach - The Packet Ship

2023-2024

Number 19

Wednesday 7th
February 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week is **Children's Mental Health Week** and each day we are doing something that allows us to look after our healthy brains. Children are having a go at music making, yoga, meditation, being active and socialising with their Packet Ship friends across the school. In Monday's assembly we watched a clip from Gladiators (which seems to be a big hit!) focusing on positive self belief; we focused on what the contestants say about their own abilities. We are trying to channel our own inner Gladiator when tackling tasks, including pulling a power stance to get ourselves into a positive mindset. Try it, it can make the most mundane tasks fun!

Learning Out and About and in School

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

Non-Uniform Day – As part of **Children's Mental Health Week**, on Friday, children can come to school in clothes that make them happy and they will be working in their Packet Ship groups for an hour in the morning.

TODAY: Safer Internet Day – Today is national **Safer Internet Day** and we will all be focusing on how to use the amazing resource safely at an age appropriate level. Here is a link to the **Safer Internet Day** resources for parents: [Resources for Parents and Carers](#)

TODAY: Arts Lab Project – Some pupils from Class 5 and Class 6 have been working on a project funded by Feast and Arts Lab. They have created a multi-media display to be arranged along the top corridor, with beautiful paintings inspired by Greek Gods and music of their own compositions. Friends and family of the children have been invited to come along and see the art work today at 3pm.

TODAY: Valentine's Disco – Our marvellous Mariners are organising a disco after school. This will take place in the school hall and be led by Jade from Embrace Dance. Please see the poster below for timings and information.

After half term...

Class 6 Adventure Club – On Wednesday 21st of February, Class 6 will be adventuring in the morning. Please can they come to school in clothing that can keep them dry and warm.

Class 5 Judaism Workshop – On Thursday 22nd of February, Carolyn will be coming in to school to deliver a workshop with Class 5 looking at Jewish artefacts, stories and beliefs.

***NEW* All Boys Dance Club** – As we are a Hall for Cornwall partnership school, we have the amazing opportunity to work with brilliant male dancers at a ***NEW* All Boys Dance Club** running on Fridays from 2.10pm until 4pm in our school hall. Sessions will run every Friday from the 23rd of February, where there will be a sharing session at the end for families. The sessions are open to boys in years 3 to 6. The sessions are very kindly being funded by the HfC and are free to participants. Please email office@marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk to book a place for your child.

TOMORROW - National Curriculum Tests Meeting – Matt Swiggs will be sharing information about the format of the KS2 Statutory Assessment Tests (SATs) which the children will be taking in the summer term. The meeting will be TOMORROW, Thursday 8th February at 3.30pm.

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Optional Parent/Carer Consultation Meetings

After half term, teachers are offering optional consultation meetings with parents and carers. As we also offer termly outcome sessions, you may want to wait until the end of term to see your child's work and progress if you have no concerns. An eschools booking link will be emailed by the office.

Individual Learning Plans – If your child has an Individual Learning Plan (ILP) to support their learning needs, your child's class teacher will be in contact to arrange a longer meeting to review progress and set new targets. Please do not book a slot through eschools. Thank you. **Reception Class Parent Consultation Meetings** - Our Reception Class consultation meetings will be held later in the term.

NO CLUBS DURING WEEK BEGINNING 19th FEBRUARY

Due to Parent Consultation Week, there will be no school-led clubs during the first week after half term. Wrap Club, Football, Karate, Beavers and Cubs will still be taking place.

World Book Day- Thursday 7th of March

Our Learning Parliament Group (Pelham) are organising our World Book Day celebrations and would like the whole school to dress up as something booky. More details to follow, but we thought you might want the heads up!

Dates for the Diary

Wednesday 7th February – Mariners' Valentine's Disco

Wednesday 7th February – Reception Class Adventure Club (am only)

Thursday 8th February – Class 5 Outcome at 3pm

Thursday 8th February – Class 6 SATs meeting for parents and carers at 3.30pm

Friday 9th February – Wear Clothes That Make You Happy day!

Monday 12th – Friday 16th February – Half Term Holiday

Week beginning 19th of February – Parent Consultation Week – No after-school clubs

Wednesday 21st February – Class 6 Adventure Club (am only)

Thursday 22nd February – Class 5 Judaism Workshop

Friday 23rd February – All Boys Dance Club starts 2.10pm-4pm

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Marlborough Kitchen

<div>  Marlborough Kitchen's Spring Menu  </div>					
Week 1 Weeks beginning: 5 th February 26 th February	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Macaroni Cheese Or Tomato Pasta Yogurt and Oats or Fruit	Jacket Potato with Tuna, Cheese or Beans Or Sweetcorn Pancakes Fruit	Beef Chilli Or Hummus and Breadsticks Fruit	Veggie Spag Bol Or Cheese and Potato Pie Cake-of-the Week or Fruit	Roast Ham with Roast Potatoes Or Veggie Bake with Roast Potatoes Fruit
Week 2 Weeks beginning: 19 th February	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Tomato Pasta Or Pesto Pasta Yogurt and Oats or Fruit	Chicken Curry Or Tomato and Sesame Soup Fruit	Margarita Pizza Or Carrot and Ginger Soup Fruit	Sausage and Mash Or Veggie Sausage and Mash Cake-of-the Week or Fruit	Fish Fingers and Wedges Or Veggie Nuggets and Wedges Fruit

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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Valentines Disco

SAVE THE DATE!

WEDNESDAY 7TH
FEBRUARY

YR 0 3.30 - 4.15PM ★ YRS 1,2,3 4.30 - 5.30PM ★ YRS 4,5,6 5.45 - 7.00PM

SUGGESTED DONATION
£3 PER CHILD

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