



An Lester Trumach - The Packet Ship

Dear Parents and Carers,

Our younger children did such a brilliant job of delivering the story of Christmas in **The Twinkly Nativity!** It is always amazing to see them dancing, singing, signing and performing with smiles on their faces. It takes a belly full of bravery to get up on the stage, so well done to them all for going for it. Also, a massive thanks to the teaching team who prepared them for the show and gave up their evenings to support the performances. Next Wednesday, we have our **Christmas Top of The Pops** celebration at All Saints' Church with all of the children from Classes 3 to 6. There will be drinks and mince pies, kindly organised by our Marvellous Mariners. Please bring along any change for donations towards refreshments. Many thanks with your support bringing the children along to evening concerts!



Learning Out and About and in School

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

Christmas Jumper Day – Pelham Packet Ship are organising a fund raiser for Save the Children **tomorrow** where children can wear Christmassy clothes in exchange for a donation for the charity. Please don't buy anything new for the day; tinsel or colourful clothes are perfect.

VC Nadelik Theatre Performance – We are very lucky to have o-region theatre company coming into school to perform a production of Nadelik for the whole school tomorrow.

Elfridges Christmas Shopping – On Friday, the Mariners have organised a wonderful Christmas shopping experience for the children to buy presents for their loved ones. There will be presents available at the shop for young and old. Each class will have time in the hall to go shopping. Each present will cost £1, so please can children bring money in a purse to do their shopping. For example, if they want to buy for three people in their family, please can the child bring in £3. Maximum of £5 please so there is enough for all. Mariners are in need of elves to help wrap, so if you are free on Friday morning please email mariners@marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk Many thanks.

Christmas Concert – All our junior children, from Classes 3 to 6, are involved in our **Christmas Top of The Pops Concert** at All Saints Church on Wednesday 18th of December. The concert starts at 6pm, so please can children arrive at 5.45pm.

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



Photo Permissions

Please remember that you are able to take photos and videos at our outcomes and Christmas plays but due to safeguarding issues and personal privacy, please do not share images of other people's children on social media. Many thanks for your co-operation with this.

Attendance and Punctuality this week!

Class 5 have Baloo after achieving good attendance.
Reception have Bagheera as they have all been on time and ready to learn first thing in the morning.



Advent Food Bank Donations

For Advent we will be taking any donations to add to **Christmas Boxes for the Penryn and Falmouth Foodbank**. Items that can go in Christmas Boxes include; cheese or bread sauce sachets, Christmas cake, Christmas log, Christmas pudding, gravy granules, jelly, trifle packs, mince pies, tinned custard, tinned fruit, tinned cream, tinned meat, tinned potatoes or mash, tinned veg, stuffing, quality biscuits.

A Sneaky Peak at January 2025...

In January we have a range of new and exciting opportunities for the children.

- We will be sending an email tomorrow about **Rock Steady** bands, offering free music tuition to get children playing music together. Please reply to the email ASAP so we can sort spaces.
- Rob Mennear will be delivering an **All Boys Dance** club on Fridays.
- Class 5 will be linking with the University of Warwick to take part in a fully funded **Task Master** project.

Marlborough Sponsored Cycle Ride 2025

Preparations are well underway for the Marlborough Sponsored Cycle 2025! As in previous years, we are looking for businesses to sponsor the event, by making a donation in return for their logo appearing on the event T-Shirts. If you are interested in sponsorship, or know a business who might be, please drop us a line ASAP at mariners@marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk

Dates for the Diary

Thursday 12th December – 'Nadelik' performance in school

Friday 13th December – Elfridges Christmas Shopping Day

Wednesday 18th December, 6pm – Classes 3, 4, 5 and 6 Carol Concert at All Saints' Church

Thursday 19th December – Whole School Winter Walk

Thursday 19th December – Christmas Dinner

Friday 20th December – Last Day of Term

Monday 6th January – School Closed for INSET day

Tuesday 7th January – Children back to school

You are invited to Family Carols around the piano at All Saints Church, Killigrew Street, 4pm Saturday 21st December. All are welcome.

Wrap Club

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

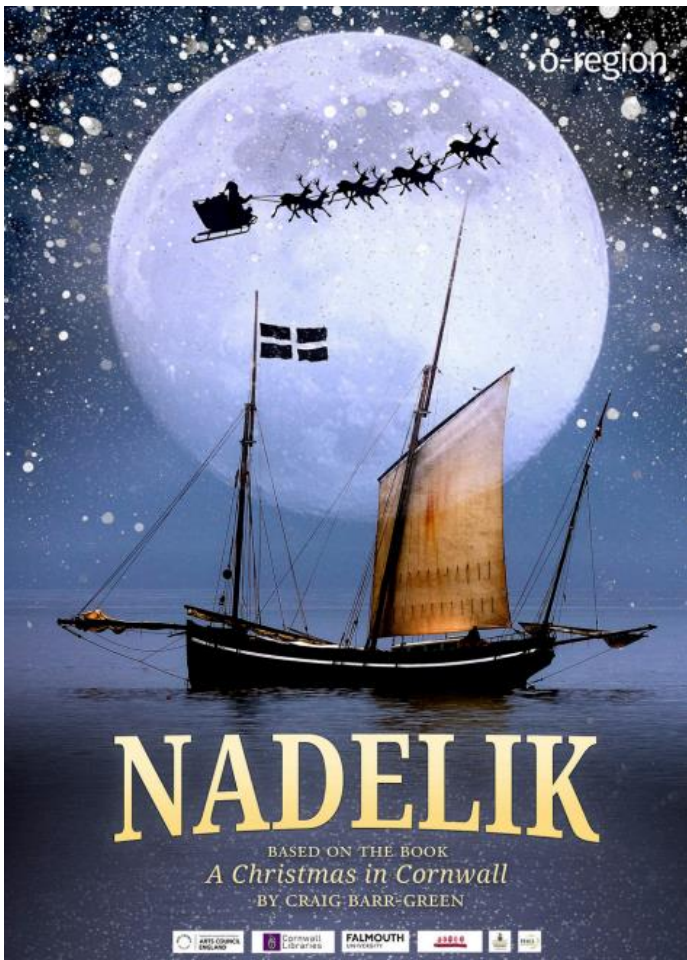
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Autumn Term Menu

Please book your child's food choice in advance via Parent Pay.

Marlborough Kitchen's Autumn Menu					
Week 1 Weeks beginning: 16 th Dec	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Macaroni Cheese or Tomato and Basil Pasta Yogurt and Oats or Fruit	Jacket Potato with Tuna, Cheese or Beans Or Sweetcorn and Red Pepper Pancakes Fruit	Beef Chilli Or Hummus and Breadsticks Fruit	Veggie Spag Bolognese Or Cheese and Potato Pie Cake-of-the Week or Fruit	Roast Ham Or Veggie Roast Fruit
Week 2 Weeks beginning: 9 th Dec	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Tomato Pasta Or Pesto Pasta Yogurt and Oats or Fruit	Margarita Pizza Or Vegetable Soup Fruit	Veggie Chickpea Curry Or Tomato Soup Fruit	<div style="text-align: center;"> </div> Christmas Dinner Day! Turkey or Veggie options with all the trimmings	Fish Fingers and Wedges Or Veggie Nuggets and Wedges Fruit



Falmouth, Penryn & Area Walking and Cycling Campaign



Illuminated Bike Ride

5pm Saturday 14 December 2024

From the Moor

Decorate your bikes with as much colour, glitter, tinsel, baubles and fairy lights and join us for a mass ride through Falmouth town and along the seafront.

We want to make ourselves as visible as possible.

Please have road legal lights, front and rear.

This is a fun ride for all abilities (children must be accompanied by an adult). Please wear a helmet.

There will be no Marshals. You ride at your own risk

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MARLBOROUGH SCHOOL'S CHRISTMAS TOP OF THE POPS!



order:
 • class 3
 • class 4
 • class 5
 • class 6

Songs:
 • Shepherds Song
 • Hark the herald angels sing
 • Stable for starlight
 • Bethlehem

wednesday
 18th December -
 - All Saints
 church,
 Falmouth
 6 o'clock

Featuring:
 • Chris T. Cringle
 • Holly - Day
 • The Pupils of
 Marlborough School!

