

An Lester Trumach

The Packet Ship

18 July 2016

MARLBOROUGH SCHOOL

Dear Parents

We've got to the last week of term and hopefully the sunshine is set for the summer. Certainly it's here for the next few days, so please do ensure that children have a hat or have put on some all-day sun protection screen. Hopefully they'll need it on Friday although at the moment there is a threat of a shower or two... typical as we plan to take the children down to Swanpool Beach for the morning and then to walk them up to the school field for an end of term barbecue (the children have already selected their lunch-time choices).

Parents would be very welcome to bring along a picnic lunch to join us at the field from mid-day. Unfortunately we've not yet sorted our compost toilet system yet, so staff will 'convoy' children to the school as necessary. We will return to the school building around 13:30 for our final good-byes and then from 14:00 'School's Out' for Summer... until Wednesday 7th September 2016 when doors will reopen at 08:30.

> If you are able to **HELP** we would very much appreciate a hand with putting up the 'kitchen marquee' on Thursday afternoon (21st July between 14:00 and 15:00ish). Please let the

office know if you are able to help out - thank you.

Swanpool Cycle Circuit

Thank you to everyone who has already sent in donations. As said last week, it would be good to get everything by the end of term. If you haven't collected your sponsorship yet, please send it as soon as you are able. So far, the cyclists have raised almost £1500 and we've also received an amazingly generous donation from Lanes Health who have sponsored the whole school for every mile cycled: £1225!

Work on outdoor projects will begin over the vacation so you'll be able to see the fruits of your labours in

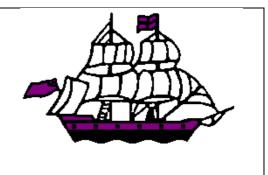
the new school year.

The year's final packet points have been gathered in and Fox have made it a straight run, winning all They also performed well in the three terms. tournaments so are the undoubted 2016-2017 champions.

Last Week				Total				
1 st	Freeling	28	7	1 st	Fox	51		
2 nd	Pelham	25	5	2 nd	Freeling	50		
3 rd	Walsingham	24	4	3 rd	Swiftsure	48		
4 th	Swiftsure	23	3	4 th	Chichester	41		
5 th	Chichester	19	2	5 th	Walsingham	32		

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2016-2017		Autumn	Spring	Summer	g rugby	Multiskills	aterpillar	nts Day	Cricket	Cycle	TOTAL
1 st	Fox	7	7	7	3	7	7	4	1	5	48
2 nd	Chichester	1	3	3	7	4	5	2	7	7	40
3 rd	Swiftsure	5	4	4	1	3	4	5	5	3	33
4 th	Freeling	4	5	5	4	2	1	7	2	1	28
5 th	Walsingham	2	2	2	2	5	3	4	3	4	26
6 th	Pelham	3	1	1	5	2	2	1	4	2	25



Fox - Packet Ship Champions

Principle dates of next year's events and term times will be sent in our final newsletter of the year on Friday. Please especially make a note in your diaries of the arrangements for meetings with new class teachers.

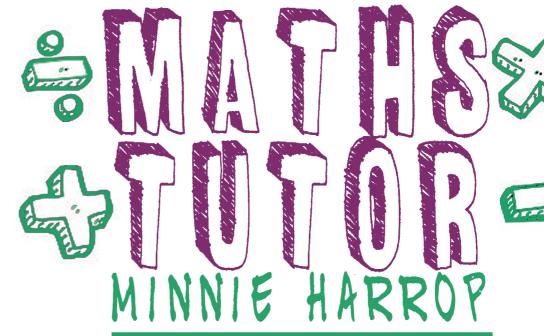


The Big Friendly Read

This year the Summer Reading Challenge theme is... **The Big Friendly Read**! Falmouth Library is joining libraries all over the UK to celebrate 100 years of the wonderful writer **Roald Dahl** and his gloriumptious stories.

Taking part in The Big Friendly Read is simple – when your summer holidays start, you can sign up at your local library. Read any six library books (or more!) over the holidays to collect special rewards and complete the Challenge.





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