



2024-2025

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Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> March  
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## An Lester Trumach - The Packet Ship

Dear Parents and Carers,

The children all looked absolutely amazing last week on **World Book Day**. Thank you all so much for the joy and effort that you put in to supporting your children! They had a day of reading related activity; exploring the joy of stories and characters. The quietest time in a primary school day is when the class are listening to a story, it is a truly magical moment where each child has their own thoughts and vision in their head. We have been thinking about looking after ourselves; reflecting on the expression, 'You can't pour from an empty cup'. With busy school days, screens and activities it is easy to forget to take time to enjoy the wonderful moments of peace, quiet and calm which allow you to day-dream and grow.



### Learning Out and About and in School

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

**Science Week** – This week is Science Week and Mrs Prason has set the whole school a science challenge to learn about changing and adapting. There will be a fun competition task sent home.

**VC Class 3 to the Farm and Country Day** – Class 3 are travelling to Wadebridge Showground on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> March for a day of fantastic workshops around food and farming. They will be out for the whole day and will need a packed lunch. There is a financial contribution needed towards transport. As the children will need to be there for the full day, the coach will leave school at 7.30am and return at 4pm. Apologies!

**Red Nose Day** – Red Nose Day is on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March and it falls on the same day as World Poetry Day, so we will be looking at funny poems. Children can come to school in non-uniform for a donation.

**VC Class 5 to NMMC** – Class 5 are heading to the Maritime Museum on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> of March to take part in the workshop *Vikings: Sailors, Raiders and Traders*. They will walk there and back and be there for the whole day. They will need a packed lunch. The workshop costs £6.50 per child.

**Class 6 Shakespeare Workshop** – Class 6 will be working with practitioners from the Minack theatre to celebrate Shakespeare Week on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> March. The workshop will take place in school and will focus on the story of *Twelfth Night*.

**Class 5 to All Saints' Church** – Class 5 will be heading to church on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> March in the afternoon to learn about the significance of Easter to Christians.

**Class 1 Outcome** – Class 1 families are invited to share their learning this term on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> March at 2.30pm.

**Class 6 Outcome and SATs Meeting** – Class 6 families are invited to share their learning at 2.45pm on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> March. This will be followed by a SATs meeting, sharing information about the assessments and how to help your child through the process.

### Wrap Club

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

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



## Attendance and Punctuality this week!

**Class 2** have Baloo after achieving good attendance.

**Class 6** have Bagheera as they have all been on time and ready to learn first thing in the morning.



## Staffing Update

After 23 years of terrific teaching at Marlborough School, Kathy Rowe will be retiring at Easter. Kathy has taught in nearly every year group in her time here and has been instrumental in the development of making Marlborough Marlborough in her role of Assistant Headteacher. Abi Squibb will be picking up Kathy's teaching role, in Class 5 on Fridays.

## Road Safety

We have many of our older children cycling or scooting to school independently. Please can you ensure your child wears a helmet if they are travelling to school speedily on wheels.

## Spring Term Menu

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

Marlborough Kitchen's Spring Menu					
<b>Week 1</b> Weeks beginning: 10 <sup>th</sup> March 24 <sup>th</sup> March	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Margarita Pizza Or Vegetable Soup  Yogurt and Oats or Fruit	Macaroni Cheese or Hummus and Breadsticks  Fruit	Pasta Bolognese Or Jacket Potato with Tuna, Cheese or Beans  Fruit	Veggie Chilli with Rice Or Tomato and Sesame Soup with Focaccia  Cake-of-the Week or Fruit	Roast Ham Or Veggie Lentil Bake Roast  Fruit
<b>Week 2</b> Weeks beginning: 17 <sup>th</sup> March 31 <sup>st</sup> March	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Margarita Pizza Or Vegetable Soup  Yogurt and Oats or Fruit	Veggie Lasagne Or Tomato and Sesame Soup with Focaccia  Fruit	Chicken Curry with rice Or Jacket Potato with Tuna, Cheese or Beans  Fruit	Sausages with Potato Wedges Or Veggie Sausages with potato Wedges  Cake-of-the Week or Fruit	Homemade Fish Fingers with Skin on Fries Or Veggie Nuggets with Skin on Fries  Fruit

## Dates for the Diary

**Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> March** – Class 3 to Farm and Country Day at Wadebridge Showground

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March** – Red Nose Day

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> March** – Class 5 to National Maritime Museum Falmouth, all day

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> March** – SATs meeting for Class 6 parents, 3.30pm

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup> March** – Sponsored Cycle Ride, Falmouth Rugby Club, 2.30pm

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April** – Last Day of Spring Term – Concert at 1.30pm

**Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April** – Start of Summer Term

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