



MARAZION SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Form is temporary, class is permanent. Bill Shankly

Dear Parents,

It's December next week and things are starting to get busy! Please check the Dates in the Diary at the bottom of this newsletter so you know about all our Christmassy Christmasness and other events planned before the end of term. Please contact the School Office and speak to Laura or Ed if you have any queries or require any further information. Please remember that our special post box is here in school from the North Pole for Father Christmas's letters to be returned to the elves. Letters need to be returned by TOMORROW Friday 25th November. Thanks.

Marazion Christmas 2022

Marazion School KS2 Carol Service is at All Saints Church on Thursday 8th December. **Everyone's Community Service** starts at 6pm with 9 readings and 9 songs. **Marazion Christmas Lunch** is on Wednesday 7th December. **Marazion School Nativity** is on Wednesday 14th December at Marazion Community Centre with performances at 10.30am and 5pm. **Marazion Christmas Fair** is also on Wednesday 14th December at Marazion Community Centre from 2-4pm. A reminder to speak to Laura or Ed in the School Office if you are able to offer any support on this day. Thank you. **Christmas Silent Disco** is on Thursday 15th December from 5.30pm. There is a Christmas Fancy Dress theme and Christmas prizes for the best dressed. **Christmas Party Lunch** is on Friday 16th December

Nasal Flu Vaccination 2022

The nasal flu vaccination is taking place in school on Monday 28th November and is being offered to **ALL** year groups. Please click on the following link, if you have not already done so, and you would like your child to have the vaccine: www.kernowimmunisations.co.uk/forms/flu PLEASE ENSURE YOU QUOTE THE FOLLOWING FULL UNIQUE SCHOOL REFERENCE CODE OF: **MARAZION SCHOOL EE11792**. Please note that this needs to be completed TODAY Thursday 24th November in order for your child to obtain a vaccine.

Autumn Open Afternoon - Friday 2nd December

We would like to invite parents/carers to come along to an Autumn Open Afternoon in your child's class to celebrate learning and maybe join in with some Christmas activities. Year 6 parents/carers are invited to come along on Tuesday 29th November from 2.30-3.30pm. All other parents are invited in on Friday 2nd December from 2-3pm. There is also a tour of Marazion School at 1.30pm on this day for Reception children who may be thinking of joining our school next September. If you would like to book a place on the tour please ring the School Office and talk to Laura or Ed. Please note that, as we do not allow mobile phones in the school building, you need to leave your phone in the car or hand it into the School Office to collect after your visit. Thanks for your support.

BACS Payments

A reminder that parents and carers can now pay dinner money or money for visits via BACS. Payments must be clearly identified with the reason for the payment and which child/children the payment is for. Our bank details are as follows: Bank Name: NatWest, Truro Branch; Sort Code: 60-21-37; Account Number: 56591543; Account Name: Marazion Primary School. Thanks.

2023 Marazion School Residential Visits

A reminder that our 2023 residential visits are now booked. **Year 6** are visiting London from Tuesday 14th to Friday 17th March. **Year 5** are going off grid at Camp Kernow from Monday 24th April to Wednesday 26th April. **Invictus** (Year 3 and 4) are having a sleepover at the Maritime Museum in Plymouth on Thursday 25th May and **Year 2** are sleeping over in school in July. **Please note that there is a non-refundable deposit of £25 for the London residential visit to be paid in full by NEXT Friday 2nd December.** Thanks.

In/Out of School

Leading Edge Academies Partnership (LEAP): Find out more about LEAP by going to their website: <https://www.leadingedgeacademies.org/> **Marazion School Reading Room (RR):** Children can choose to come into school and read for pleasure from 8.30-8.45am every day. If you did not manage to read the night before then you can use this time to catch up; if you need to read desperately as your book is so exciting or it's a cold day and you want to warm up with a book...head to the RR first thing. **Clement's Inn are hosting the sessions next week.** **Lantern Making Workshop:** Thursday 1st December Nurture Woodland Group will be having a Lantern making workshop with Mrs Holmes. Children will need to wear their own home clothes that they do not mind getting dirty. Thanks. **School Visits:** Children in **Clements Inn** are heading to the Spaceport near Newquay on Tuesday 29th November as part of their class topic - 'Space'. Children are to spend some of the day as news reporters, interviewing some of the people that are involved in the Spaceport. Children will be back at the normal pick up time. School uniform for the day and please provide your child with a packed lunch unless you are entitled to a school packed lunch and in this case, we will provide one. Your child will need a warm waterproof coat and a refillable water bottle. Thanks **Forest Fridays:** Children in Reception and KS1 have Beach School / Woodland School in the morning and KS2 children have Forest Friday in the afternoon. A reminder that adults and children wear comfortable clothes that they do not mind getting dirty on Fridays. **These clothes must also be suitable for working outside.**

PE and School Sport

Fixtures and Events: Team training for girls and boys in KS2 continues in school on Tuesday and Thursday. Next week some children in Year 5 & 6 are taking part in a multi skills event at MBA. Some children in Year 5 and 6 are attending a girl's football festival at MBA. Letters have already been given out. Please see below for dates and times. **Swimming Sessions:** Some children in Year 5 and 6 are swimming on Wednesday afternoons this half term. If your child is one of those, you will receive a text message to confirm that they are swimming on Wednesday afternoons. Pupils need swimming kit (black costume or trunks - not board shorts) and goggles (if you have them) as well as a £1 contribution towards the cost of the sessions. School provides swimming caps. Thanks. **There is a LATER pick up @ 4pm for children who are swimming.** **Gym Sessions:** Children in Invictus are having their gym sessions at Penzance Gym for this half term on Monday afternoons. Please can children come to school in their PE kit on Mondays. A reminder that all children need to wear a T Shirt that has no buttons to the gym. Thanks. **Autumn Sporting Event:** FIFA World Cup 2022 **Optional PE Homework:** For November PE homework, we are again asking adults and children to do some Extreme Reading. The most extreme reader wins a £10 book voucher.

Headlice - Treatment and Prevention

Please can you check your child's hair for headlice at least once a week. This is important in order to make sure that the source of infection is always managed. Local expert advice supports treatment with the Wet Combing Method - at least a weekly check of wet hair at hair wash time to detect headlice using a good quality detection comb and any conditioner. If live lice are detected this method should be used every 3 days for 2-3 weeks in order to prevent re-infection. If you find someone in your family has headlice, it is important to inform all close contacts. Thanks.

Say Thank You to Someone Somehow

Lots of us said THANK YOU to lots of different people during lockdown, including taking part in the NHS Clap for Carers. We want to keep doing this, so every week one class (or the whole school) will choose who they want to say thank you to. This week we want to thank all the wonderful dogs that we have in school as part of our Marazion School family. They make us all smile, help to support our wellbeing and a doggy cuddle usually fixes anything. There is a photo of three of our furry companions attached to the newsletter. We all clapped together as a whole school to support this during today's Celebration Assembly.

Stars of the Week

In Class: Bristol Bus: **Otis** for super phonics work and for his fantastic writing; Notting Hill: **Tiga** for excellent fact sharing and super Nativity practise; Invictus: **Kaya** for brilliant dedication to her learning and for being a super happy person; Clement's Inn: **Sam** for super progress in all areas; Stonewall: **Archie** for an outstanding trip to Plymouth. **Sporting:** YR/KS1: **Toby** for great listening and climbing skills; KS2: **Esme** for great team work at MBA multi skills. **Music:** YR/KS1: **Tallulah** for wonderful dancing and singing in Nativity practice; KS2: **Olivia** for her fantastic ukulele cords.

Certificate Awards

Children who have earned 40 merit certificates: **Ethan, Melodie, Digby, Ruby, Indy, Khianna, Maison, Nahla, Oscar, Poppy** and **Sam**.

Good Manners @ Lunch Time and Breakfast Club

We celebrate with children who have displayed fantastic manners at Lunchtime and during Breakfast Club as part of our Monday morning assembly. This week congratulations to **Maisy** (Breakfast Club) **Lola B, Tallulah, Kaya** and **Archie** (Lunchtime).

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to **Locryn** and **Teddy Baw** who celebrated their birthdays this week. Many Happy Returns to you both 😊

Dates for the Diary w/c 28th November

Monday 28th November: Flu Vaccine am, whole school; Year 5/6 multi skills event @ MBA 9-11.30am; Invictus @ Penzance Gym, pm

Tuesday 29th November: Clements Inn @ Newquay, am; Stonewall Autumn Open Afternoon, 2.30pm-3.30pm

Wednesday 30th November: Year 5/6 swimming session, pm - **LATER pick up @ 4pm from the playing field**; Year Girls Football Festival @ MBA 3.30-5.00pm

Friday 2nd December: Forest Friday; Reception & Year 6 height and weight, am; Reception Pupil Tour 1.30pm; Bristol Bus, Notting Hill, Invictus and Clement's Inn Autumn Open Afternoon 2.00pm-3.00pm