



# MARAZION SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

11<sup>th</sup> May 2023

Headteacher: Miss Jenny Rainbow

Telephone: 01736 710618

School mobile: 07572 495370 Email: [secretary@marazion.cornwall.sch.uk](mailto:secretary@marazion.cornwall.sch.uk);  
[head@marazion.cornwall.sch.uk](mailto:head@marazion.cornwall.sch.uk); [chair@marazion.cornwall.sch.uk](mailto:chair@marazion.cornwall.sch.uk)

Website: [www.marazion.cornwall.sch.uk](http://www.marazion.cornwall.sch.uk)

Facebook: [www.facebook.com/marazionschool](http://www.facebook.com/marazionschool) Instagram: @marazionschool



*Deeds not words.* Moto of Women's Social and Political Union (WSPU)

Dear Parents,

Our Year 6 children are busy, busy, busy - it is KS2 SATs week this week and next week they launch their summer term topic: Bright Futures Start Here. This week children in Stonewall have worked with a positive and focused attitude that is far beyond their years. They have been brilliant role models, showing resilience, determination and super sustained concentration as well as staying wonderfully calm in a challenging situation. We are so proud of you!

## Sports Day - NEXT Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May

Sports Day is NEXT Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May, with children taking part in field events such as: javelin, long jump, bean bag throwing and a long-distance run. In the afternoon, parents are invited to join us on the field from 1.30pm for the track events which include: sprint races, novelty races, medley races and some fun races for the spectators once these are all completed!

## Year 6 Oxford Residential Visit - NEXT Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May

Next week, some Year 6 children are off to spend some time in Oxford, to see what the city offers, in particular for higher education. Information about this visit has already been sent out by email from Mr Groom. A reminder that the cost of the visit is £100. Luggage must be in school by 8.45am on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May. Thanks. Please speak to Mr Groom if you have any queries or questions about this visit.

## Gwelva Landing Project

Many of you will have seen that the Gwelva Landing is currently being refurbished. The school are involved in a project with St. Michael's Mount to create a time capsule. This time capsule will be buried into the steps for our future generations to open in 100 years. Each class are busy painting self-portraits; creating beach art; sketching and writing about Marazion, as it is today. Please keep an eye out in the newsletter for the date when the burial will take place and a commemorative plaque will be laid.

## Change of Menu - Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May

Next Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May we are having an 'All Stars' menu, which is beef burger or veggie burger in a bun served with chips, sweetcorn and baked beans. Dessert is strawberry jelly and vanilla ice cream. There is also the option of a ham or cheese wrap, cold tomato pasta or a jacket potato. Lunches are £2.41 and can be ordered on the day.

## Marazion School Playing field

Please note that the playing field is an area that is **OUT OF BOUNDS** for **ALL** dogs at **ALL** times. Many thanks.



Help generate funds for the school by doing your shopping through 'The Giving Machine'  
- register today at <http://www.thegivingmachine.co.uk/>



## Year 6 Fundraising

A massive thanks to the *Copper Spoon* café in Marazion who have raised £140 for the Year 6 residential visit fundraising pot. This makes a huge difference to our fundraising efforts 😊

## In/Out of School

**Summer Term Suncare:** Please can we remind you that children need to bring a sunhat and sun cream to school now that the weather is getting warmer. Thanks. **Marazion School Reading Room (RR):** Children can choose to come into school and read for pleasure from 8.30-8.45am every day. **Invictus** are hosting reading sessions next week. **School Events: FUNKY Forest Fridays (FFs):** We are currently trialing some changes to our afternoon KS2 Forest Friday sessions to make them more funky. Children will again work in vertical groups (Year 3 to Year 6) taking part in 6 sessions over 6 weeks. For this half term, while we organise the new Funky Forest Fridays, children are working on a D and T project, as a class group. Please note that adults and children still need to wear comfortable outdoor clothes that they do not mind getting dirty on Fridays. **School Visits:** No school visits are planned for next week.

## PE and School Sport

**Summer PE Days: Bristol Bus (Year R/1):** Thursday; **Notting Hill (Year 1/2):** Monday and Tuesday; **Invictus (Year 3/4):** Monday and Wednesday; **Clement's Inn (Year 5):** Monday and Wednesday; **Stonewall (Year 6):** Monday and Wednesday. **Fixtures and Events:** Team training for girls and boys in KS2 continues in school on Tuesdays and Thursdays (weather dependent). Next week some children in Year 3/4 and 5/6 are taking part in a *Quadkids* event @ MBA. Please see below for dates and times. Letters have gone out to those selected. **Swimming Sessions:** No swimming session next week. **Gym Sessions:** Notting Hill (NH) are going to Penzance Gym on Monday afternoons. Please can children in NH 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. **Optional PE Homework:** For May homework, we are asking everyone to practise Sports Day events. Have fun perfecting your sack race style; marvel at your improved egg and spoon technique; refine your running for the flat.

## NEW for 2023 - 52 Acts of Kindness, 35 to go!

We want to spread joy in every week of 2023 by doing something kind - giving our time, empathy, support and thought to find ways to help the people around us. **For Week 17**, an idea for an act of kindness is to find out about all the different ways that people can volunteer (this means to help/support for FREE)...maybe someone in your family is already volunteering.

## 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 would like to say a BIG THANK YOU to Year 6 who have been absolutely MARVELLOUS this week.** Wow! We all clapped together as a whole school to support this during today's Celebration Assembly.

## Stars of the Week

**In Class:** Bristol Bus: **Mason** for fantastic focus and contribution to circle time; Notting Hill: **Nathan** for amazing and wonderful empathy; Invictus: **Ethan** for making brilliant choices and being a fantastic role model; Clement's Inn: **Lola** for a brilliant positive attitude to her learning; Stonewall: **Jackson** for outstanding resilience in swimming. **Sporting:** YR/KS1: **Elayah** for wonderful sports day practise; KS2: **Jay J** for being a superb sports leader. **Music:** YR/KS1: **Lilly May** for beautiful singing; KS2: **Rory** for amazing ukulele playing.

### Certificate Awards

Children are awarded merits for demonstrating a great attitude to their work, friends, adults and the environment. Children who have earned 80 merit certificates: **Lola B, Billy, Willow, Noah B, Stephen and Anna.**

### 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 **All year 6 children who came to Brainy Breakfast** (Breakfast Club) **Hugh, Billy, Nhovi and Poppy** (Lunchtime).

### Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to **Daisy** and **Robyn** who celebrated their birthdays this week. Many Happy Returns to you both 😊

### Dates for the Diary w/c Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May:** Sports Day - join us on the field from 1.30pm

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May - Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May:** Year 6 Oxford residential visit

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May:** Quadkids Year 3/4 @ MBA 9.30-11.30am; Quadkids Year 5/6 @ MBA 12.30pm-2.30pm; **NO** Swimming session

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May:** Forest Friday