



MARAZION SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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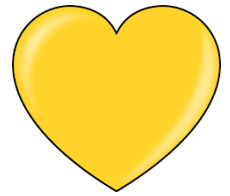
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Kikubari: a Japanese word meaning 'to be considerate of others.'

Dear Parents,

It is hard to believe that we are nearly at the end of the spring term already! Have Happy Holidays - let's hope we have some Easter sunshine ☺ A final reminder that there is an Easter Holiday Club running at Marazion School on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in the second week of the Easter holidays. You can email adventurkidsclub@gmail.com to book a place for your child. If your child is Pupil Premium and receives Free school meals, please book on to these sessions using the Playwaze website: <https://playwaze.com/bookcommunity/ope3btvf3dyqw> You will find your Free School Meal code if you follow this link: <http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/time2move>. If your child is not FSM, each session will be £20, which also includes a second breakfast, lunch and drinks. Please contact the School Office tomorrow if you require any further information.

Marazion School Fundraising - Easter Biscuits Sale TOMORROW

Children in Clement's Inn are selling Easter biscuits after school TOMORROW Friday 31st March from 1.30pm. Pop into school for a Friday Easter treat!

Clement's Inn Residential Visit - Camp Kernow

Information about Clement's Inn 2023 residential visit has already gone out to parents, including itinerary, kit list and parental consent form. **Please note that the parental consent form must be returned to school by Wednesday 19th April.** The total cost of the visit is capped at £150 and **the total cost must be paid by Friday 21st April.** Thanks.

Marazion School Ramadan Challenge 2023

Sadiq Khan, Mayor of London, recently switched on the London's first ever celebratory Ramadan lights, in Piccadilly Circus. It is the first time a European city has seen such a grand display for the festival, with the installation featuring 30,000 sustainable lights, which will be lit up for the month of Ramadan, which is observed by Muslims, including the Mayor of London himself. We have a 2023 Marazion School Ramadan Challenge - 30 challenges for us to celebrate this festival - this is attached electronically to this newsletter. How many have you done so far? You can continue to complete more challenges over the holidays.

Safeguarding Awareness for Parents & Carers

Embrace Kids Video - Body Image Movement: Follow the link below for a video, which seeks to promote positive body imagery among young people, who as always are under so much pressure to conform to a standard image expected of them by their peers, and the 'social media community'.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ld9MJi3aGMU&feature=youtu.be>

In/Out of School

Marazion School Reading Room (RR): Children can choose to come into school and read for pleasure from 8.30-8.45am every day. **Clement's Inn** are hosting reading sessions during the first week back. **Out of School Celebrations:** Every week during Celebration Assembly, we celebrate the wonderful things that children have completed outside of school. This could be moving up a stage in swimming; getting a badge in Brownies or Scouts; being man/woman of the match. If your child has something to share, they can celebrate it on Thursdays with all of us. **Year 6 Homework:** A reminder that Year 6 children have extra homework in order to prepare them for secondary school - set weekly or by-weekly basis. There is also a homework lunchtime session with Mr Groom the week prior to the homework deadline. Homework is given both on paper and on Seesaw and details of the homework and the deadline are in their homework diaries. Please can you remind your child and check if they have homework due. Thanks. **School Events: Notting Hill (NH) LEAP Dance Project:** NH are taking part in a dance session in school during the first week back as part of the LEAP Dance Project, which they are involved in. **Forest Fridays (FFs):** Adults and children wear comfortable clothes that they do not mind getting dirty on Fridays. **These clothes must also be suitable for working outside.** **School Visits:** School visit information is sent to parents by email from their child's class teacher. During the first week back Notting Hill are launching their summer term learning with a dinosaur hunt in the woods.

PE and School Sport

Summer PE Days: Bristol Bus (Year R/1): Monday and Thursday; **Notting Hill (Year 1/2):** Monday and Thursday; **Invictus (Year 3/4):** Tuesday and Wednesday; **Clement's Inn (Year 5):** Monday and Wednesday; **Stonewall (Year 6):** Monday and Wednesday. **Fixtures and Events:** After half term, team training for girls and boys in KS2 continues in school on Tuesdays and Thursdays (weather dependent). There are no fixtures and events during the first week back. **Swimming Sessions:** This half term some children in Years 3, 4 and 6 are going swimming - this includes our 'continuing swimmers'. If your child is going swimming, you will receive a text message to confirm that they are swimming the day before (Tuesday). 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:** After Easter, Notting Hill (NH) are going to Penzance Gym on Monday afternoons, starting on Monday 17th April. 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 March homework, we would like you to create a healthy breakfast. Please draw and label your breakfast and let Mr Tanner have the picture of a yummy start to the day. Thanks.

NEW for 2023 - 52 Acts of Kindness, 41 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. This week **Stonewall** have an idea for the week 12 kindness: to invent a playground game.

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 Clement's Inn clapped to thank parents and the whole community for their wonderful support.** We all clapped together as a whole school to support this during today's Celebration Assembly.

Stars of the Spring Term

In Class: Bristol Bus: *Lilly May* for always having a positive attitude and being a wonderful friend; Notting Hill: *Lowen* for his super wonderful engagement in lessons; Invictus: *Anna* for her enthusiasm in all aspects of school life; Clement's Inn: *Nahla* for an outstanding attitude to learning; Stonewall: *Kirill* for always working hard and for settling brilliantly into Marazion School. KS2 **Music:** YR/KS1: *Beau* for super dedication and singing in music time. KS2: *Lilly T* for her magnificent drumming skills. Each of these stars have got an *Edge of the World* £5 book voucher to spend. **Sporting:** YR/KS1: *Nathan* for his fantastic cricket batting skills; KS2: *Niamh* for being a fabulous team player. These 2 stars have a catch pad and ball set as a prize. **100% work raffle winners:** *Nathan, Fleur* and *Sammy*. Each child received a *Smiggle* treat. **Marvellous Merits lucky dip winners:** *Lola B, Harrison Wh, Rosenwyn, Teddy Baw, Jacob, Ollie, Sammy, Isla Rose, Archie* and *Josh S (Y6)*. Each child received a woodland notebook and pencils. **Kind and Caring winner:** *Olivia* who has chosen to donate her £10 prize to *The Pasty Box*.

Certificate Awards

Children are awarded merits for demonstrating a great attitude to their work, friends, adults and the environment. Children who have earned 60 merit certificates: *Florence W, Hugo, Molly, Bayley, Hope, Billy, Maya, Nathan, Bella, Fleur, Chloe, Kaya, Simi, Harrison W, Lilla, Mabel, Oscar, Osian, Josh S (Y6), Kirill* and *Maisy*.

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 *Ollie* (Breakfast Club) *Neva, Sophia D, Esme* and *Maisy* (Lunchtime).

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to *Isla Rose* and *Fleur* who celebrated their birthdays this week. Many Happy Returns to you both 😊

Dates for the Diary w/c Monday 17th April

Easter Holidays: Monday 3rd April to Friday 14th April

Monday 17th April: Back to school; Notting Hill @ Penzance Gym, pm

Wednesday 20th April: LEAP Dance Project - Notting Hill; Swimming session, pm: **LATER pick up @ 4pm**

Friday 22nd April: Forest Friday