



MARAZION SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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"Love Yourself. Be Good to Yourself." The Lottery Winners

Dear Parents,

This is an early newsletter on a Wednesday! It is the last day of the spring term (already!) as tomorrow is an Inset Day. Have a very Happy Easter - let's hope for some sunshine 😊 We are back in school on Monday 15th April for a lovely, busy and exciting summer term 😊

Marazion Red Nose Day

Our Marazion School Red Nose Day (RND) raised £24, which will help to raise awareness of, and aim to put an end to, child poverty. RND raises money to keep children safe, healthy and educated. In the last few years it has supported over 10 million people, including 2 million children and young people through access to safe homes, good nutrition and quality healthcare and education.

Cost of Breakfast Club (BC)

Please note that, after the Easter Holidays, **the cost of BC is increasing to £2 per day** - £10 for the week. The cost of BC for pupil premium children is free. A reminder that payment for BC must be made in advance. Thanks.

SEND Parent Workshop

On Thursday 18th April at 9.00am, we would like to invite parents to attend a SEND (Special Educational Needs and Disability) workshop. Miss Oliver and Annia McNeill, our school SEND Link Governor, will be sharing information and answering questions on how we support your child and sharing information on ways to support your child at home. This is an open invitation to all parents who have children on our SEND Record of Need and have a Pupil Passport and to all parents in our school community who would like to find out more about supporting children with SEND. Please let us know if you are able to attend, so that we provide enough delicious cake. We hope to see you there.

Marazion Fundraisers

Many thanks to all of you who have supported our recent *Marazion Fundraisers*. A reminder that Luxulyan Valley are inviting you to come into school to 'meet and eat' as part of an *Eid* celebration on Thursday 18th April, from 2.30pm in the school hall. Join us for a bowl of curry and some yummy *Eid* treats... *Eid Mubarak!*

Marazion Clubs

Summer term clubs start on Monday 22nd April. New club forms will go out during the first week back after the Easter holidays. Please note that our summer clubs run until Friday 5th July.

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. **Deltas** are hosting reading sessions during the first week back. **School Visits/Events: Rivers** have their 'Big Dig' topic launch day the first Tuesday back after Easter and **Deltas** have their topic launch on this day too - they are making boats. More information about these events is sent out from class teachers.

Safeguarding Awareness for Parents & Carers

A Toolkit for Dealing with Deafness in the Classroom - Anna Freud: For deaf children and young people school can be a difficult place, as communication can be challenging in an often frantic and loud environment. Individuals that understand sign language may be difficult to come by, and all too often the use of text devices is overlooked amongst the bustle of school life. But these issues make it incredibly important to ready deaf pupils from an early age, to deal with the difficulties they may run into in their educational careers. To this end, the Anna Freud organisation, has recently built a resource pack for those seeking to reveal confidence, belonging and social abilities in deaf children in the very early years sphere. To find out more please follow the link below:

<https://www.annafreud.org/resources/under-fives-wellbeing/deafness-and-me/>

PE and School Sport

PE Days: Summer 1 PE Days for each class are - **note the changes:** Curious Clouds (Year R/1): Thursday; Rivers (Year 1/2): **Tuesday and Thursday;** Luxulyan Valley (Year 3/4): Wednesday and Friday; Deltas (Year 4/5): **Monday and Friday;** **Tectonics (Year 6): Wednesday** and Friday. **Fixtures and Events:** There are no sporting fixtures/events during the first week back. **Swimming Sessions:** From the first week back, children in Year 3 and some continuing swimmers are going swimming on Wednesdays. Texts go out on Tuesdays to parents/carers as a reminder. **Pick up is LATER after swimming - 4pm from the playing field.** Pupils need swimming kit (black costume or rash vest/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. **Gym Sessions: Deltas** are going to Penzance Gym on Monday afternoons after the holidays. Children need to wear a t-shirt that has no buttons to the gym. Thanks. **Optional PE Homework:** For March, we are asking that you try to be more active to and from school: walk; jog, cycle, skateboard or arrive on your scooter.

Weekly Times Tables Recall Rhyme

This week's rhymes are:

- Where's my car? It's brand new... 4 x 8 is 32
- This car is shiny blue... 8 times 4 is 32
- Chicken tastes great, that's for sure... 7 times 12 is 84
- Scrumptious chicken, I want more! ... 12 times 7 is 84
- Is that the train leaving for Crewe? ... 11 x 12 is 132
- Before the train, let's grab a brew... 12 x 11 is 132

Say Thank You to Someone Somehow

We want to say THANK YOU to different people/organisations every week. One class (or the whole school) will choose who/what they want to say thank you to/for. **This week, Tectonics want to thank the NHS - today is the fourth anniversary of the very first Clap for Carers.** We clapped together in Celebration Assembly this morning to support this.

Certificate Awards

Children are awarded merits for demonstrating a fantastic attitude to their work, friends, adults and the environment. Children who have earned 20 merit certificates: **Roman** and **Myles**. Children who have earned 40 merit certificates: **Orla, Tiga, Solomon, Eve, Oscar, Ruby S** and **Hope**. Children who have earned 60 merit certificates: **Anya, Florence C, Aurora, Daisy, Imogen** and **Teddy Bw**.

Stars of the Spring Term

In Class: Curious Clouds: **Piran** for showing wonderful enthusiasm and passion in his learning; Rivers: **Kyron** for amazing enthusiasm, determination and super progress; Luxulyan Valley: **Robyn** for giving 100% in everything; Deltas: **Kelsie** for an outstanding attitude to learning; Tectonics: **Isla** for excellent effort all term; **Music:** YR/KS1: **Sophia** for tremendous improvement in her singing this term; KS2: **Teagan** for both her fabulous singing and fantastic support for others in Karaoke Club. Each for these stars have got an *Edge of the World* £5 book voucher to spend. **Sporting:** YR/KS1: **Lola B** for excellent teamwork in all sports; KS2: **Noah B** for brilliant sportsmanship in a range of sports. These 2 stars have a skipping rope as a prize. **100% work raffle winners:** **Florence C, Poppy** and **Nolan** received a *Smiggle* treat. **Marvellous Merits lucky dip winners:** **Ruan, Wesley, Rosenwyn, Jude, Florence C, Orla, Chloe, Daisy, Noah S** and **Mabel** also received a *Smiggle* treat. **Kind and Caring winner:** **Kyron** who has chosen to donate his £10 prize to *Therapy Dogs Nationwide*.

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 **Aurora** (Breakfast Club), **Lilly-May WM, Oscar, Lowen** and **Mia** (Lunchtime).

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to **Tali** who celebrated her birthday this week. Many Happy Returns to you 😊

Dates for the Diary w/c Monday 15th April

TOMORROW Thursday 28th March: Inset Day

Friday 29th March to Friday 12th April: Easter Holidays

Monday 15th April: Back to School; Deltas @ Penzance Gym, pm

Tuesday 16th April: Rivers' Launch Day; Deltas' Launch Day

Wednesday 17th April: Swimming session - Year 3 and continuing swimmers, pm. **LATER pick up @ 4pm from the playing field**

Thursday 18th April: SEND Parent Workshop, 9-10.30am; *Eid Mubarak* fundraiser 2.30-3.30pm