



MARAZION SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Your mountain is waiting. So...get on your way! Dr Seuss

Dear Parents,

Next week we perform our 2023 Marazion summer production, *A Twist of Tales*, and KS2 children are rehearsing as well as performing at the theatre, taking the show from the school hall on to the stage. Information about drop off and pick up arrangements to and from the Acorn Theatre for KS2 children have already been sent out by class teachers. Please contact the School Office if you have any queries. A reminder that we are performing the show in the afternoon and evening at the Acorn on Thursday 13th July. Performances are in the **afternoon @ 1pm** and in the **evening @ 6pm**. Please use this link for tickets:

<https://theacornpenzance.ticketsolve.com/ticketbooth/shows/1173644708>. You may have to cut and paste the link to get into the portal for tickets to be purchased. Thanks.

Marazion School Strike Action - Friday 7th July

Further industrial action is planned for tomorrow, Friday 7th July. A letter about the industrial action has already been emailed out to parents. A reminder that there is no Breakfast Club tomorrow.

Marazion Clubs

Marazion Clubs finished today and will start again in the autumn term. Please note that Year 5 and Year 6 children have 2 more weeks of Sailing Club, on Tuesday 11th and 18th July.

2023 Annual Reports

2023 Annual Reports are going out to parents NEXT Monday 10th July. Optional Parents' Meetings are available with your child's class teacher from Tuesday 11th July. These meetings can be via Zoom or face to face. Please note that Phonics Screening Check/Recheck results are going out to children in Year 1 and some children in Year 2 with annual reports. Parents of children in Year 2 can discuss the results of the KS1 SATs, which were administered in May, with their child's class teacher at the optional meetings. KS2 SATs results will be sent out as a separate report by the end of next week. Please can you return the report comments slip to your child's class teacher by Tuesday 25th July - you can return them as a paper copy or electronically by email to your child's class teacher. Thanks.

2023 Marazion Summer Barbeque Bash (SBB) - Tuesday 25th July

We are again celebrating this school year with our annual SBB on Tuesday 25th July. You are invited to join us for lunch from 11.45am. Adults' lunches are £2.89 and it's £2.41 for a child's lunch. Tickets must be purchased by NEXT Friday 14th July so that we can order enough delicious food. Tickets are now on sale from the School Office. Thanks.

Marazion School Box

We are so proud of our School Box (SB) and so are the local (and national) community. The SB is for everyone - just as Marazion School is everyone's school and Marazion Town is everyone's town. So, we are asking that everyone helps us look after it. This is everyone's town and we love to have things in the SB that we can share and that everyone looks after.

Safeguarding Awareness for Parents & Carers

Filtering and Monitoring: The government has recently implemented newly published standards for filtering and monitoring procedures in school. The standards can be found through the link below:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/meeting-digital-and-technology-standards-in-schools-and-colleges/filtering-and-monitoring-standards-for-schools-and-colleges>

In/Out of School

Marazion Uniform Swap Shop: Please remember to look in our Marazion School Swap Shop before you buy any school uniform. We have lots of summer uniform as well as PE kit and shoes. Using the swap shop means that we are being kinder to the planet. **Marazion School Reading Room (RR):** Children can choose to come into school and read for pleasure from 8.30-8.45am every day. Stonewall are hosting reading sessions next week. **School Events: FUNKY Forest Fridays (FFs):** This half term, while we finalise the new Funky FFs, children in KS2 are again working on a D and T project, as a class group. Invictus continue their work with pneumatics; Clement's Inn are doing some seasonal cooking and Stonewall are refining their woodwork and sawing skills, making props for the summer production. Please note that adults and children still need to wear comfortable outdoor clothes that they do not mind getting dirty on Fridays. **School Events:** Next Wednesday 12th July we are hosting our 'Starting School' meeting for parents of children starting in Reception in September. The meeting starts @ 3.30pm. **School Visits:** Next week, Notting Hill have their LEAP Dance Show. All details about school visits are sent to parents by email from their child's class teacher.

PE and School Sport

Fixtures and Events: There are no fixtures or events next week. **Swimming Sessions:** Please note that swimming sessions have now finished for this school year. **Gym Sessions:** Stonewall have gym sessions at Penzance Gym every Monday this half term. Please can children in Stonewall 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. **Sporting Event:** For this term we have left it late to follow a sporting event but with very good reason - there is so much to follow and celebrate at the moment, so we are going to follow lots of the sports - cricket (The Ashes); tennis (Wimbledon) and football (FIFA Women's World Cup). Wow! **Optional PE Homework:** For July homework, we are asking you to go for a nice summer evening run or walk. Enjoy!

NEW for 2023 - 52 Acts of Kindness, 28 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 24, Invictus have an idea for this week's act of kindness: show support for and celebrate people's resilience.**

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, Invictus want to say thank you to miners, who still give us essential resources today.** We all clapped together as a whole school to support this during today's Celebration Assembly.

Stars of the Week

In Class: Bristol Bus: **Neva** for superb phonics and letter formation; Notting Hill: **Maggie May** for incredibly elegant dancing and wonderful singing; Invictus: **Ethan** for fantastic engagement and enthusiasm; Clement's Inn: **Harrison** for adjusting his sails and putting in 100% effort to production rehearsals; Stonewall: **Jay J** for excellent focus in practice for end of year show and supporting peers. **Sporting:** YR/KS1: **Neva** for brilliant football and cricket skills; KS2: **Noah B and Jacob** for wonderful focus and support sorting PE equipment. **Music:** YR/KS1: **Maya** for excellent singing in class music time; KS2: **Oscar** for amazing singing in KS2 production rehearsals.

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: *Isla, Sammy, Khianna, Osian, Lola K, Obi, Maison, Nahla, Harrison W* and *Summer*.

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 *Lola B* (Breakfast Club) *Lilly May WM, Emily, Sam* and *Lyra* (Lunchtime).

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to *Teagan, Enys, Anya* and *Lowen* who celebrated their birthdays this week. Many Happy Returns to you all 😊

Dates for the Diary w/c Monday 10th July

Monday 10th July: Stonewall @ Penzance Gym, pm; Annual Reports out to parents

Tuesday 11th July: Sailing Club - Year 5 and 6 children, 3-5.30pm

Wednesday 12th July: 'Starting School' meeting @ 3.30pm

Thursday 13th July: *A Twist of Tales* (KS2 summer production) @ Acorn Theatre, matinee @ 1pm and evening show @ 6pm