

# MARAZION SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents,

Welcome back to summer 2 - the last half term of this school year. We start with a new residential visit to Oxford for Year 6 pupils, as part of their 'Bright Futures' topic, and end with pupils moving on to their new classes for 2019-20 for the last week of term - 15<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> July. In between, look out for summer productions and performances, the final outcomes for all classes, leavers' events and even a 'flashmob' or 2 as a grand finale to our Year of Dance!

### World Oceans Day – TOMORROW Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June

To celebrate World Oceans Day 2019 tomorrow we are asking all adults and pupils to come to school in something blue. Adults and pupils in Oxford are also wearing blue on this day. Please note that you can also make a donation – all funds are going to *Surfers Against Sewage*.

### 'Out of the Blue' Gallery Re-opening

We would again like to say thank you to Sally Steggell and her team for working with Marazion School on the recent re-opening of the 'Out of the Blue' Gallery. Our pupils' artwork looked amazing and copies have been sold to buyers in Germany and France as well as the UK.

### School Uniform

We are hoping to source our uniform provider locally to reduce our carbon footprint but during the transition period uniform will be available to buy from school. We will keep you informed of the new supplier and when you will be able to use their services. Any queries please contact the office.

### Staffing Update

Sara Oliver returns from maternity leave this week, working Thursdays and Fridays, in her role as Senior Leader and SENCO. From September 1<sup>st</sup>, Sara takes up the post of Assistant Headteacher, which still includes the SENCO role. A reminder that Tristan Searle is back in school covering Laura Holmes' maternity leave and we have also recently welcomed Jo Cooper, who is working with the staff teams at both Marazion Oasis and Marazion School, as a Learning Outside the Classroom expert. Jo is initially working with us until December to support the further development of the school site as well as alongside staff to increase their confidence and independence when working outdoors.

### Marazion School 2019 Summer Production

Rehearsals have started for our 2019 summer production. This year we are performing a version of *Shakespeare's Midsummer Night's Dream: Dream On* and working with Grace Murdoch, a choreographer. Please note that the 2019 summer production includes pupils from Years 4, 5 and 6 and will be performed at the Acorn Theatre in Penzance on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July. Year 3 pupils Summer production will be a dance performance at Geevor Mine.

### Marazion School Classes 2019-2020

From September 2019 there are 5 classes: Year R/1 (Paula Hall and Michaela Pender); Year 2 (Joelle Rowels); Year 3/4 (James Green); Year 4/5 (Lewis Groom) and Year 6 (Tristan Searle). This means that pupils who are currently in Year 3 are between 2 mixed aged classes. We aim to speak to all parents of (current) Year 3 pupils during the next 2 weeks. Please note that pupils are in their new classes from Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July.

### Mazey Day 2019 – Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June

A reminder that we have a Mazey Day open afternoon NEXT Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June from 1.30pm, working with the Art Ladies, Emma and Lesley. Please come and help us make some wonderful sea themed props. Please wear clothes that you don't mind getting dirty. Marazion School is in the 3pm parade - please join us and wear green. We need to know approximate numbers of pupils in the parade so that we can make enough turtle shells so please let Miss Hall know if you will be there. Thanks.



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## Themes for Summer 2

The theme for our Share Your Views (SYV) board for the summer term continues to focus on Marazion School's Vision and Aims. Following consultation with staff, pupils, parents and governors during this school year, our vision and aims will be updated in the autumn. The theme for assemblies and circle time during this half term is 'Journeys.' Pupils are thinking about how they can manage change and moving on. Assemblies and circle times are focusing on some epic, amazing and unexpected journeys including Ernest Shackleton, mums in a boat and Bilbo Baggins. Our precept for summer 2 is '**To Infinity and Beyond**' by Buzz Lightyear, again chosen by Year 6 pupils. Our Vision Board continues to link to our **first aim** - to develop, '**A love of life and learning**'.

## In School/Out and About

**School Blog:** A reminder to keep up to date with our school blog, where you will find photos, videos and captions about the living, learning and laughing at Marazion School. The address for the blog is at the top of this newsletter. **CCs' Art Day:** Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> CCs will be making a model of themselves using wire and paper mache in their famous class photo pose with big arms. Please wear clothes that you do not mind your child getting messy. Thanks. **DDs' Curriculum Information (CI):** CI for DDs goes out this week - please speak to Miss Tremewan if you require any further information. **2019 Test Dates:** Year 1 pupils and some Year 2 pupils are completing their Phonics Screening Checks next week - w/c Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June. **Bag2School Collection:** Our next Bag2School collection is TOMORROW Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June. Please can any donations be dropped off in school by 9am. **Beach/Woodland School (BS/WS):** A reminder that **ALL** pupils in Terrific Tangos and Fabulous Fandangos are going to BS/WS on Fridays for this half term. **School Visits:** Next Wednesday, Year 6 pupils are visiting Truro College - getting the train and the bus there and back. Pupils need to be dropped at St Erth railway station at 8.30am and pick up for those **NOT** in a club is from St Erth train station at 3pm. Please speak to Laura in the School Office if you need to organise a lift/lift share for your child. **Marazion Community Service 2019:** This year's Marazion Community Service is THIS Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June from 11am at the Methodist Chapel. Everyone is welcome.

## PE and Sport in School

**PE kit in School:** Thank you for your support in making sure that your child's PE kit is in school for the whole week - it makes such a difference to our PE and sports sessions. Thanks. **Fixtures and Events:** Next week pupils are taking part in a Rounders' matches at MBA. We also have the Penwith Primary Athletics (PPA) at Carn Brea. Please see below for date and time. **Gym Session:** This half term some pupils in Cha Cha class are going to Penzance gym this will start from 19<sup>th</sup> June. **Swimming Sessions:** Top up swimming returns on Thursdays next week. You will be notified if your child is taking part. **Summer Term Sporting Event:** For this term we are following 2 events - the Men's Cricket World Cup, taking place in England and Wales, as well as the Women's Football World Cup, taking place in France. **Optional PE and SS Homework:** For the month of June we are challenging pupils to create a poster advertising either of the World Cup Events.

## Stars of the Week and Certificate Awards

These will be awarded next week along with an update of Beach House Points.

## 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: **Teddy** (Breakfast Club) **Ruby**, **Bobby**, **Ohran** and **Reece** (Lunchtime).

## Many Happy Returns

Happy Birthday to **Rheya** and **Jack J** who celebrated their birthday during half term. Also Happy Birthday to **Kaia**, **Jack C** and **Bobby** who all celebrated their birthday this week. Many Happy Returns to you all ☺

## Dates for the Dirary w/c Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June

**Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June:** 2019 Marazion Community Service @ Methodist Chapel, 11am

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> - Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June:** 2019 Phonics Screening Check

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June:** Mazey Day Open Afternoon in school from 1.30pm

**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June:** Rounders @ Mounts Bay Academy, 3-5pm

**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June:** DDs @ Truro College - **drop off** at St Erth station, 8.30am, **pick up** St Erth station, 3pm; CCs art day, own clothes please

**Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June:** PPA @ Carn Brea, 9am-3pm; 'Top Up' swimming, pm

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