



MARAZION SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents,

We would like to apologise for the disruption caused by Storm Goretta and the impact this had on our school community. Thank you to all our families for your patience, flexibility and cooperation during this challenging time, and for the kindness and support shown to our staff as we worked to ensure everyone's safety. We are very pleased to welcome everyone back to school and return to our routines. As we move forward, we are looking ahead with optimism and enthusiasm and are excited for all that 2026 has to offer. We look forward to a happy, positive and successful year ahead for our whole school community.

Change of KS1 Teacher

We would like to welcome Georgie Brockman to our team! She has taken over from Abbie Stedmon and is teaching The Counting Crew on a Monday and Maths Magicians on a Friday.

London Visit

Thank you so much for your patience while waiting for updates on the London costs. The costs have now been emailed out to all parents of Tetrahedrons. If you have not received this email, please speak to Mrs Rescorla-Hill who will be able to provide more information.

Breakfast Club

For safeguarding reasons, we are asking for Breakfast Club children to come into school via the main reception entrance, the playground gate will not open until 8.30am. Thanks.

Making Everyday Matter

During the winter months, getting children up and ready in the morning can be a real challenge, and with several sickness bugs circulating, we understand that parents are sometimes faced with difficult decisions. When children are very unwell, it is absolutely appropriate for them to stay at home to recover. However, if they are feeling a little under the weather with a cough or cold, we would much rather they come into school. Please do let us know how they are feeling so that we can make adaptations to help them feel comfortable.

Thank you to everyone who is ensuring their children attend school every day when they are fit and well, and for arriving on time. The school gate opens at 8.30am, ready for children to be led into school for registration at 8.45am. This helps ensure that children are settled and ready to start their learning for the day. Children who attend school each day and arrive on time make significantly more academic progress and feel more confident socially.

Reminder letters about the importance of good attendance will be sent out. If you would like to discuss your child's attendance in more detail, or have any worries at all, please do not hesitate to speak to Miss Oliver or Mr Chislett. We are always very happy to talk things through and work together to support families.

Thank You

A massive belated thank you to Kirsty and Sam who provided us all with the most delicious Christmas dinner. We are very lucky to have them providing delicious meals every day!

PE and School Sport/Clubs - Note changes

PE Days - please come to school in PE kit:

Counting Crew (R/Y1): Tuesday

Maths Magicians (Y2): Tuesday

Tessellations (Y3/4): Wednesday (please wear a t shirt without buttons for gym at Penzance Gymnastics) and Friday

Tetrahedrons (Y5/6): Wednesday and Thursday

Gym and Swimming Sessions: Tessellations are going to the gym this half term and Continuing Swimmers are going swimming. There is a LATER pick up after swimming, which is 4pm from the main playground gate. £1 contribution towards the cost of the sessions.

In/Out of School

School Visits/Events: Next week, KS1 are doing tennis for their PE session and there is Year 5/6 Boys Football after school on Tuesday. A reminder that more information about visits and events is sent out by class teachers/group leaders.

Good Manners @ Breakfast Club and Lunch Time

We celebrate with children who have displayed fantastic manners at Lunchtime and during Breakfast Club as part of our Monday morning assembly. Last weeks and this week's congratulations to **Jackson** (Breakfast Club) and **Ralph, Kyron, Florence C** and **Nora** (Lunchtime).

Stars of the Week

Counting Crew: **Freddie** for showing lots of enthusiasm; **Archie** for being a great friend to everybody

Maths Magicians: **Ralph** for a confident start to school; **Mia** for brave swimming

Tessellations: **Albie** for an outstanding start to school; **Florence** for having a great attitude in school

Tetrahedrons: **Noah** for bringing positivity to learning and excellent literacy; **Nolan** for amazing writing; **Florence** for incredible science skills

KS1 sports: **Callie** for confident and brave swimming

Happy Birthday

Happy Belated Birthday to **Daisy, Teddy Bs** and **Arthur** who celebrated their birthday over the Christmas break. Happy Birthday to **Noah C** who is celebrating his birthday this week. Many Happy Returns to you all 😊

Dates for the Diary w/c Monday 19th January

Tuesday 20th January: Year 5/6 Boys Football 4pm @ MBA

Wednesday 21st January: Tessellations @ Penzance gym; Continuing Swimmers swimming session - LATER pick up @ 4pm from the main playground gate