

Malborough with South Huish C of E (VC) Primary School

Friday 21st April – Summer Term Newsletter 1

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Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome back! I hope that you all had a lovely Easter and were able to enjoy the few spells of sunny weather we had. We are now looking forward to all of the exciting activities and fun-filled learning we have planned for this term.

VISIT FROM THE RNLI

We were delighted to welcome the RNLI Coastguards to school on Wednesday to talk to the children about water safety. The children learnt about the different coloured flags that they might see on our local beaches and what each flag meant. They also learnt what to do if they were ever swept out to sea whilst using an inflatable.





CLASS 2 VISIT TO THE RNLI STATION & MARITIME MUSEUM







What a wonderful day we had in Salcombe on Wednesday! The children were very busy exploring the RNLI Station, the Maritime Museum and the Salcombe Lifeboat!

The children enjoyed walking through Island Street and Fore Street and learning about how the town has changed over the years.

Roger Barratt at the Maritime Museum provided a fun-packed morning. The children had a great time learning about the pirates of Salcombe! They all left the museum wearing eye patches with a 'haul of treasure'.

The Coxswain of the Salcombe Lifeboat, as well as arranging for the children to visit the Lifeboat

Station, kindly took them out onto the Lifeboat. What an amazing experience! He said, "It was a pleasure to show such a well behaved very smart group of youngsters over the boat and station".

As well as going onboard the Lifeboat, the children were also very fortunate to be allowed on board of the Royal Naval boat HMS Magpie.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all the adult helpers who joined us on this visit and the RNLI and Maritime Museum staff for making this such a lovely and memorable experience.

3D SHAPES

This week Class 4 have been looking at 3D shapes in creating media for computing. We have recognised the importance of creating media for film, architecture and other vocations and have explored how everything is made up of 3D shape. We have also experimented with making our own 3D mazes and identified how to manipulate these from a range of angles.





CLASS 1 PIRATES

This week the children in class one have seen some sailing, swashbuckling and walking the plank! We have kicked off our topic of Pirates on the Seven Seas and the children have loved exploring our in-class pirate ship and have been fully embracing life on the ocean! Ahoy there me hearties!



PTFA BAKE SALE

The PTFA will be holding their monthly cake sale next Friday, 28th April and would be very grateful for cakes and buns to sell. Please would you bring your delicious donations to the school office on the Friday morning. Thank you.





150th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION & OPEN AFTERNOON Our 150th Anniversary Celebration which will take place on the afternoon of Friday 26th May. From 2.00pm to 3.00pm alumni and past staff members will celebrate with a cream tea with the children. At 3.00pm we invite parents and carers to join us on the school playground where the children will perform their dances.

There will be displays of the school history, prepared by Jan

Clarke a former pupil and a performance from Kingsbridge Silver Band. We do hope that you will be able to join us in our celebrations.

150th BIRTHDAY BASH

Tickets are now on sale for the second of our birthday celebrations on Saturday 10th June at The Old Inn. Do please come along and join in the fun if you can. As well as a buffet supper and music from 'Equally Guilty', there will be a raffle, archive displays and copies of Jan Clarke's book about Malborough with South Huish Primary School for sale. All proceeds made from this event will be used to help purchase new equipment for the school. Thank you for your support.





150th ANNIVERSARY BALL AND AUCTION OF PROMISES

Sadly, due to unforeseen circumstances, we have had to reschedule our 150th Anniversary Ball. We are now planning to hold this on **Saturday 29th September** at Cliff House. We are very grateful to all of the local businesses who have donated 'promises' for this event so far and we hope that as well as being a fun-filled evening, this event will help to raise much needed funds for our PTFA. More details to follow soon.

AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS & BREAKFAST CLUB

Letters about our after-school clubs will be sent home with your child today. Places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

We have been offered the opportunity to run a breakfast club each day from 8.00am to 9.00am. The cost would be £3.50 per child, per session. In order for the club to go ahead, we require at least fifteen children to register for each day. Please would you let us know by Friday 28th April if this is something you would be interested in. Thank you.

Week beginning 17/04/23		
Reception	100%	
Year 1	92.3%	
Year 2	100%	
Year 3	98.9%	
Year 4	98.1%	
Year 5	100%	
Year 6	100%	
Whole School	98.2%	

ATTENDANCE Week beginning 17/04/23

WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY 24th APRIL

Monday 24 th April	 Fire Safety Visit at 9.30am Forest School - Year 5 a.m. / Reception p.m. Class 4 PE Year 6 Booster Club - 3.30pm to 4.30pm Dance Club - 3.30pm to 4.30pm
Tuesday 25 th April	 South West Water Visit at 9.30am PE with Achieve4All (all classes) Achieve 4 All after-school club - 3.30pm to 4.30pm
Wednesday 26 th April	• Eco Warriors Club - 3.30pm to 4.30pm
Thursday 27 th April	 Year 3 Extended Day Visit to Forest and Beach Book Club - Lunchtime Yoga & Mindfulness Club - 3.30pm to 4.30pm
Friday 28 th April	 Celebration Assembly at 9.15am Classes 1,2 & 3 PE Board Games Club - Lunchtime PTFA Cake Sale at 3.30pm



The School Awards this week go to:

Reception: Bertie

Year 1: Arabella

Year 2: George

Year 3: Indiana

Year 4: Poppy

Year 5: Tyler-James

Year 6: Jimmy

The MTA award this week goes to Jimmy for having lovely manners

The Attendance Cup this week has been awarded to: Classes 1 and 4

This week the House with the most points is: Saint Patrick

Well done everyone!

Yours sincerely

L. Stallard

Mrs L Stallard Head of School

T. Coulthard

Mrs T Coulthard Executive Head Teacher

STARS OF THE WEEK





DIARY DATES - New

events in 'Red'

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Monday 1 st May		MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY
Wednesday 3rd May		Whole school church service at 9.15am - everyone welcome
Thursday 4 th May		Bags2School
Thursday 4 th May	Class 1	Visit to St Peter's and All Saints Church – 9.30am
Sunday 7 th May		Malborough Village Coronation Celebrations
		Church Service at 10.00am. Party in Village Hall from 12.30pm
Monday 8 th May		BANK HOLIDAY FOR THE CORONATION OF
		HM KING CHARLES III
9 th - 12 th May	Year 6	Key Stage 2 SATS Week
Monday 15 th May	K52	Visit to Exeter Cathedral and Synagogue.
Wednesday 17 th May		Parental Focus Group at 3.00pm
Friday 19 th May		PTFA Cake Sale at 3.30pm
Monday 22 nd May	K52	Take 5 Wellbeing Festival at Buckfast Abbey - 10.00am to 2.00pm
Friday 26 th May		150 th Anniversary Celebrations & Open Day.
Friday 26 th May		Break-up for Half-Term
27 th - 29 th May		Malborough Scarecrow Trail 2023
Monday 5 th June		Return to school
Wednesday 7 th June		Whole school church service at 9.15am - everyone welcome
Thursday 8 th June	Year 6	Canoeing with 'Singing Paddles' - 9.00am to 12 noon
Friday 9 th June	Year 4	Residential visit
Saturday 10 th June		150 th Anniversary Community Party at The Old Inn
Thursday 15 th June	K52	Swimming Gala at Quayside Leisure Centre - 1.00pm to 3.30pm
Friday 16 th June	Year 5	Residential visit
Friday 16 th June		PTFA Fathers' Day Pop-up Shop
Monday 19 th June	Class 4	Junior Water Safety at Blackpool Sands - 9.45am to 12.15pm
Wednesday 21st June	Years 5 & 6	Children's Mental Health Assembly at 9.30am
Friday 23 rd June		Sports Day with PTFA refreshments
Tuesday 27 th June	Classes 1 & 2	Visit to Paignton Zoo. Depart at 9.15am.
Wednesday 28 th June		Surfing and water safety day at Bantham Beach
Friday 30 th June	Class 4	Junior Water Safety at Dartmouth Leisure Centre -
		1.15pm to 2.30pm
Friday 30 th June		PTFA Cake Sale at 3.30pm
Wednesday 5 th July		Whole school church service at 9.15am - everyone welcome
Thursday 6 th July	Years 5 & 6	Children's Mental Health Workshop at 9.15am
Saturday 15 th July		PTFA Summer Fair
17 th - 19 th July	Year 6	Residential visit
Friday 21 st July		Year 6 Leavers' Service in church at 2.00pm - everyone welcome.
Friday 21 st July		PTFA Cake Sale at 3.30pm
Friday 21 st July		LAST DAY OF SUMMER TERM

TWITTER

You will find details of all of the latest events happening throughout the federation on our Twitter page. Please take a look at: <u>https://twitter.com/SHFederation</u>