



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

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to our weekly newsletter! We hope you all had a lovely half-term break.

This week, I had the opportunity to complete a thorough handover with Mrs Pearson, who will be leading the school while I am on maternity leave. Mrs Pearson knows our school community very well, and together we also met with the governors to share an update on where the school is at and our plans for the months ahead. I would like to thank all our families and children for their kind messages and well wishes - they have meant so much to me. I wish everyone a wonderful rest of the school year, and I look forward to being in touch soon to share some happy baby news!



BIBLE PRESENTATION

During our monthly church service, Year 6 pupils were formally presented with their Bibles, marking an important milestone in their school journey.



ODD SOCKS – ANTI BULLYING WEEK

Odd Socks Day 2025 will be on **Monday, 10th November**, marking the start of Anti-Bullying Week. It's a fun and easy way for everyone to celebrate what makes us all unique and to promote kindness and acceptance. All you have to do to take part is: Wear odd socks (two completely different ones!).

REMEMBRANCE SERVICE – SUNDAY 9TH NOVEMBER

We have been invited by Malborough and Salcombe Town Council to take part in the Remembrance Day processions on Sunday 9th November. If your child would like to join the procession and help lay a wreath in either Malborough or Salcombe, please come along in school uniform.

CLASS 1 – MONDAY FOREST SCHOOL

***PLEASE BRING PE KIT IN ON MONDAYS & LEAVE IN SCHOOL**

Class 1 have started their Celebrations topic, starting with Bonfire Night and firework celebrations! The children have learnt a fireworks poem and created their own firework scenes. The children will be sharing their experiences of their own celebrations. Please can you upload a photo of your child on their birthday to Tapestry so they are able to share this with the class.

***Next Friday we will hold a party day! Please send your child into school in party clothes ready to celebrate Millie's (class bear) birthday!**

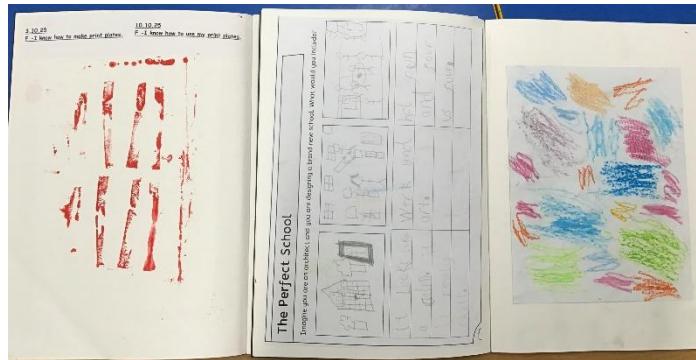
We are also looking for donations for resources to use in the class as part of the topic. If you have any of the following items that are no longer needed they would be much appreciated in Class 1. These include: dressing up clothes (including hats), material for den building/ dressing up such as scarves, table cloths, dressing up jewellery, role play cash register, Christmas decorations, craft materials.

If you are having a clear out and find anything you think would be of use, please come and speak to me. Thank you!



**CLASS 2 – MONDAY FOREST SCHOOL FOR YEAR 2
PE TUESDAY & FRIDAY**

Class 2 have been working very hard and really enjoyed the art topic all about designing the perfect school. Children were able to think about textures and have a go at making and using their own monoprint.



CLASS 3 – PE TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

Class 3 are enjoying their current Maths topic, investigating measures. This week we loved finding small items to measure in centimetres millimetres!



CLASS 4 – PE TUESDAY & FRIDAY

Class 4 enjoyed visiting the Library Service vehicle today to choose a wide range of new fiction and non-fiction books to update our school library.

The children were particularly enthusiastic about selecting books that matched their own interests and choosing titles with higher ZPD levels to challenge their reading ability.



FOREST SCHOOL

Reception and Year 2 enjoyed a fantastic day at Forest School. They picked apples from the community orchard trees and toasted them over the fire. Everyone loved tasting their warm, freshly cooked apples!



MINIMAL JEWELLERY REMINDER

To help keep everyone safe and focused at school, please remember that only minimal jewellery is allowed.

Permitted Items

- Small stud earrings
- Simple wristwatches
- Religious or medical items (to be worn discreetly)

Not Permitted

- Dangling or hoop earrings
- Necklaces, bracelets, or rings that may cause injury or distraction
- Smartwatches with messaging or camera functions during class

This helps prevent accidents during play and PE and ensures students can learn comfortably and safely. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

2027 Proposed School Admissions Policy

The 2027 Admissions Policy is currently in draft form, and a public consultation is being led by the Local Authority. The consultation period will run until 16 January 2026, after which the policy will be formally determined by the Board of Governors and the final version published by 15 March 2026.

Further information can be found by the following link to the DCC website: <https://www.devon.gov.uk/children-families-education/education/school-admissions/arrangements-and-policies/school-admission-policy/>

PTFA NEWS – Soft Toy Donations Needed!

We're looking for clean, gently loved soft toys for the Teddy Tombola at our upcoming School Fair on **Saturday, 29th November at Malborough Village Hall**. If you have any cuddly friends ready for a new home, please drop them off at the school office as soon as possible.

Thank you for helping make the fair a success! 



PARISH NEWS

During the week the school held their monthly assembly in Church and bibles were presented to the Year 6 pupils by Debbie, who also led the service. Becky was also with us and she accompanied the children with their music. It was a lovely service.

On Sunday there will be a very short Holy Communion service in the Lady Chapel at 10.00 a.m. before the time at the War Memorial and prior to our main service in church which will commence at 10.55 a.m.

Tuesday 11th November the school will be coming into church for their annual Remembrance Service and they are due to be at the church by 10.45 a.m. for a 11.00 a.m. start. Everyone is welcome to come along.

WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY 10th NOVEMBER

Monday 10 th November	FOREST SCHOOL – RECEPTION & YEAR 2 ODD SOCKS DAY!
Tuesday 11 th November	REMEMBRANCE SERVICE IN CHURCH AT 11AM
Wednesday 12 th November	
Thursday 13 th November	
Friday 14 th November	CHILDREN IN NEED! WEAR SOMETHNG SPOTTY & BAKE SALE

PE DAYS

RECEPTION	PLEASE BRING IN PE KIT ON MONDAYS & LEAVE IN SCHOOL
CLASS 2 (Year 1 and Year 2)	TUESDAY AND FRIDAY
CLASS 3 (Year 3 and Year 4)	TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY
CLASS 4 (Year 5 and Year 6)	TUESDAY AND FRIDAY
On PE days please bring in a labelled PE kit to change in to.	

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

DAY	CLUB	TEACHER	CAPACITY	KEY STAGE	TIME
MONDAY	ART	MRS MILLER	15	KS1	3.30-4.30pm
MONDAY	POPCORN MATHS	MRS MARTIN-JONES	16	YEAR 6	3.30-4.30pm
TUESDAY	MULTI - SPORTS	ACHIEVE 4 ALL	Book via: https://activities.bookpebble.co.uk/activity/achieve4all-multi-sports-club-kingsbridge-62defcea-02d5-4759-87cd-f4de09444ff2	ALL	3.30-4.30pm
WEDNESDAY	CHOIR	MRS CHESTER	15	YR1 - YR6	3.30-4.30pm
THURSDAY	BOARD GAMES	MRS FURNESS-BROWN	15	ALL	3.30-4.30pm
THURSDAY	KARATE	CAROLINE HART	*Please note there is a charge for attending Karate Club. Please book with Caroline: 07492681677 https://chillingtonselfdefence.club/about.htm	YR2 - YR6	3.30-4.30pm
FRIDAY	SCHOOL OF ROCK	NCK HAGAN	*Please note that there is a charge for attending the 'School of Rock' after-school club. Should you wish to book a place for your child to attend, please contact Nick Hagan on 07780 685782.	YR4 - YR6	3.30-4.30pm

Please remember to complete and return the permission slip for your child to attend after school clubs. They will not be permitted to attend unless we receive a slip for them.

HOMWORK HELP

Mrs Martin-Jones will be running a Homework Help club every Thursday lunchtime at 12.40pm.

HOMWORK HELP

CLASS 4 LUNCHTIME CLUB

12:40
PM

Thursday

Finding the homework tricky or need a little help?

With Mrs Martin-Jones



Reception: Sennen



Year 1: Madden



Year 2: Aoife



Year 3: Lola



Year 4: Rufus



Year 5: Thomas P



Year 6: James

The Attendance Cup this week has been awarded to: **YEAR 1, YEAR 3 & YEAR 6!**

The House with the most house points this week is **St. DAVIDS** with **148** points!

Congratulations to Maisy who was presented her Silver Award in recognition of personal achievement in instrumental lessons!

Well done everyone!

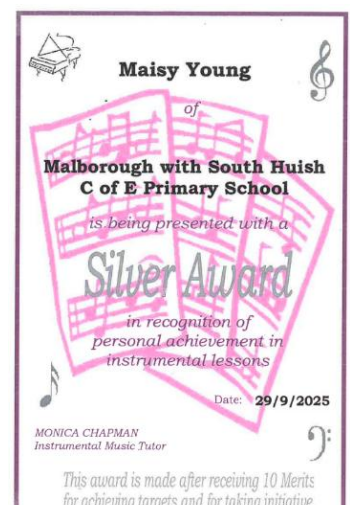
Yours sincerely,

L. Stallard









Mrs L Stallard
Head of School

T. Coulthard

Mrs T Coulthard
Executive Head Teacher



DIARY DATES - New events in 'Red'

Date	Class/Year	Event
Monday 10 th November	All	Anti Bullying week – Odd Socks day! 
Tuesday 11 th November	All	Remembrance Service in church at 11.00am 
Friday 14 th November	All	Children in Need – wear something spotty & bake sale! 
Thursday 4 th December	All	Black Tie Ball fundraiser at the Harbour Beach Club Hotel for the school & RNLI. Details to follow.
Friday 5 th December	Year 3 & 4	Cinema trip to see 'The Polar Express' 
Wednesday 10 th December	Year 2	Open Wide & Step Inside Dental Visit 
Tuesday 16 th December	All	Christmas performances in Church - we hope to update you with timings soon.
Wednesday 17 th December	All	Christmas Jumper Day  Christmas Dinner 
Thursday 18 th December	All	Christingle Service in church at 2.30pm
Friday 19 th December	All	LAST DAY OF AUTUMN TERM
Monday 5 th January 2026	All	NON-PUPIL DAY
Tuesday 6 th January	All	FIRST DAY OF SPRING TERM
Tuesday 13 th January		Cornwall Climate Care workshops
4 th – 6 th February	Year 5	Residential Visit
Friday 13 th February	All	BREAK-UP FOR HALF-TERM
Monday 23 rd February	All	BACK TO SCHOOL
Thursday 5 th March	All	World Book Day 
Friday 13 th March	All	Mothers' Day Service in church at 2.30pm
Thursday 2 nd April	All	Easter Service in church at 2.30pm
Thursday 2 nd April	All	LAST DAY OF SPRING TERM
Monday 20 th April	All	FIRST DAY OF SUMMER TERM
Monday 4 th May	All	MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY
Tuesday 5 th May	Year 3	Extended Day Visit
Wednesday 20 th May	All	Whole School & Class Photos 
Friday 22 nd May	All	BREAK-UP FOR HALF-TERM
Monday 1 st June	All	BACK TO SCHOOL

Wednesday 17 th June	Year 4	Residential Visit
Friday 19 th June	All	Sports Day 1.30pm – 3.30pm
24 th – 26 th June	Year 6	Residential Visit
Friday 17 th July	Year 6	Year 6 Leavers' Service in church at 9.15am
Friday 17th July 2026	All	BREAK-UP FOR THE SUMMER HOLIDAY ☀️

MALBOROUGH EXPLORERS

We officially opened this week and have been so excited to meet our first explorer children at before and after school club. The children have really enjoyed making the most of the outdoors, playing basketball and bean bag games and on the rainy days we have been busy crafting with shells, clay and more. On Tuesday afternoon the children made these wonderful under the sea scenes. We can't wait to see you all again next week!

For more information on how to sign up to before and after school club, you can now find us on the school website: [Malborough with South Huish C of E \(VC\) Primary School - Wraparound Care](#)



Having a clear out before Christmas?

Malborough Explorers (the new breakfast and after school club) are looking for unwanted items to help resource the club!

Any toy or activity that is suitable for **children aged 3 to 11 years old and promotes imaginative play** would be greatly appreciated.

Items could include:

- Toys
- Building equipment- train tracks/ duplo/ lego/ magnets
- Role play/ dress up
- Crafts and colouring
- Loose parts

Please drop any donations off at the school no later than **Monday 15th December.**

EXETER RUGBY

We have a fantastic KIDS FOR A QUID offer for our next Men's Home game against Bristol on **Saturday 22nd November** - 3pm which is valid for all Under 17s.

To purchase tickets please follow the link: <https://bit.ly/KidsQuidSchools>

**PREM
RUGBY CUP**

SANDY PARK STADIUM



kids for *a quid*

Chiefs v Bears

Sat 22 Nov 15:00





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Bonfire & Fireworks

Sat 8th November
Malborough Playing Fields

Bonfire lit at 6.30
Fireworks at 7.30

Very Limited parking

Sparklers are strictly
forbidden

Flashing novelties will be on
sale for children

CASH ONLY

Bar - BBQ - Hot Drinks

Event kindly sponsored by
SNOWS TOYOTA PAIGNTON

SALCOMBE CHARITY BLACK TIE BALL

Get ready to dress to impress at the Salcombe Charity Black Tie Ball - a night of glamour, fun, and giving back for a good cause! Come join us for an unforgettable evening at the **Harbour Beach Club Hotel & Spa!**

"Salcombe in Devon is now home to what could be the coolest beach club in the UK" - The Times
Get dressed to the nines in your fanciest black-tie attire and dance the night away for a good cause. Indulge in a gourmet meal, sip on exquisite cocktails, and enjoy live entertainment all night long. This is **THE** event of the year you don't want to miss! Mark your calendars and get ready for a night to remember.

Tickets include a welcome drink, a delicious, bespoke 3 course meal followed by live music - all based at the exquisite South Sands location.

We have secured Bootlegger's Turn as the live music band - described as "ONE OF THE BEST, MOST ENERGETIC COVER BANDS IN THE SOUTH-WEST".

There will be a running charitable auction available with some fantastic prizes in aid of local charities including the RNLI and Malborough School. Prizes include a night at Harbour Beach Hotel & Spa, a night at Salcombe Harbour Hotel and many more.

Tickets come as general admission or as tables of 8. To secure your table, please book a full table to guarantee who you sit with!

If you do not want to drive and wish to stay the night - Harbour Beach Club Hotel & Spa are offering B&B for an amazing price from: **£120 per room** with full use of spa facilities including pool, hot tub, gym, sauna and steam room! Contact the hotel on **01548 233456** and state "**Charity Ball - 4th December**".

Link to tickets is here: <https://buytickets.at/fionahorrell/1757539>

