



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

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2026 – Spring Term Newsletter 24

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We have followed up our literary adventures from last week with more exciting learning opportunities. Classes 2 & 4 enjoyed a trip to The Box to reinforce their learning topics. Bringing learning to life and immersing our children in different experiences to develop their knowledge is a great way to embed understanding. The RNLI visited us to share key water safety messages vital information ahead of the summer season.



Today children have enjoyed making posies ahead of our Mother's Day service. We are always conscious this can be a difficult time for some and hope that our service this afternoon brings a message of appreciation and reflection.



We also held our PTFA AGM this morning. A huge thank you for the ongoing support the PTFA provides particularly around our extra-curricular opportunities and the funding of transport which is a significant cost for school trips. The next meeting will be held on **Tuesday 21st April at 7.30pm** (location to be confirmed).

I wish you all a happy weekend.

Mrs Pearson

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## **CLASS 1 – MONDAY FOREST SCHOOL PE TUESDAY & FRIDAY**

For Science Week we attended an online Science lesson, followed by an experiment focusing on chromatography. We created Rainbow Fish by using ink and water. We observed which colours bled from the ink.



## **CLASS 2 – PE TUESDAY & FRIDAY**

Class 2 have had such a wonderful time this week. We started our week with a Science day as part of National Science Week. The children had to try and make a carrot float! We then had our visit to The Box where we had a workshop on Legends and Landmarks this is very much supporting our History and our Geography this term. I am so proud of how Class 2 behaved at The Box, they were a credit to the school.



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## **CLASS 3 – MONDAY FOREST SCHOOL – YEAR 4 PE TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY**

This week class have had so much fun! we learnt about the spine during science day and carried out our own investigations to find the strongest tube. In music we have been learning to play chords F, C and G on the ukulele and in English we gave a story-telling performance to the reception children.



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## **CLASS 4 – PE TUESDAY & FRIDAY**


The children had an exciting start to the week with two live science sessions as part of National Science Week. During the workshop, the children worked in groups to investigate how to make their paper flyers travel further, considering the effects of air resistance. They explored how changing different variables, such as the size of the flyer and the force used to launch it, could affect the distance travelled. It was a fantastic opportunity for the children to develop their scientific thinking, teamwork and investigative skills.





**\*\*Please take note of our diary dates and announcements at the bottom of the Newsletter. New dates going forward will be added in Red\*\***

### WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY 16<sup>th</sup> MARCH

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| <b>MONDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> MARCH</b>    | <b>FOREST SCHOOL – RECEPTION &amp; YEAR 4</b><br><b>CREATIVE CLUB 3.30 – 4.30pm</b><br><b>POPCORN MATHS CLUB – INVITE ONLY</b><br><b>MALBOROUGH EXPLORERS GAMES CLUB 3.30 – 4.30PM</b> |
| <b>TUESDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> MARCH</b>   | <b>ACHIEVE 4 ALL – PE</b><br><b>MALBOROUGH EXPLORERS FOOTBALL CLUB 3.30 – 4.30PM</b>   |
| <b>WEDNESDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> MARCH</b> | <b>CHOIR CLUB – LUNCHTIME AT 12.30PM</b><br><b>MALBOROUGH EXPLORERS BIKE, SCOOT &amp; SKATE 3.30 – 4.30PM</b>  |
| <b>THURSDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> MARCH</b>  | <b>MALBOROUGH EXPLORERS ART &amp; CRAFTS CLUB 3.30 – 4.30PM</b>  |
| <b>FRIDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> MARCH</b>    | <b>COMIC RELIEF – MUFTI DAY!</b><br><b>SCHOOL OF ROCK CLUB</b><br>                                |

### COMIC RELIEF

This year we will be celebrating Comic Relief on **Friday 20th March** with a **Mufti Day**.

Children are invited to come to school wearing their own clothes and, if they wish, something red to help celebrate the day.

We hope to raise as much money as possible to support the incredible work of Comic Relief in helping people facing poverty and hardship both in the UK and around the world.

If you would like to donate online, please use the following link to the schools JustGiving page:  
[https://www.justgiving.com/page/malborough-with-south-huish-c-of-e-primary-school-4?utm\\_medium=FR&utm\\_source=CL&utm\\_campaign=020](https://www.justgiving.com/page/malborough-with-south-huish-c-of-e-primary-school-4?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=CL&utm_campaign=020)

Thank you for your support!





Reception: Oliver



Year 1: Owain



Year 2: Freddie



Year 3: Toby L



Year 4: Annie



Year 4: Toby B



Year 5: Marcus



Year 6: Theo



The Attendance Cup this week has been awarded to: **YEAR 2!**



The House with the most house points this week is **St.DAVID** with **93** points!







Well done everyone!

Yours sincerely,

Mrs K Pearson  
Interim Head of School

Mrs T Coulthard  
Executive Head Teacher

## DIARY DATES - New events in 'Red'

| DATE                                     | CLASS/YEAR | EVENT  |
|--|------------|--|
| Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> March            | All        | Comic Relief – Mufti Day!  |
| Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> March            | All        | Parents Evening  |
| Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> March           | All        | Parents Evening  |
| Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> March           | Reception  | Royal Eye Infirmary sight test   |
| Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> April          | All        | Easter Service in church at 2.00pm   |
| Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April           | All        | <b>LAST DAY OF SPRING TERM</b>   |
| Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> April            | All        | <b>FIRST DAY OF SUMMER TERM</b>  |
| Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> April           | Year 6     | Sailing   |
| Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> May               | All        | <b>MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY</b>  |
| Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> May              | Year 3     | Extended Day visit   |
| Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> May           | Year 6     | Sailing   |
| Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May              | All        | Whole School & Class Photos   |
| Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May              | All        | <b>BREAK-UP FOR HALF-TERM</b>  |
| Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June              | All        | <b>BACK TO SCHOOL</b>  |
| Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> June          | Year 6     | KCC Transition Visit at MwSH <br>2.45pm - 3.15pm Students<br>3.30pm - 4.15pm Parents                    |
| Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> June          | Year 4     | Residential Visit  |
| Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> June             | All        | Sports Day 1.30pm – 3.30pm   |
| 24 <sup>th</sup> – 26 <sup>th</sup> June | Year 6     | Residential Visit  |
| Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July            | Year 6     | KCC Induction Day   |
| Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> July             | Year 6     | Year 6 Leavers' Service in church at 9.15am  |
| Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> July 2026        | All        | <b>BREAK-UP FOR THE SUMMER HOLIDAY</b>   |

### MALBOROUGH YOUTH CLUB

- Malborough Village Hall Annexe
- Open to: Years 5, 6 and 7+
- Free entry!
- Every Friday during term time
- Play games, chat or chill
- Snacks & drinks available to buy



\*The youth club are in need for some volunteers! If you can spare a few hours on a Friday please get in touch via Facebook or email [sharonanniss@malboroughparishcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:sharonanniss@malboroughparishcouncil.gov.uk) Thank you!

## MALBOROUGH PARISH CHURCH

Don't forget **Mother's Day Breakfast 10.00am - 12.00pm on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> March**. Please come along and enjoy some food and friendship. If you wish to leave a donation that would be great but not essential. The purpose of this is to bring people together.



### Services in Malborough for the following week: -

- Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2.30pm School service (Debbie)
- Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March 10.00am Mothering Sunday Service (Fr Harry)
- Wed 18<sup>th</sup> March 10.00am Communion (Rev John)

## MALBOROUGH EXPLORERS

We're excited to share some fantastic new opportunities with our Malborough Explorers community! Please see job adverts at the bottom of the newsletter.



Please book new clubs on our website via the link below. These include Football, Games Club, Yoga and Mindfulness

<https://eequ.org/book/malborough-explorers-wraparound-care-with-stokenham-explorers-20736>

As we are coming up to the Explorers' first birthday, we are offering **50% off** all **breakfast clubs** in the month of March! Just apply code **MARCH50** at checkout.

## Before School Clubs

| Day             | Monday   | Tuesday  | Wednesday   | Thursday   | Friday   |
|-----------------|--|--|---|--|--|
| Clubs available | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Explorers breakfast club</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Explorers breakfast club</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Yoga and mindfulness</li><li>• Explorers breakfast club</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Explorers breakfast club</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Explorers breakfast club</li></ul> |

## After School Clubs

| Day             | Monday   | Tuesday   | Wednesday  | Thursday   | Friday  |
|-----------------|--|---|--|--|---|
| Clubs available | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Games club</li><li>• Explorers after school club</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Football (Y4-Y6 ONLY)</li><li>• Explorers after school club</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Bike, scoot &amp; skate club</li><li>• Explorers after school club</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Arts &amp; Crafts club</li><li>• Explorers after school club</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Explorers after school club</li></ul> |

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## Job Description & Overview



|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| <b>Position Title</b> | <b>Wraparound Play Assistant</b>                  |
| <b>Location</b>       | Malborough, South Hams, South Devon               |
| <b>Setting</b>        | Malborough with South Huish C of E Primary School |
| <b>Salary</b>         | £12.50 per hour                                   |
| <b>Term</b>           | Fixed term and term time only                     |
| <b>Start Date</b>     | April 2026  |

Malborough Explorers (part of Stokenham Explorers Ltd) is a new and exciting wraparound care provider (currently going through Ofsted registration) which aims to provide a safe, fun and stimulating environment for children. We are looking to appoint a morning and after school club play assistant based at Malborough Primary School, in Malborough, Kingsbridge. Contact hours at the club are: 7.30am-9am and 3pm-5.30pm. Part time/ job share is available. This position is term time only. A **free child place** at the setting is available per full shift worked\*.

### **Purpose and Responsibilities:**

We are looking for a fun, caring and enthusiastic individual to play a vital role in our wrap around care facility.

### **Job Purpose (but not limited to):**

- Provide a fun, creative and safe environment for children
- Safeguard children during the breakfast/after school sessions
- Assist in the development of Malborough Explorers

### **Job Responsibilities (but not limited to):**

- Adhering to processes and procedures whilst ensuring the children in your care are nurtured and safe.
- Encouraging the children during free play and facilitating child led play, indoors and outdoors.
- Assisting in the delivery of engaging activities with structure and enthusiasm; encouraging maximum participation.
- Setting up the play space including moving furniture and play equipment.
- Providing refreshments and ensuring that hygiene, health and safety standards are met.
- Administering first aid when necessary.
- Undertaking appropriate and relevant training (including Safeguarding and Child Protection).
- Working within the framework of the club's policies and procedures.
- Packing away the equipment used in the session and cleaning the area and kitchen.

### **Required Attributes & Experiences:**

- Reliable & Punctual
- Playful and fun
- Able to develop a good rapport with children
- Previous experience of working with 4- 11 year olds

You will be working within a small and supportive team with strong links with the primary school.

To find out more, and for an application pack please contact Caroline at Stokenham Explorers, on [07967318114](tel:07967318114) or email [stokenhamexplorers@outlook.com](mailto:stokenhamexplorers@outlook.com)

Malborough Explorers is committed to safeguarding children and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This post is subject to an enhanced DBS clearance. All shortlisted applicants will be subject to an online search.

**Closing Date : 9 am on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2026**

Interview Date: tbc

(\*child must be primary school age)

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| <b>Position Title</b> | <b>Play Leader</b>                                |
| <b>Location</b>       | Malborough, South Hams, South Devon               |
| <b>Setting</b>        | Malborough with South Huish C of E Primary School |
| <b>Salary</b>         | £16.10 per hour                                   |
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### **Purpose and Responsibilities:**

We are looking for a motivated, caring and enthusiastic individual to play a vital role in our wrap around care facility.

### **Job Purpose (but not limited to):**

- Provide a caring and secure environment through individual support and group activities
- Safeguard children during the breakfast/after school sessions
- Develop and promote Malborough Explorers

### **Job Responsibilities (but not limited to):**

- Adhering to processes and procedures whilst ensuring the children in your care are nurtured and safe.
- Encouraging the children during free play and facilitating child led play, indoors and outdoors.
- Planning and delivering engaging activities with structure and enthusiasm; encouraging maximum participation.
- Inputting and monitoring attendance.
- Setting up the play space including moving furniture and play equipment.
- Providing refreshments and ensuring that hygiene, health and safety standards are met.
- Administering first aid when necessary.
- Facilitating good communication with all members of the organisation, parents, and the school.
- Undertaking appropriate and relevant training (including Safeguarding and Child Protection).
- Working within the framework of the club's policies and procedures.
- Ensuring that all activities, equipment and the setting are safe with the relevant risk assessments undertaken.
- Packing away the equipment used in the session and cleaning the area and kitchen.
- Ensuring the club is well resourced to provide a range of activities and a varied and nutritious diet.

### **Required Attributes & Experiences:**

- Reliable & Punctual
- A calm and caring nature
- Flexible and willing to adapt
- Experience of managing a team
- Previous experience of working with 4- 11 year olds

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## CHIREIKAI KARATE

Teaching Traditional Shotokan Karate in the South West of England. Classes in Malborough, Kingsbridge, Ivybridge, Stokenham and East Allington.

Our precepts centre around the technical development of the student and the practice of Kihon, Kata and Kumite. The development of one's Character is paramount and this is forged in the fundamentals and rigorous serious training.

Training opportunities throughout the week for all ages 5 years and upwards.

For more information, please click the link to their website: <http://www.chireikai.com>



**Juniors**  
**KARATE**

**Thursdays 4:30-5:30pm**  
**Age 5 upwards**

**Malborough Village Hall**

**Other classes throughout the week**  
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**NEW STUDENTS WELCOME**

- ✓ Have Fun
- ✓ Be Awesome
- ✓ Meet new Friends
- ✓ Learn self defence
- ✓ Structured Class
- ✓ Achievable Goals

The complex block is a promotional poster for Chireikai Karate Juniors. It has a dark red background. On the left, there is white text providing details about the classes. In the center, there are two photographs: the top one shows a young boy in a white gi performing a high kick towards an instructor, and the bottom one shows a young girl in a black gi being guided by an instructor. On the right side, there is a yellow starburst graphic with the text 'NEW STUDENTS WELCOME' and a list of six benefits, each preceded by a checkmark.

Wednesdays 8th/15th April  
9-4pm



Book your places:  
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# EASTER Watercolour Workshop

Skill focus: watercolour  
painting



In the morning, you will learn and practice using and applying watercolour onto different surfaces to achieve different effects. You'll be looking at the work of different local and international artists to help you compose our final piece, based on 'REFLECTIONS'.

We'll be going for a walk, with our sketchbooks to capture some information which we may use in our paintings. Depending on weather, we will eat lunch outside. You will then work towards your final painting, back in the studio. By the end of the day you will have completed, high quality water colour painting, ready to frame.

Suitable for children aged 6YO +





# EASTER HAF PROGRAM

QUAYSIDE LEISURE



HOLIDAY CAMP



Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> April

8:30am – 13:00pm

(Full day extension available)

Ages 5-12

6+ Activities Planned Everyday

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# EASTER ROADSHOWS

SOUTH DEVON 2026

9.30am - 3.30pm | boys & girls all abilities aged 6 - 14 | £24 per day



kingsbridge community college  
8<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> April

Devon FA, Newton abbot  
9<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> April

Paignton Academy, Waterleat road  
10<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> April

KEVICC, Totnes  
14<sup>th</sup> April

For more info email  
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NOW!**

