



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

Friday 19th June 2026 – Summer Term Newsletter 35

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Dear Parents & Carers,

“Can we go again tomorrow?” requested one of Class 3 on their return from visiting ‘Space Odyssey’. A fantastic inflatable dome experience, funded by the Charity Ball, for all of our pupils to visit throughout the day on Monday. It was a brilliant start to the week which has continued with our Y4 children participating in Snooze at the Zoo. We were really proud of the children who took part in their first residential and enjoyed exploring the zoo after visitors had left with a scavenger hunt. A huge thank you to the staffing team - Mrs Goodlass and Miss Ireland - for accompanying them.



Despite the mist and drizzle our Y6 children had a go at canoeing on Thursday via the fabulous Singing Paddles - a wonderful opportunity for our pupils to discover their local area and learn a new skill. We are really grateful to Kingsbridge Estuary Boat Club and South Pool Cruising Club for sponsoring this experience.

Our new Reception children have been in school again this week and this time they stayed for lunch. We have one more transition session left for parents and children ahead of them starting school in September. We have now finalised the staffing plans for next year. You should have received a letter detailing this earlier today. We will be organising a transition session in the last week of term for reception to year 5 to meet their new class.

We were really disappointed to postpone Sports Day. We hope you understand the difficult decision we have made in the interest of the children's safety. Sports Day has been rescheduled for **Wednesday 1st July**.

Mrs Pearson

CLASS 1 – MONDAY FOREST SCHOOL PE TUESDAY & FRIDAY

This week Class 1 have been exploring their environment accessing the different pirate themed provision. The children have enjoyed counting pirate treasure and making their own pirate ships using creative and construction materials. They also wrote lists of what they need to take on a pirate adventure.



SWIMMING – TUESDAY & FRIDAY

CLASS 2 – PE TUESDAY

Class 2 have been hard at work this week. Year 2 have started their maths unit on fractions and Year 1 are getting to grips with money. We all enjoyed our science this week based on separating mixtures - we got a little messy with some flour, rice and other items!



SWIMMING TUESDAY & FRIDAY

CLASS 3 – PE TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

This week Year 4 had a fantastic time on our residential 'Snooze at the Zoo'. We enjoyed 'camping' with our friends, scavenger hunts, night time trails and animal encounter workshops. We enjoyed some delicious food and of course loved watching all the different animals that Dartmoor Zoo offers.



In school this week, Year 3 have enjoyed designing and making bridge structures, inspired by the Tamar bridge that was engineered by Isambard Kingdom Brunel. Just look at Lola's creation from card and tape! In Maths, Year 3 have been investigating polygons. They enjoyed creating polygons by placing smaller polygons together.

SWIMMING THURSDAY

CLASS 4 – MONDAY FOREST SCHOOL – YEAR 6 PE TUESDAY & THURSDAY

In Class 4, the children have been learning about sculpture, with a focus on observing birds in nature. They explored the work of bird-inspired artists and experimented with watercolour painting techniques, paying close attention to brushstrokes, colour blending and texture. The children then applied their learning to create their own paper bird sculptures in the style of the artist, demonstrating creativity, careful craftsmanship and an appreciation of the natural world.



SWIMMING TUESDAY

MALBOROUGH PTFA - Pre-Loved School Uniform Appeal

We are looking for donations of good-quality, re-saleable school uniform items. If you have any uniform that your child has outgrown and is still in good condition, we would be very grateful to receive it. Please send any donations into school by **Friday 26th June**.



The donated uniform will be available to purchase after our Parent Welcome Meeting on **Monday 29th June** and afterwards for current parents. A suggested donation of **50p per item** will apply. Please see our poster below.

Thank you for your support!

GARDENING CLUB - Plant Donations

The Gardening Club would be very grateful for donations of plants to help brighten our Sheep Garden, hanging baskets, and flower beds. If you have any spare plants, cuttings, or seedlings that you would be willing to donate, they would be greatly appreciated. For further information or any queries, please contact Mrs Chester or the office. Thank you for your support.



****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 22nd JUNE

MONDAY 22 nd JUNE	• FOREST SCHOOL – RECEPTION & YEAR 6 • CREATIVE CLUB – LUNCHTIME • SCHOOL COUNCIL CLUB - LUNCHTIME • MALBOROUGH EXPLORERS NETBALL CLUB 3.30 – 4.30PM
TUESDAY 23 rd JUNE	• ACHIEVE 4 ALL – PE • LEGO CLUB – LUNCHTIME • SEND COFFEE AFTERNOON @ LODDISWELL PRIMARY SCHOOL 2:00 – 3:00pm
WEDNESDAY 24 th JUNE	• Y6 RESIDENTIAL • ECO & GARDENING CLUB – LUNCHTIME • MALBOROUGH EXPLORERS BIKE, SCOOT & SKATE 3.30 – 4.30PM
THURSDAY 25 th JUNE	• MALBOROUGH EXPLORERS ART & CRAFTS 3.30 – 4.30PM • SEND PARENTS EVENING AT KCC 5:30PM
FRIDAY 26 th JUNE	• SCHOOL OF ROCK • Y6 RETURN FROM RESIDENTIAL

SWIMMING DAYS W/C 22ND JUNE



RECEPTION	TUESDAY & FRIDAY
CLASS 2 (Year 1 and Year 2)	TUESDAY & FRIDAY
CLASS 3 (Year 3 and Year 4)	THURSDAY
CLASS 4 (Year 5 and Year 6)	TUESDAY

Please ensure your child brings their Swimming Kit including, swimming costume/trunks, and towel in a labelled bag on their swimming days.



Reception: Jake



Year 1: Stanley



Year 2: Joel



Year 3: Bertie



Year 4: Everyone!



Year 5: Ria



Year 6: Eryn



The Attendance Cup this week has been awarded to: **YEAR 3!**



The House with the most house points this week is **St. ANDREWS** with **144** 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
Tuesday 23 rd June	All	SEND Coffee Afternoon @ Loddiswell Primary School 2:00 – 3:00pm
24 th – 26 th June	Year 6	Residential Visit
Thursday 25 th June	Reception	Pirate Day 
Monday 29 th June	All	Second Hand Uniform Shop from 3:00pm 
Wednesday 1 st July	All	Sports Day at 1.45pm
Thursday 2 nd July	Year 6	Induction Day
Thursday 2 nd July	Class 3	Day Visit
Saturday 4 th July	All	Malborough Village Fete 12.30pm Maypole dancing
Friday 17 th July	Year 6	Year 6 Leavers' Service in church at 9.15am
Friday 17 th July 2026	All	BREAK-UP FOR THE SUMMER HOLIDAY 

SCHOOL CLUBS					
DAY	CLUB	TEACHER	CAPACITY	KEY STAGE	TIME
MONDAY	CREATIVE	MRS MILLER	15	KS2	12.00-12.30pm
MONDAY	SCHOOL COUNCIL	MRS MARTIN-JONES	15	KS2	12.00-12.30pm
MONDAY	NETBALL CLUB	MALBOROUGH EXPLORERS	<i>*Please note there is a charge for attending Games club. Please book using link below</i>	ALL	3.30-4.30pm
TUESDAY	LEGO	MRS GOODLASS MRS ACTON	15	KS2	12.00-12.30pm
WEDNESDAY	ECO & GARDENING	MRS CHESTER	15	KS1	12.30-1.00pm
WEDNESDAY	BIKE, SCOOT & SKATE	MALBOROUGH EXPLORERS	<i>*Please note there is a charge for attending Bike, scooter & skate club. Please book using the below</i>	ALL	3.30-4.30pm
THURSDAY	ART & CRAFTS	MALBOROUGH EXPLORERS	<i>*Please note there is a charge for attending Art & craft club. Please book using link below</i>	ALL	3.30-4.30pm
FRIDAY	SCHOOL OF ROCK	NICK HAGAN	Should you wish to book a place for your child to attend, please contact Nick Hagan on 07780 685782. *Please note that there is a charge for attending the 'School of Rock' after-school club. See poster below	Y4 - Y6	3.30-4.30pm
Please sign up for school clubs on MCAS					
To book Malborough Explorers Clubs, please click on link below: https://eequ.org/book/malborough-explorers-wraparound-care-with-stokenham-explorers-20736					

SEND COFFEE AFTERNOON - All parents and carers welcome

The next coffee afternoon will be a whole federation event based at **Loddiswell Primary school** on **Tuesday 23rd June 2:00 – 3:00pm**. We are excited to have Linda Willmott, who previously worked for the Devon Social, Emotional, Mental Health team, joining us to share information on: supporting children with worries, anxiety, emotional regulation and emotional based school avoidance. This will be a really informative session with opportunities to ask questions. We hope to see lots of you there!



MALBOROUGH EXPLORERS

We've had a fantastic week playing netball, creating animal decorations playing games! It's been great to welcome even more new faces to our breakfast and after school club.



Our summer holiday club which is open to children aged 2-11 will be running at **Stokenham Primary school** during the first and last week of the summer holidays. See below for more information.

To book, please go to: <https://eequ.org/book/malborough-explorers-wraparound-care-with-stokenham-explorers-20736>

NETBALL CLUB
Netball for all ages

Starts:
Monday June 1st

3:30pm-4:30pm

£5

Wear:
sports clothes and trainers

No experience needed!

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

STOKENHAM EXPLORERS' SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUB

8AM-4PM

WEDNESDAY 22ND & THURSDAY 23RD JULY
TUESDAY 1ST, WEDNESDAY 2ND & THURSDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER

FOR CHILDREN AGED 2-11 YEARS OLD

£35 FOR THE FIRST CHILD
£30 FOR THE SECOND CHILD

INCLUDES BREAKFAST AND A LIGHT TEA

WATER FUN **SPORTS** **ARTS & CRAFTS** **AND MUCH MORE!**

ADVENTURE, FUN & FRIENDS ALL SUMMER LONG!

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 Thank you!

MALBOROUGH PARISH CHURCH

Don't forget our meeting after the service on Sunday. It is important to have these get togethers so we can bring forward any items that may be bothering us and also to arrange future events.



Sunday 28th June service will be later than usual - it will be 11.30am and this will be followed by a lunch to celebrate Debbie having been ordained as Deacon at the Cathedral the day before. There is a list at the back of the church if you are able to donate food. This must be finger food please.

Services this week:

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| • Sunday 21 st June | 10.00am. | Malborough Eucharist (Fr Harry) |
| • Wednesday 24 th June | 10.00am. | Malborough Eucharist (Revd John) |
| • Sunday 28 th June | 11.30am. | Malborough All Parish |

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> or have a look at their brochure [Chireikai Karate Brochure](#)

Second-Hand School Uniform Shop

Minimum donation
of 50p per item!



**Monday 29th June 3pm
onwards in the school
playground**






Horizons sessions:
Fridays 5th, 12th, 19th & 26th June
4.30pm to 6pm @ Horizons,
110 Fore St, Kingsbridge, TQ7 1AW.

YEAR 6
EXCLUSIVE!

TRANSITION YOUTH CLUB SESSIONS

PLUS Youth for Christ session Tues 14th July @ The Lounge,
Kingsbridge Family Church 6 - 7pm

All sessions are free, inclusive
and supportive for all
julie.hinder@familyadviceupportteam.org.uk





HAF HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

EASTER HOLIDAYS

QUAYSIDE LEISURE CENTRE
KINGSBRIDGE

Friday 7th - Friday 28th
August 2026

8:30am - 1pm

AGES 5 - 12
INCLUDES A HOT LUNCH
MULTI-ACTIVITY HOLIDAY CAMP

HAF Holiday programme for free school meal eligible children.

<https://eequ.org/book/kingsbridge-multi-activity-camp-with-sporty-stars-24952>

LEISURE CENTRE

SUMMER CAMP

7TH AUGUST - 28TH AUGUST

**NERF WARS | GLOW SPORTS | INFLATABLES | SWIMMING |
MULTI-SPORTS | ARTS & CRAFTS | AND MORE!**

KINGSBRIDGE LEISURE CENTRE
8:30AM - 5:15PM
MAIN CAMP : AGES 5 - 12

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ARGYLE
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ARGYLE SUMMER FOOTBALL CAMPS

SOUTH DEVON 2026

9.30am - 3.30pm | boys & girls all abilities aged 6 - 14 | £15



PAIGNTON ACADEMY

JULY 29TH

AUGUST 5TH, 12TH, 19TH, 26TH

KINGSBRIDGE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

JULY 30TH

AUGUST 6TH, 13TH, 20TH, 27TH

KEVICC, TOTNES

JULY 31ST

AUGUST 7TH, 14TH, 21ST, 28TH

For more info email
Ben.Thompson@pafc.co.uk

**BOOK
NOW!**



MALBOROUGH VILLAGE FÊTE

Saturday 4th July
Malborough Village Hall
12PM - 4PM

CRAFT STALLS

- RAFFLE** Raffle
- BBQ & Bar**
- Cake Stall**
- Plant Sale**
- Wheel of Fortune**
- Cream Teas**
- Games**
- Ice Cream**