



Year 2 Visited the Energy from Waste Centre

Marine Academy Primary and Nursery Newsletter June 2017

FORTHCOMING EVENTS...

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Dear Parents/Carers of Marine Academy Primary and Nursery pupils,
Thank you very much for the fantastic donations that you gave for Oxfam's Dressed by the Kids Day! We received over £270.00 and lots of bags of clothes!

On Thursday, children found out who their teachers were for the next academic year. All of the teachers are very excited to welcome their new classes and children will get to know their teachers and Teaching Assistants more during Monday's Transition Afternoon.

This Newsletter has the dates for the rest of this Summer Term – please look at them carefully and any additional information for events will be sent home on letters closer to the date. Please note that the Dates for Your Diary also continue onto the other side of this Newsletter. We hope to see you at lots of the upcoming events soon!

Yours sincerely,
Mrs. Siobhan Meredith

EXTREME READING!



Throughout the rest of this Summer Term, it would be brilliant if you could encourage your children to read in strange locations!

These can be absolutely anywhere but somewhere where they would not normally read. Please then take a photo and email it to homelearning@marineacademy.org.uk by Monday 17th July. We will use these photos of Extreme Reading to update our Library display and the most extreme photos will receive a prize and certificate! Entries from all age groups are invited please! We cannot wait to see the Extreme Reading that children from Nursery to Year 5 have been doing!

Dates for Your Diary...

- 3rd July: Transition Afternoon
- 5th July to 7th July: Year 5 Residential
- 6th July: Year 3 to take part in the Big Sing Festival at MAP
- 7th July: Debbie from St Budeaux to visit Class NJW
- 10th July: Class 3SM to go Rock Climbing at Hound Tor
- 10th July: Reception Trip to Dartmoor Offers and Buckfast Butterflies
- 11th July: Class 3IC to go Rock Climbing at Hound Tor
- 12th July: Fire Engine to visit Class NJW
- 12th July: Key Stage 2 Sports Afternoon
- 13th July: Key Stage 1 Sports Afternoon
- 14th July: Year 2 Swimming Lessons end
- 14th July: Nursery and Reception Sports Afternoon
- 14th July: Extra-Curricular Activities end
- Week Beginning 17th July: Arts Week
- 17th July: Whole School to watch 'Oliver Twist' Theatre Production in the Hall
- 19th July at 9:15am: Key Stage 2 Summer Musical
- 19th July: 30 children from Year 4 and 5 to go to the Theatre Royal to watch 'Gangsta Granny'
- 19th July: Annual Reports go home
- 20th July at 2:15pm: Key Stage 2 Summer Musical
- 20th July at 3:00pm: Parents/Carers invited to see Arts Week Learning and Children's Books
- 21st July at 9:15am: Nursery Graduation and Reception Assembly
- 21st July: End of Term 6





Another Award!

We are very excited to share with you that we have recently been awarded the Good Diabetes Care in School Award! This is an award given to schools across the UK who are caring for children with Type 1 diabetes brilliantly. The Award recognises that we are making sure children and young people with Type 1 diabetes get the most out of their time at school.

Term Dates 2017/18...

Term 1

First day of school:
Monday 4th September 2017
Last day of school:
Thursday 19th October 2017

Term 2

First day of school:
Tuesday 31st October 2017
Last day of school:
Tuesday 19th December 2017

Term 3

First day of school:
Thursday 4th January 2018
Last day of school:
Friday 9th February 2018

Term 4

First day of school:
Tuesday 20th February 2018
Last day of school:
Thursday 29th March 2018

Term 5

First day of school:
Monday 16th April 2018
Bank Holiday:
Monday 7th May 2018
Last day of school:
Friday 25th May 2018

Term 6

First day of school:
Tuesday 5th June 2018
Last day of school:
Tuesday 24th July 2018



Trip to London

On Friday 9th June, children from across the Academy visited the Houses of Parliament in London and even went on the London Eye. The children had an amazing time and there will be the opportunity for another 10 children from Years 2 to 6 to visit on Friday 8th September! The children who will be chosen to go will be competition winners! Watch this space as the competition will be revealed shortly!



Members of Staff Leaving

At the end of the Summer Term, we will be saying goodbye to a few members of the Marine Academy Primary staffing team, these include: Miss Barker who is relocating to Surrey, Miss Beamont who is going to Australia, Miss Warbuton who is now a qualified teacher is going to teach at another school and Miss Legge and Mr Bird are leaving us to go to University!

Shortly you will receive a letter outlining our staff structure for Marine Academy Nursery and Marine Academy Primary next year. We will also share with you which classroom will be your child's and where you will drop them off and collect them from September.

PE Kit

For PE, children are to wear only black shorts or tracksuit bottoms please with their Academy sports polo shirt and plimsolls or trainers of any colour with white socks please.

It would be brilliant if you could ensure that your child has their PE kit in school every day please, as when the weather is lovely PE lessons may be moved around to allow children the opportunity to do it outside. Marine Academy Primary PE shorts are now available to buy from the Primary Reception Desk if we have them in stock or to order on the Brigade website.



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SHARE RESPONSIBLY
We all love to share photographs, fun things we're doing and much more.
Be careful what you share and always ask permission if somebody else is in the photo or video.

MANAGE your PRIVACY
If you're using apps that can communicate with others, turn on privacy.
Only let people you really know follow you unless you've asked permission from your parents.

ASK for HELP
Don't ever be worried about asking for help from someone you trust.
You will NOT be judged.

RESPECT OTHERS
Be kind.
Other people may have different opinions from you.
That's okay, but if they become abusive, take screenshots, block and report and tell an adult.

THINK CRITICALLY
TRUST your INSTINCT
Is it true? Does that person really know me? Has that really happened?
Always question!

eSafety
This image provides some great advice for e-Safety for you to share with your children. We spend a lot of time during Computing lessons teaching children how to stay safe online. You can find more advice by following this link:
http://www.esafety-adviser.com/esafety-posters/?mc_cid=d4de9fe0d3&mc_eid=853dc8f19f

