



MARAZION SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

24th April 2020

Headteacher: Miss Jenny Rainbow

Telephone: 01736 710618

School mobile: 07572 495370



Email: head@marazion.cornwall.sch.uk;

esmith@marazion.cornwall.sch.uk; soliver@marazion.cornwall.sch.uk

Website: www.marazion.cornwall.sch.uk Blog: <https://blog.seesaw.me/marazion>

Twitter: [@SchoolMarazion](https://twitter.com/SchoolMarazion) Instagram: [#marazionschool](https://www.instagram.com/marazionschool)

“She stood in the storm and when the wind did not blow her way, she adjusted her sails.”

— Elizabeth Edwards

Dear Parents,

Attached electronically to this newsletter is information from Derek Laity, Town Mayor, about how our local community is standing together. People are helping each other in many different ways and making a difference - including taking calls, picking up and delivering food, collecting and delivering medicines, talking on the phone and lots of other things. As Derek says, this is keeping the community together, if not in person, definitely in spirit - looking after each other as well as taking care and staying safe. **What a wonderful community!**

Staying in Touch

Marazion School has now mostly moved to email contact only. However, the School Office can be contacted between 9am-3pm on Mondays - 01736 710618. Class teachers, Headteacher and Edna Smith are available 9am-3pm Monday to Friday. Sara Oliver is available 9am-3pm Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Please note that you can email us at any time but usually replies will be between 9am-3pm. Please note for any urgent enquiries, if you are unable to contact us, you can call the Multi Agency Referral Unit (MARU) on 0300 1231 116 or email multiagencyreferralunit@cornwall.gov.uk for advice. Mrs Fox will be available to call on the school mobile 9am-12pm Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays if you would like a chat. Mrs Fox may also surprise you with a call. **Emails for HT, AHT and Edna are at the top of this newsletter along with the school mobile number. Please note that all our contact details are also on the school website.**

Food Parcels / Learning Supplies

Food parcels will be delivered on Monday 27th April. Please let Edna know (by email) if you need any more learning supplies or if you wish to receive any paper copies in the post. Thanks.

Rainbow Ideas

Please find attached electronically the next set of 'Rainbow Ideas' for w/c 27th April - these offer optional activities (from Miss Rainbow) - children can do 1, a couple, all of them! Miss Rainbow will be doing them as well.

Super Yummy Kitchen

Chartwells have a great new You Tube Channel 'The Super Yummy Kitchen' where you can cook along with their chef's Andrew Walker and Allegra McEvedy on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. To get cooking follow this link <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCyu3g1IGSmMJAqGQGOJr7MA>



Help generate funds for the school by doing your shopping through 'The Giving Machine'

- register today at <http://www.thegivingmachine.co.uk/>



Staying Safe - #YouAreNotAlone

Staying at home shouldn't mean you are at risk so please make sure that you get support if you need it to stay safe in your own home - the support is still there and you need to use it. If you or someone you know is suffering from Domestic Abuse, isolation rules do not apply. Police response & support services remain available. You can find more information, helplines and support at gov.uk/domestic-abuse or call 999 if you are in immediate danger.

A reminder about Online Safety

As your children may now be working online more of the time, it is important to ensure that online safety is a priority. Please make sure that you and your child are aware of the following organisations: [Childline](#) - for support; [UK Safer Internet Centre](#) - to report and remove harmful online content; [CEOP](#) - for advice on making a report about online abuse.

Make sure that you are also aware of what your child/children are being asked to do online, including the sites they will have to access and who from Marazion School your child/children are going to be interacting with online. If you choose to access support from online companies and/or individual tutors as well, please make sure that your other online support is from a reputable organisation /individual who can provide evidence that they are safe and can be trusted to have access to children. The following organisations offer support to parents about keeping their children safe online:

- [London Grid for Learning](#) - for support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online
- [Internet matters](#) - for support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online
- [Net-aware](#) - for support for parents and careers from the NSPCC
- [Parent info](#) - for support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online
- [Thinkuknow](#) - for advice from the National Crime Agency to stay safe online
- [UK Safer Internet Centre](#) - advice for parents and carers.

The guidance below also outlines resources to help keep children safe from different risks online and where to go to receive support and advice:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-keeping-children-safe-online/coronavirus-covid-19-support-for-parents-and-carers-to-keep-children-safe-online>

If you have any other queries about working online with your child, please contact either Miss Rainbow or Miss Oliver.

Coronavirus Update

A reminder that updates from Public Health England regarding Covid-19 advice for schools and educational settings in the South West is available at <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-educational-settings-about-covid-19/guidance-to-educational-settings-about-covid-19>

Coronavirus Information Book

A free information book explaining the coronavirus to children has been released, illustrated by *Gruffalo* illustrator Axel Scheffler. Please follow the link below for more information and to download the book: <https://nosycrow.com/blog/released-today-free-information-book-explaining-coronavirus-children-illustrated-gruffalo-illustrator-axel-scheffler/>

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to *Betty* who celebrated her birthday this week. Many Happy Returns ☺

Dates for the Diary w/c 27th April 2020

w/c Monday 27th April: Marazion School open for reduced provision – **please note the advice remains that every child who can be safely cared for from home should be**

Monday 27th April: Pupil premium food parcels delivered



Help generate funds for the school by doing your shopping through 'The Giving Machine'
- register today at <http://www.thegivingmachine.co.uk/>

