



Modbury Primary School Newsletter  
Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2024  
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Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had a busy week in School with two residentials and a Chess Tournament at Stokenham at which Modbury proudly claimed first place!

This week Year 6 enjoyed a History talk from a local historian. They will be working on a project studying the impact of war in the local area and will be accessing local archives to support this learning.

Next week we have ...Tuesday: Sound Meditation for Reception Year 3,4,5 and 6 while Year 1 & 2 are going on a trip to National Marine Aquarium. Thursday: Sports Day starting at 9:30am until approximately 12pm - hopefully the sun will shine for us.

Please check out our [School Calendar](#)

Thank you so much to all Parents who provided all the forms/ParentPay consents required for these trips/events it is much appreciated.

### Year 6 - Farewell to Miss Pears

Sadly Miss Pears will be leaving at the end of this academic year to pursue her dream of teaching in Australia! We will all miss her greatly but we wish her luck and look forward to hearing about her adventures down under!

A new Year 6 teacher (Mrs Robinson) has been appointed and details of the staffing structure for next year will soon be released. Mrs Robinson is an experienced teacher who comes with a range of teaching experiences and we look forward to welcoming her to our team. We are planning transition sessions for all pupils and Mrs Robinson will be present for one of these so that our Year 5 children can meet their new teacher.

### The Railway Children - Performance by M&M Productions - PLEASE CONFIRM ON PARENTPAY ASAP!!

The above performance has been booked for Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July for all the School children to attend. We would really appreciate a voluntary contribution towards this event. Without these contributions, future

bookings will not be able to go ahead. Please check out ParentPay to consent & contribute. Thank you so much for supporting the event.

### Chess Tournament at Stokenham Primary School

On Wednesday, the Modbury junior grandmasters travelled to Stokenham for a federation tournament. It was fun and exciting to experience chess in a more competitive setting. Our team performed bravely with great success and were great representatives for our school. All our players won at least one game, with Ted Weston and Hailun achieving top spots by claiming 4 wins out of 4. Well done, everyone.



### Year 4 Sleeping with the Tigers at Dartmoor Zoo

On Wednesday our Year 4 children travelled to Dartmoor Zoo to sleep with the tigers! On arrival they were given a tour of the zoo and then after lunch they took part in workshops about animal behaviour and research and endangered animals and the role of the zoo. After a wonderful BBQ the children went off on a treasure hunt around the zoo. This was followed by a delicious hot chocolate and marshmallow break. Everyone especially enjoyed their excursion around the zoo after dark where we saw all the big cats and some of the shyer animals.  
Photos to follow.

### School Clubs

These clubs are available on ParentPay for you to book your child onto. If they are full, please email the School Office to be put on a waiting list.

Name	Date and Time	Available to
Art Club with Miss George	Fridays at 12:30pm	Years 3, 4, 5 & 6
Aquasports with Mr Sands and Mrs Khong	Wednesdays after school starts after next half term till 3/7/24	Year 3 & 4
Gardening Club with Mrs Bruce	Friday lunchtime	Years 3, 4, 5 & 6



## TT Rockstars

The following mathematicians have the highest number of correct answers.

Year 2 - Buster, Ollie, Nia

Year 3 - Jack, Juliet

Year 4 - Arlo, Jack, Tristan

Year 5 - Thea, Amy



## Numbots

The following mathematicians have the highest accuracy over the last 7 days.

Reception - Toby F, Rosie

Year 1 - William

Year 2 - Buster

Year 3 Jack

Year 4 Martha, Ella

## Reading Stars

Our current word millionaires are:

Evalyn, Hailun, Freyja

This week's top readers...

Year 2 - Theo, Jasper, Wren

Year 3 - Jack, Nathan, Martha

Year 4 - Tristan, Martha, Seb

Year 5 - Luke, Aaron, Marley

Year 6 - Hailun, Evalyn, Poppy



Reception	Olivia
Year 1	Bo
Year 2	Stanley
Year 3	Rose
Year 4	Alli
Year 5	Joel
Year 6	Daisy-Lou



Louise Nicholls  
Head of School



Mrs T Coulthard  
Executive Head Teacher

## Community News & Externally Provided Clubs Information

### **Modbury School's Out: Summer Holiday Club 2024.**

22<sup>nd</sup> July - 29<sup>th</sup> August - not including Bank Holidays.

Monday to Thursdays (No Fridays)

9am - 3pm

3-11 years old welcome.

£25.15/day

Fun and safe indoor and outdoor activities, with fully qualified and experienced childcare staff.  
Only a few spaces left on the following dates:

#### **July:**

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup>, Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup>,

Monday 29<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup>

#### **August:**

Monday 5<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup>.

Monday 12<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup>, Thursday 15<sup>th</sup>. (Forest School Week)

Monday 19<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup>, Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> (Kingsbridge Cinema visit\*).

A waiting list is in operation for other dates.

\*An additional charge for this activity.

### **Kidslingo - Spanish Classes Tuesday lunch time**

12:00 - 12:30pm for **EYFS & KS1**

12:30 - 1:00pm for **KS2**

Please see link below to book: <https://www.kidslingo.co.uk/area/french-classes-plymouth-2/>

**Achieve4all – Wednesday after school club – Club cancelled may resume on a different day in September.**

**Plymouth Argyle Community Trust – Wednesday after school club**

Please click on the below link to book on this club for next term from 05/06/2024 - 10/07/2024

<https://officialsoccerschools.co.uk/argyle/https-officialsoccerschools-co-uk-argyle-pl-modbury-after-school-club-html-6.html>



PLYMOUTH ARGYLE ACADEMY

# OPEN SESSIONS

## UNDER 6 & 7 (SCHOOL YEAR 1 & 2)

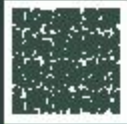
### PLYMOUTH

**Date** Friday, 21 June 2024

**Venue** Marjon Sports Centre,  
3G Astro Turf

**Capacity** 100 spaces

**Time** 5.30-7.00pm



**NEW DATE ADDED!**

### SOUTH DEVON

**Date** Friday, 5 July 2024

**Venue** Devon County FA,  
3G Astro Turf

**Capacity** 70 spaces

**Time** 5.30-7.00pm



### EAST CORNWALL

**Date** Friday, 12 July 2024

**Venue** Brannel School,  
3G Astro Turf

**Capacity** 60 spaces

**Time** 5.30-7.00pm



### PENRYN

**Date** Tuesday, 16 July 2024

**Venue** Penryn College,  
3G Astro Turf

**Capacity** 60 spaces

**Time** 5.30-7.00pm



### OKEHAMPTON

**Date** Thursday, 18 July 2024

**Venue** Ashbury Golf Hotel,  
3G Astro Turf

**Capacity** 60 spaces

**Time** 6.00-7.30pm

