## Marwood Newsletter

## **Dear Parent**

I hope you and your family are keeping safe and well. Staff, governors and I are working to keep the school running for the children of Key Workers and to send learning activities home.

Staff and I really value the email contact from families – it is great to see what you have been doing. Staff are not able to 'mark' work children have done, but are happy to give comments and praise.

There is no definite news on schools reopening and like you I am waiting for national guidance. Head teachers and staff in Devon have raised the issue with government that reopening must be safe for all.

I also realise that the school newsletters are nothing like they used to be. Sophie Lerwill (MSA Chair) has kindly offered to help make them more interesting. What would people like to see in the newsletter? Please email you ideas to the office <a href="mailto:admin@marwood.devon.sch.uk">admin@marwood.devon.sch.uk</a> and I will pass them on.

Bank holiday opening. Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May and Monday 26<sup>th</sup> May (and half term week) If a Key Worker family need us for childcare Marwood School will be open 8:00am to 5:30pm on these days. Please email <a href="mailto:admin@marwood.devon.sch.uk">admin@marwood.devon.sch.uk</a> to allow staff to volunteer for the rota if needed.

For Key Worker children coming to school next week Mrs Rowe is cooking.

Monday	
Beef burgers / Quorn Burgers	
Tuesday	
Pizza	
Wednesday	
Roast Pork / Veggie Roast	
Thursday	
Carbonara	
Friday	

No hot meal as Mrs Rowe is having a deserved bank holiday rest. She has worked in school every day and we all really appreciate her commitment to giving the children (and staff) a great meal. If a child needs to come in on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> they must bring a packed lunch.

I hope everyone keeps safe and well.

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