

Marwood Primary School Newsletter

17/06/2022

Dear Parent / Carer

Marwood School Sports Day 1:15pm Tuesday 21st June

Parents are invited to join us on the field to watch and encourage the children taking part. The first part is all children in 8 mixed age teams (siblings in the same team) taking part in sporting activities run by ex Marwood pupils who are now at secondary school. Parents are invited to follow their team and encourage them. This will be followed by traditional running races.

Parents are invited to park on the lower part of the field. Please note that we hope to go ahead even if the weather is not perfect.

Note there will be no Cricket and Rounders Club after school on Tuesday

Whole School Trip Wednesday 22nd June to Milky Way Adventure Park – With transport costs funded by Fullabrook Community Interest Company

The children and staff are looking forward to this exciting chance to enjoy a day out as a school. Please note that we are not expected to return to school until 4:00pm on the day. On behalf of the School Council I am very grateful to the Fullabrook CiC for their grant towards the substantial transport cost of this trip.

Marwood Choir will be singing as part of Braunton Learning Cooperative Trust's performance at the Landmark Theatre, Ilfracombe 12th July. The first rehearsal took place at Marwood on Tuesday – the next rehearsal is likely to be 28th June everyone is looking forward to performing.

Details of how to book to see the performance can be found here.

<https://www.landmark-ilfracombe.com/event/blc-junior-music-festival-together/>










Support at Meal Times – The children are really enjoying having some new faces at lunchtimes. Any offers of help on a Wednesday or Friday would be much appreciated. Please contact the school office. admin@marwood.devon.sch.uk

Whole School Photo – details have been sent of how to order a copy. This photo is copy write of the photographer and must not be posted on the web or social media.

The Marwood School Association have planned the family camping night on the school field for 8th July, details have been sent.

Kind regards

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Save the date:

Tuesday 21st June 1:15pm – Sports Day

Wednesday 22nd June – Whole School to Milky Way return at 4:00pm

Tuesday 5th July 2:00pm Open Afternoon

Friday 8th July – Family Camping on Field

After School Clubs Summer 2022 3:00 – 4:00 pm		
Monday	Tuesday	Friday
Devonshire Tennis Academy KS1 and KS2 3:00 – 4:00pm	Cricket and Rounders Postponed due to Sports Day	Karate North Devon Karate – Will Homa KS1 and KS2 3:00 – 4:00pm

Marwood Menu

Please talk through the menu in the morning to help your child make their choice.

School week beginning Monday 20/06/2022					
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
OPTION 1	Cheese and Tomato Pizza Potatoes, Sweetcorn / Peas	Pasta Carbonara with Bacon Seasonal Mixed Vegetables	Whole School Trip	Organic Beef Burger Potato Wedges Sweetcorn / Beans	Fish Fingers and Chips Peas
OPTION 2		Cheese Wheel Seasonal Mixed Vegetables		Plant Burger Potato Wedges Sweetcorn / Beans	Quorn Dippers and Chips Peas
OPTION 3	Jacket Potato Beans and Cheese	Jacket Potato Beans and Cheese	Whole School Trip	Jacket Potato Beans and Cheese	X

The Year 6 Leavers Hoodies have arrived. Huge thanks to Mrs Bilby for organising this. Children in year 6 can wear their leavers hoodie instead of a school jumper for the rest of the term if they wish.

Football and Pokemon cards – These cards can bring a great deal of enjoyment to children with high interest in negotiating skills, playing and reading. These cards are not cheap and children can become upset when a swap seems unfair or cards go missing. After the half-term break only children in Classes 3 and 4 may bring such cards to school on the understanding that they are responsible for them, know the value of the cards and can keep them safe in their bag.

Little Princess Trust

Over the last couple of year a number of children at Marwood have supported this charity.

Neve has been growing her hair for a while now, so that she could donate it to the Little Princess Trust, for them to make wigs for children who have lost their hair through Cancer and other illnesses.

It has reached quite a length now, she is able to sit on it! It measures nearly 70cm from her shoulder to the end which is to her mid-thigh.

She has coped very well with the length and how heavy it is. But she has decided it's time now to have it cut. She will be attempting to have approximately 41cm cut off as this is one of the highly sort after lengths. She is having her hair cut on Thursday 23rd June at 4pm. We are incredibly proud of her, as this was her idea to do this.

Please see the link below to Neve's Just Giving page.

Many thanks, very much appreciated.



Kind regards

Sam, Richard and Neve

https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/Neve-Hopkinson?utm_source=Sharethis&utm_medium=fundraising&utm_content=Neve-Hopkinson&utm_campaign=pfp-email&utm_term=44ac0d6bc359442099a9bb60cb920928

Stage Musical Performer

Zach from Class 4 is performing in Aladdin 16th to 18th June at the Landmark Theatre with the Centre Stage School he belongs to.

Details of the performance can be found here

<https://www.queenstheatre-barnstaple.com/event/centre-stage-school-showcase-disney-aladdin-jr/>



Required April - Meal Time Assistant(s) Wednesday / Thursday / Friday

Marwood School has opportunities for new Meal Time Assistants (MTAs). We are looking for caring people who can interact with the children and undertake the responsibility of supervising and ensuring the safety of the children at lunchtimes. The timing is one hour a day, 12:00 – 1:00. An extra half hour is also available to take on a Covid secure cleaning role 11:30-12:00.

Days available are Wednesday, Thursday Friday (One person could work 3 days or 3 people could work one day each; or other combinations.)

The main duties are:

- To assist with the well-being of pupils during lunchtime;
- To support the supervision of children during lunch and play, using your initiative to ensure caring quality provision is continuously made;
- To co-ordinate play for pupils;
- To clean down and pack away the tables and benches.

Experience of working with children is not essential, just the passion to help improve the life chances of children within a school environment whilst being prepared to work inside and outside (in all weathers.)

Marwood is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people, and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. A DBS disclosure is required for this post as is induction to the school's procedures.

To apply please contact the school office 01271 850395 or email admin@marwood.devon.sch.uk.

Devon School Term Dates: 2022-23 Academic Year														Please enter your school times below - ie when children should arrive and leave.			
School Name (s)		Marwood School												Infants			
DfE number (s)		878 2238												Start: 00:00			
Contact name		Alun Dobson												Finish: 00:00			
Date submitted														Junior			
		Sep-2022				Oct-2022				Nov-2022				Start: 00:00			
Monday		5	12	19	26	3	10	17	24	31		7	14	21	28	Finish: 00:00	
Tuesday		6	13	20	27	4	11	18	25		1	8	15	22	29		
Wednesday		7	14	21	28	5	12	19	26		2	9	16	23	30		
Thursday	N	8	15	22	29	6	13	20	27		3	10	17	24			
Friday	N	9	16	23	30	7	14	21	28		4	11	18	25	Primary		
Saturday	3	10	17	24	1	8	15	22	29		5	12	19	26	Start: 08:30		
Sunday	4	11	18	25	2	9	16	23	30		6	13	20	27	Finish: 15:00		
		Dec-2022				Jan-2023				Feb-2023				Secondary			
Monday		5	12	19	26	2	9	16	23	30		6	13	20	27	Start: 00:00	
Tuesday		6	13	20	27	N	10	17	24	31		7	14	21	28	Finish: 00:00	
Wednesday		7	14	21	28	4	11	18	25		1	8	15	22			
Thursday	1	8	15	22	29	5	12	19	26		2	9	16	23			
Friday	2	9	16	23	30	6	13	20	27		3	10	17	24			
Saturday	3	10	17	24	31	7	14	21	28		4	11	18	25			
Sunday	4	11	18	25	1	8	15	22	29	33		5	12	19	26		
		Mar-2023				Apr-2023				May-2023				The yellow Devon term time dates cover 197 school days. If using this, mark 7 dates for (5) non-pupil days and (2) occasional holidays with N This will leave 190 school days in the year.			
Monday		6	13	20	27	3	10	17	24	1	8	15	22			29	
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		Jun-2023				Jul-2023				Aug-2023							
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Sunday	4	11	18	25	2	9	16	23	30		6	13	20	27			
key:		days within Devon's school terms				days outside Devon's school terms				Bank Holidays and weekends							