

2ND FEBRUARY 2018



## DIARY

Tuesday 6th February	Taiko Drumming Workshop—Year 5's
Tuesday 6th February	Safer Internet Day
Wednesday 7th February	:Launch of Sponsored Reading Challenge
Friday 9th February	MSA Disco for children
Monday 12th—Friday 16th February	Half Term
Tuesday 20th February	Ilfracombe Trip—Class 1 and 2
Wednesday 28th February	Class 3 Residential Payment due
Friday 2nd March	Class 4 Residential Payment due



Kit Eckford  
Violet Hibberd

Happy birthday!

Dear Parents

### Reading Workshop packs

Emailed to parents with this newsletter are some of the materials used at the Reading Workshop on 25<sup>th</sup> Jan. I hope you find them useful.

**Online safety** – Safer Internet Day is Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February. I have talked with the children this week about the key ingredients for feeling good about themselves and staying happy online. We agreed on:

- Sharing things to cheer people up
- Making positive choices
- Knowing what to do and who to talk to if something goes wrong please talk to your children about this
- Taking regular breaks from the internet – parents can set timers.
- Checking with others before sharing something.

A very useful resource for parents can be found at:

[www.saferinternet.org.uk/advice-centre/parents-and-carers](http://www.saferinternet.org.uk/advice-centre/parents-and-carers) It includes: conversation starters, factsheets, family pledge card, fun things to do, quick activities and social media activities.

### School site in the morning

Before school the Trim Trail area is closed to children. Children must come onto the playground or remain on the path between the playground and the buildings.

### School Council

School Council have taken on the difficult task of helping to design the school meals menu for the summer term. They are going to be talking to the rest of the children about what they would like to eat each day. They are only allowed to have chips once a week at school! I am looking forward to their ideas and personally hope we can have a curry day again. School council are also requesting volunteers to help run an afterschool netball club.

**MSA** – Children brought information about the sponsored read home yesterday. This is a great opportunity to enjoy some quality reading time and raise funds to improve the supply of books at school. Please support your children and encourage sponsors.

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> Feb launch of the sponsored reading challenge

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> Feb MSA after school disco (3:00 – 4:30) and non-uniform day.

Alun Dobson  
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Spring Concert  
Tuesday 27th March  
7.00pm  
Community Hall

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## MENU FOR WEEK 3

<p>Monday</p> 	<p>Option 1</p> <p>Option 2</p> <p>Option 3</p> <p>Dessert</p>	<p>Mac 'n' Cheese with crusty bread &amp; mixed veg</p> <p>Tomato Tumble with crusty bread &amp; mixed veg</p> <p>Jacket Potato</p> <p>Fruit Crumble &amp; Custard</p>
<p>Tuesday</p> 	<p>Option 1</p> <p>Option 2</p> <p>Option 3</p> <p>Dessert</p>	<p>Sausage, Mash and Beans</p> <p>Quorn Sausages and Beans</p> <p>Jacket Potato</p> <p>Pancakes with Apple &amp; Toffee Sauce</p>
<p>Wednesday</p> 	<p>Option 1</p> <p>Option 2</p> <p>Option 3</p> <p>Dessert</p>	<p>Roast Chicken &amp; Stuffing</p> <p>Roasted Vegetable Pastry Puff</p> <p>Jacket Potato</p> <p>Fresh Fruit Platter</p>
<p>Thursday</p> 	<p>Option 1</p> <p>Option 2</p> <p>Option 3</p> <p>Dessert</p>	<p>Savoury Mince Pie</p> <p>Vegetable Curry</p> <p>Jacket Potato</p> <p>Sticky Toffee Pudding &amp; Custard</p>
<p>Friday</p> 	<p>Option 1</p> <p>Option 2</p> <p>Dessert</p>	<p>Harry Ramsden's Battered Fish</p> <p>Pizza Muffins</p> <p>Home made Custard Biscuit</p>



Jacket Potato, Yoghurt, Fresh Fruit Salad & Salad are available every day

Cost of a school meal is only £2.30, to pay for your child's meal go to:

<https://schoolgateway.com>

Or ask in the office for details



# CLUB NEWS



## Choir Club – Classes 3 and 4 Tuesday morning break

This club is only open to children in Classes 3 and 4 as the children are working towards being part of an operatic presentation at the Devon Music Mix near Exeter in the summer.



## Football Club will start again next every Tuesday 3:00 – 4:00pm

New Gymnastics Club starting next Thursday 3–4.30pm. Open to boys and girls. The children will be working towards taking part in the ND Schools Championship representing Marwood at the end of March. Any child interested in attending this club must be accompanied by an adult. The club is free and tea/squash will be provided.

Any more information needed then please see Nicky Cruden-Shepherd, Nic Blackmore or Jeanette Roome.



## NETBALL CLUB!

Class 3 & 4 would love to start a netball club but we desperately need some parents to help run it. If you have some spare time on a Monday after school and love netball, we would really appreciate it if you can help run the club. If you are interested please contact Mr Dobson.

Thank you very much!

Annalise Roome—School Council

## Local events

### Muddiford Inn Bake Off

Saturday 3rd February 2:00pm

Categories for entry—Under 15, Sweet, Savoury and Showstopper.

Call 01271 850243 or email [themuddifordinn@gmail.com](mailto:themuddifordinn@gmail.com) for info

# MSA PAGE



## MSA BLACK & WHITE DISCO FRIDAY 9TH FEBRUARY

D J Lee is back by popular demand!!

3pm—4.30pm

Tickets £3.50

There will be prizes for the best dancers and the best dressed black and white costume!

Don't forget to wear you own clothes to school for the day!

### SAVE THE DATE

9th February—MSA Disco

29th March - Cookie Day and Easter celebration

15th June 2018 - Big Sheep Night



# BEAVERS

1<sup>st</sup> Marwood Beavers are recruiting!

If you are 5¾ to 8 years old you can join!!

We meet every Thursday in term time in Marwood Community Hall at 5 pm to 6 pm

We have a lot of fun, do cool stuff, go on trips play Games and have great time.

# BEAVERS

Don't miss out on the fun & excitement!!

## North Devon Sinfonia Concert

Saturday 3rd February 2018  
7.30pm, Queen's Theatre, Barnstaple



Arirang Fantasy - CHOI SUNGHWAN  
Violin Concerto - BEETHOVEN  
Symphonie Fantastique - BERLIOZ

Violin: Emily Sun  
Conductor: Emma Kent  
Leader: Daniel Kent



Tickets: £15  
Box Office: 01271 316063  
[www.thequeenstheatre.co.uk](http://www.thequeenstheatre.co.uk)



### FOR SALE (due to down sizing)

Hardly used IKEA Chair Guest Bed—  
Excellent Condition with mattress  
£30.00 o.n.o. Great for Sleepovers!



Single Divan Bed—£10 Good Condi-  
tion

Desk—£10.00

New Bread Maker £10.00

Please see Sue in the office for fur-  
ther information.

## For Sale. Bike Pink Huffy Girls 7-9yrs approx.

### £35



10% donation to MSA if sold. Contact Sharon 07923685416