

8TH DECEMBER 2017

DIARY

Tuesday 12th December	School Christmas Meal
Wednesday 13th December	KS2 Performance— 1.30pm
Thursday 14th December	Pantomime at Queens Theatre
Friday 15th December	Break up for Christmas
Wednesday 3rd January	Term begins



Christmas Card Competition

It's that time again for Mrs East's annual Christmas Card Competition to take place. The last newsletter before Christmas will be a Christmas Card. There will be a prize for the KS1 and KS2 winners. The winning cards will then be used as the newsletter. Please design a card that can be scanned/copied easily (no cotton wool etc.). It needs to be on a piece of A5 paper. Entries need to be handed into the office by Monday 11th December.

Mrs East

Dear Parents

It is starting to feel a lot like Christmas!

Yesterday Mrs Rowe cooked a meal for 21 senior citizens who greatly enjoyed their meal and were entertained by musicians from the school.

On Tuesday Mrs Rowe and Sam are cooking our school Christmas meal. There is a meal available for every child and everyone will get a Christmas cracker. For children in Classes 3 and 4 payment of £2:30 can be made on School Gateway, or at the school office.

On Wednesday 13th Children in Classes 3 and 4 are performing The Christmas Carol – Please come along and enjoy their show at 1:45 pm in the hall.

The children in Classes 1 and 2 will see the dress rehearsal.

Thursday is the whole school trip to the Queen's Theatre Pantomime. Please note this trip is taking place during the school day. Children are being taken to and from the theatre by coach and parents can collect them at the usual time of 3:00pm from school.

Friday 15th December school finishes at 3:00pm

Wednesday 3rd January 8:30am school starts again for children.

MSA – A huge thank you to the MSA and all the volunteers who helped make last Friday's fair such a success we raised a massive £1143.60!

The Royal British Legion Remembrance Poppy collection at school raised £181.10 – thank you everyone.

The committee needs new officers to run as a registered charity. There are posters up around the school. Please consider whether you could assist.

Traffic – Drivers please take extra care in the lanes around school and look out for pedestrians as the light is poor at the beginning and end of the day.

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Lost

George Bentley has lost several Marwood School jumpers/fleeces all of which are labelled George B. Please could you check to make sure that your child has not picked one up by mistake. Thankyou.

MENU FOR NEXT WEEK

Monday 	Option 1 Option 2 Option 3 Dessert	Mac 'n' Cheese with crusty bread & mixed veg Tomato Tumble with crusty bread & mixed veg Jacket Potato Flap jack
Tuesday 	Option 1 Option 2 Dessert	School Christmas Meal Veggie Roast—Linda McCartney's Celebration Roast Ice Cream Pots
Wednesday 	Option 1 Option 2 Option 3 Dessert	Sausage, Mash and Beans Quorn Sausages & Beans Jacket Potato Pancakes with Apple & Toffee Sauce
Thursday 	Option 1 Option 2 Dessert	Fish & Chips in a bag Cheese & Onion Pasty in a bag Biscuit
Friday 	Option 1 Option 2 Option 3 Dessert	Pasta Carbonara and Crusty Bread Quorn Burger Jacket Potato Custard Biscuits

NO CLUBS THIS WEEK.

Football Club starts again on Tuesday 16th January 2018!

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



Class 1 & 2—Prickly Hay



Senior Citizen's Christmas Meals



Transition Choir—Will Richardson

On Wednesday 6th December Transition choir at St. Brannocks church.

The children were year 5 to 6 the schools singing were marwood, Southmead, Kingslater and the north devon schools. There were one other school Braunton Academy singing the harmony.

Each school except marwood had an individual song. All of the schools sang halakulya, peace on earth and Halleluyah and zat you Santa clause.

Organising it was Debi Krat from the Devon music Dic and Sophie.

It was an exiting performance it was nerve racing but more fun.

LAST CHANCE
TO GUESS THE
NAME ON THE
PONY

MSA PAGE

To keep up to date with what's happening each week in the MSA please like our Facebook page!

<https://www.facebook.com/Marwood-School-Association-749575191726627/>

SAVE THE DATE!

16th January—Next Full Meeting, 7.30pm Class 4

29th March - Cookie Day and Easter celebration

15th June 2018 - Big Sheep Night



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Wednesday 13th December KS2 Christmas Performance 1.30pm

Thursday 14th December—Pantomime at Queens Theatre, whole school to see Beauty

Save the Date!

Fiona Eckford and Emma Buckingham are putting on a Burn's Supper on Saturday 27th January 2018.

Further details to follow.



Everybody is welcome to join
St. Peter's Church, Bittadon for our

NATIVITY IN THE BARN

(With Children & Live Animals!)

Hill Crest Farm, Bittadon (EX31 4HN)

Friday 15th December
6.30pm

Entry by Ticket Only

Purchased in Advance - £5 per person

(to include light Refreshments)

Parking is limited so please car share where possible



For tickets or further information contact
Liz 01271 850903 or Sue 01271 850500



Nativity Trail

On Saturday morning, 16th December, between 11.00am and 1.00pm, various characters from the First Christmas will be dotted about Barnstaple High Street, Green Lanes etc. including a real donkey!

Have fun as you shop!

All you have to do to join is collect a passport from one of the characters.

Then collect a sticker and code-word from each of the characters including the donkey!

Entry is FREE.

Crack the code and collect your prize at the end!

