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# Marwood Matters

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community and all other social and business needs  
please go to [www.marwoodmatters.com](http://www.marwoodmatters.com)**



PLEASE CONTACT US IF YOU NEED ANY HELP OR CAN OFFER HELP DURING THIS TIME. The telephone numbers of the Parish Council and Marwood Matters Team are listed below. We can give support and information to anyone who needs it and if we can't help we will hopefully know someone else who can. These are challenging times in many ways but we can all help to make the best of them and so many of us are supporting each other. Do let someone know if you are unwell WHETHER IT IS CONNECTED TO THE COVID-19 VIRUS OR NOT.

#### **THE MARWOOD MATTERS TEAM**

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#### **THE MARWOOD PARISH COUNCIL**

Cllr Christopher Spear (Chairman) 01271 850533

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M J Measures (Clerk to the PC) 01271 323386

#### **ADVICE FOR US ALL**

**PLEASE STAY AT HOME<PROTECT THE  
NHS<SAVE LIVES**

#### **TWO MESSAGES FROM COUNCILLOR CHRIS SPEAR, CHAIRMAN OF MARWOOD PC**

You will be aware that Parish Council meetings have been cancelled for the foreseeable future due to the Coronavirus.

Our next meeting in early May would have been both the AGM and the public meeting and as such the chairman presents his/her annual report to the public. To keep parishioners informed of the workings of the Parish Council during the year I will publish the report in Marwood Matters. In the meantime the council is continuing its business via email thanks to our clerk and working closely with the Marwood Matters team and the District Council co-ordinating support for people who are shielding or self-isolating. A big thank you to everyone involved.

**A number of residents from Guineaford and Kingsheanton have raised concerns with the Parish Council regarding some dog owners in the area. Since the lock down some owners think it is appropriate to exercise on the road with their dogs off the lead. Not only is this illegal under the road traffic act 1988 but it can also be daunting to some elderly people and young children even if the dog approaches them in a friendly manner. This is particularly relevant during this time when a lot more people are out for walks. Please keep your dogs on a lead, pick up their mess and take it home to allow everyone to enjoy the beautiful countryside in which we live.**

**PLEASE BE AWARE THE DEFRIBILLATOR AT THE MUDDIFORD INN PUB SITE IS CURRENTLY OUT OF ACTION - THE AMBULANCE SERVICE HAS BEEN NOTIFIED.**

#### **TWO LOCAL GRANTS AVAILABLE TO MARWOOD PARISHIONERS**

#### **COVID-19 EMERGENCY FUND FULLABROOK CIC**

The Fullabrook CIC have developed a package of support for voluntary and community groups, the 13 parishes of their area of benefit during the Corona virus pandemic. Ask any of the Marwood Matters Team or Parish Councillors for details.

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#### ***Marwood Poor Lands Charity (including Ackland's Gift)***

*A small annual income is obtained from the lease of 7.5 acres of land in Marwood. Due to the continual social change, the reasons for applying for grants has changed, but the basics are similar and particularly at this time, as a result of the Coronavirus.*

*If you know someone who you think is eligible, claims are considered in confidence and please ensure you have their permission, please apply to: Malcolm J Measures (Trustee and Clerk to the Charity)*

*e-mail: [marparco2@live.co.uk](mailto:marparco2@live.co.uk)*

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#### **THE GOOD STORES** Ashford, EX31 4BW

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[www.thegoodstores.co.uk](http://www.thegoodstores.co.uk). Phone for more details.

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**MUDDIDUCK EGGS** (Muddiford) Free range/high

welfare and where possible our poultry is rare breed.

Prompt ordering is highly recommended. The eggs will

be delivered on a Wednesday evening. Phone Tess on

07779 379823 or go to their facebook page for more

details

Standard Duck Eggs £1.50/6

Small Duck Eggs £1.00/6

Bantam Eggs £1.00/6 (limited supply)

Turkey Eggs £1.50/6 (limited supply)

Goose Eggs £1.00/each (limited Supply)

(Eggs currently free to families with young children, or anyone experiencing especial hardship at the moment)

**BLAKEWELL FISHERIES** are going to do a fresh trout,

smoked trout and smoked salmon.delivery for anyone

who would like some on a Friday.

To place orders and for more information please phone

01271 344533 or email [richard@blakewell.co.uk](mailto:richard@blakewell.co.uk) An online

page will soon be live and also a facebook click and

collect.Payments can be either bacs or card.

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**BE A HOME HERO! THE 2.6 CHALLENGE starts on**

**Sunday 26th April. It was to be London Marathon**

**Day but NOT THIS YEAR. It will now be the first day**

**of a 2.6 or 26 Challenge. It can be a simple, fun way**

**for everyone to play their part in saving the UK's**

**charities by fundraising and supporting their**

**invaluable work. It can be acts of kindness or a**

**commitment to do something that with willpower**

**and incentive you'll do it! Our Marwood Friends of**

**[Children's Hospice South West](http://Children's Hospice South West) Group have already**

**decided to take up this challenge.PLEASE LOOK OUT**

**FOR IDEAS AND/OR SUPPORT THOSE TAKING PART.**