



**THE ADVICE FOR US ALL IS TO STAY ALERT  
AND BE SENSIBLE!**

We continue to see some amazingly stupid and selfish actions on the news but Marwood does seem to be staying safe and making the best of our community, countryside and weather! THANK YOU TO ALL WHO CONTINUE TO KEEP US SAFE

**IF HOWEVER YOU DO NEED ANY HELP** the contact details of the Parish Council are on the Parish Noticeboards and our website.

**THE MARWOOD MATTERS TEAM**

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No news is good news but please let us know, as soon as you can, of any plans and events happening around the Parish. We will then be able to keep the community informed, through the website, over the summer.

THANKYOU

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**PLEASE BE RESPONSIBLE FOR YOUR DOGS A number of residents from Guineaford and Kingsheanton are still raising concerns regarding some dog owners and their dogs, in the area. 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.**

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**TWO LOCAL GRANTS AVAILABLE TO MARWOOD PARISHIONERS**  
COVID-19 EMERGENCY FUND FULLABROOK CIC

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

**Ask any of the Marwood Matters Team or Parish Councillors for details.**

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**MARWOOD CHURCH**

Marwood Church will be open for private prayer on Thursdays from 10am -12noon, commencing 9th July. Volunteers will be on hand for guidance. For further information go to The North Taw Mission Community website <http://www.northtaw.org.uk/> or phone Margaret on 01271 372065.

**MARWOOD SCHOOL**

Like all public organisations Marwood School found itself quickly adapting to the changes needed to face the global pandemic. After closing on 20<sup>th</sup> March we reopened on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> for vulnerable children and those of Key Workers. Staff, governors and I collaborated to send work home, get to grips with the virtual world of education and plan for the gradual reopening. On 2<sup>nd</sup> June we welcomed back our youngest children in Foundation and Year 1 and by the end of the month all of those children were back in school. We were unable to open for Year 6 children, due to staffing capacity and the high number of essential Key Workers' children. It has been a strange end to our Year 6 children's primary schooling and on behalf of everyone at Marwood I want them to know they all leave here having left their mark and wish them the greatest success in the future.

As I write this I am waiting for the Department of Education's latest guidance on how we can get every child back to school in September. The team of staff and governors have worked tirelessly to put plans in place and I know that we will all do our best to start school for everyone again on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> September. I wish to thank everyone in the community for their support and Marwood School is looking forward to building our links again. *Alun Dobson*

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**A good news message from The Muddiford Inn**



**We will be opening the doors at 10am from Saturday 4th July (we can't wait!) and look forward to welcoming you back.**

**The garden bar will also be open to aid social distancing so keep your fingers crossed for good weather! We've bought additional outdoor seating to take advantage**

**of our huge beer garden so there is plenty of room to spread out safely.**

**Naturally we will follow all government guidelines and for the first two weeks the restaurant will be closed while we get the bars running smoothly in the "new normal". We are working on a new menu which we are looking forward to introduce to you in the coming weeks.**

**Follow us on Facebook for updates and please note our new email address and telephone number.**

**[info@muddifordinn.co.uk](mailto:info@muddifordinn.co.uk) / 01271 850008**

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**MARWOOD COMMUNITY HALL**

**The Community Hall continues to be unavailable for bookings, but we will notify the Community via Marwood Matters when we are able to consider taking bookings and what restrictions will need to be applied.**  
From: Community Hall Trustees.