

Funded
by
Marwood
Parish
Council

Marwood Matters

July/August 2018



For more information and updates about Marwood [CLICK HERE](#) for our website

Springfield Nursery Summer Fayre

Saturday 30th June
2pm until 5pm

Cream Teas & Cake Stall - Tombola - Raffle - Stalls
- Tractor Rides - Face Painting & lots more
Come and join us for some fun

For more information
01271 329028

www.springfieldnursery.com



Springfield
Nursery



MARWOOD PRE-SCHOOL

We have taken the difficult decision to close Marwood Pre-school at the end of term in July. This is due to a number of factors such as the changing of parents' working patterns

and a current fall in numbers of pre-school children within the parish. The pre-school has been a wonderful resource for so many Marwood families and I would like to thank all past and present families, our wonderful staff, committee members and all in the parish who have supported us.

I would like to invite you all along to the Community Hall at Marwood School from 3pm to 4.30pm on Tuesday 17th July for tea and cake and to say good bye to our wonderful staff, most notably Sandra Spear who has been involved with pre-school for 19 years.

We will also be sorting out our resources at the Methodist Church on Saturday 14th July. Anyone who might be interested in buying equipment, please come along from 3pm. All money raised will go to Marwood School Association. We will also be holding a raffle for Rosette the pre-school toy rabbit with money raised going to Childrens Hospice South West. Thank you.

Chloe Cove (mi11y@yahoo.com) 07729774210).

Friday 6th July
POP UP PUB EVENING
Marwood Church Hall
7.30 - 10.30pm
Bring your friends and neighbours



DAILY MONDAY 23rd TO FRIDAY 27th JULY
10am - 12.30pm (DOORS OPEN AT 9.45am)
4yrs - 11yrs AT MARWOOD CHURCH HALL
PHONE P WILLIAMSON 01271 343303

No charge but donations towards costs would be appreciated

AGM - Marwood Community Hall Thursday July 5th at 8:00pm

Please do come along with your ideas on how the hall's value to the Community could be enhanced.

As well as reviewing our activities last year and our projects and plans for this year we would really appreciate **your input** on how to develop the use of our Community Hall further.

Pete Silveston, Marwood Community Hall Committee

MARWOOD CHURCH CREAM TEAS

MARWOOD CHURCH HALL 2 - 5pm

Sunday 26th August & Bank
Holiday Monday 27th August



On Sunday 29th July the teas will be served to support CHSW.

PLEASE GO TO PAGES 2&3 FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE EVENTS IN AND AROUND MARWOOD, ALL DURING JULY AND AUGUST!

MARWOOD PARISH COUNCIL

Report of the COUNCIL MEETING 14 June 2018

Marwood Methodist Church Hall, Guineaford

FOR FULL REPORT PLEASE SEE MM WEBSITE

Members Present: Cllrs. C Latham, C Spear, D Chugg, C Wallis, A Skentelbery, Mrs S Darling, A Cruden.

Apologies: Clls. S Button, R Berry, PCSO Kingdon

In Attendance: Cllr Mrs Davis. Cllr F Tucker. M J Measures (Clerk to the Council) Two members of the public

Police Report Members had received a copy of the Police Report which showed one crime of burglary other than dwelling (theft) and one use of threatening/abusive words

Planning Matters Members agreed to move this item up the Agenda.

64843 – Land North of The Shippen, Milltown. Erection of dwelling.

Members commented on the "local needs" aspect of this application. The Clerk read comments received from two separate responses who are opposed to the application. Following discussion Members were unanimous in recommending Approval. Members feel it is essential that the needs of local residents should be fully supported when considering "local needs" applications. In this case there are strong reasons for the applicants to stay in the Parish.

Recommend: Approval

64955 – The Old Saw Mill, Prieford. Extension to dwelling

Recommend: Approval

64977 – Lower Metcombe Farm, Marwood. Erection of one agricultural building (straw bedded livestock and covered feed) **Recommend: Approval**

Cllr Chugg declared an interest and did not speak or vote

Finance Invoices agreed for payment; £100.00 C F Wallis (May); £32.90 Admin/Accom.; £457.30 Balance at 10 May is £8643.68.

On-going Matters Footpath 45. Local residents are being contacted collecting evidence of use – see Page 3

Traffic Calming in Prieford. Cllr Mrs Davis had commented in her report that the recorded mean speed of traffic through Prieford is 22.6mph compared with 24.2 mph in 2010.

Flooding in the Parish. Following the flooding in Milltown in January this year, the Clerk has obtained a grant from DCC Highways Community Enhancement Fund for a contribution to those who assisted with the work of clearing the detritus. Members agreed the total payment of £600.00 to all those involved at no cost to the PC. As previously noted Community Group funds are available through the Community Resilience Initiatives Grants and/or Emergency Flood Resilience Grants. Email

info@devoncommunities.org.uk or on 01392 248919. Also see this information on MM website. Clerk will contact local residents to assist with setting up a Community Group. Cllr Wallis declared an interest and did not speak or vote.

Reports from Councillors

Parish Footpaths. Work continues on bridleways and footpaths via P3 Scheme

Highways/Transport. Members continued to express concern about the number and size of pot-holes throughout the Parish. Devon County Highways carry out a 5% audit of work and where repairs fall short the contractor is required to undertake the correct repair at their expense.

Chairman's Discretion

Members commented on the increase in dog-fouling. A notice will be placed in Marwood Matters reminding dog owners of their responsibility to clear up their dog's mess.

The meeting closed at 20.32 M J Measures

It is 2 months since we published letters from caring Parishioners about dog fouling! In reality there shouldn't be a problem but there is.

'You own a dog, it eats, it poos and so please will you all be responsible and clean it up. Failing to do so is anti-social, smelly and can spread diseases.'

MARWOOD CHURCH

Priest in Charge: Rev Steve Painting

Churchwarden: Margaret Greenslade 01271 372065

SERVICES FOR JULY 2018

- 1 10.30am United VMC Communion at West Down
- 8 9.30am Holy Communion
- 15 10am MCC at Muddiford URC
- 22 6pm Evensong
- 29 United VMC Communion at Heanton

SERVICES FOR AUGUST 2018

- 5 9.30am Holy Communion with Archdeacon
- 12 9.30am All Age Worship
- 19 10am MCC at Methodist Church
- 26 6pm Evensong

Housegroup's words: 'Do not be anxious about anything but in everything, by prayer, present your requests to God' Philippians 4:6

CHURCH SUMMER FESTIVAL

Thanks to all who came and took part - decorating footwear, making parachutes or enjoying the activities on offer. We had an enjoyable afternoon despite the early rain.

Summer Holiday Club - See Page 1

MUDDIFORD UNITED REFORMED CHURCH

Services: 10am unless otherwise stated

SERVICES FOR JULY 2018

- 1 SUMMER CELEBRATION led by Mrs Helen Potter
- 8 Mr Peter Edwardson
- 15 United Service led by Margaret & Martin & Friends
- 22 Mr Guy Byham
- 29 Rev Margaret Cranston

SERVICES FOR AUGUST 2018

- 5 Mrs Helen Potter
- 12 Rev Colin Biggs
- 19 United Service at Marwood Methodist Church
- 26. Rev Tom Macalister

MARWOOD METHODIST CHURCH

Minister: Rev Robert Manning

Services: 11am unless otherwise stated.

SERVICES FOR JULY 2018

- 1 Mr Guy Byham
- 8 Rev Bill Perry (HC)
- 15 No Service here - MCC at Muddiford at 10 am
- 22 PET SERVICE led by Mrs Brenda Prentice
- 29 Mr John Baxter

SERVICES FOR AUGUST 2018

- 5 Rev Marilyn Tricker
- 12 Mr Peter Edwards
- 19 MCC Service with Mr J Harding at 10am
- 26 Rev Marilyn Tricker

Get-together for July to be arranged. No meeting in August.



**St Peter's Church,
Bittadon, EX31 4HJ**



Family & Gift day Service followed by bring & share picnic on Sunday 8th July, starting at 11am - everyone welcome.

We are also raising much needed funds through Bag 2 The Future. The idea is that they pay us for good quality, unwanted clothes, shoes etc. For a complete list go to <https://bag2school.com/what-we-collect>. Please either bring items on 8th July or contact Liz on 01271 850903 or lizcolh@gmail.com if you wish to make a donation.



DRIVING TO MARWOOD CHURCH

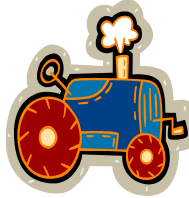
In order for DCC to re-classify the lane to the Church as a **Byway Open to All Traffic**, which would ensure that anyone has a right to drive over the lane, the council needs evidence of current and, more importantly, historic use of the lane by vehicles.

The lane from Marwood Hill Gardens to Marwood Church is not a county road. It is currently classified by Devon County Council as a **footpath** (Footpath 45). This means that there is **no public right of way for vehicles** to be driven over it. DCC's advice is: the more evidence, the better.

You can help by completing a simple form detailing your usage of the lane.

Please contact one of the people mentioned below to get the form and they will also be pleased to answer any questions you may have.

Sue Button 01271 813804
Norman Facey 01271 346472
David Pepper 01271 372413



JP's VintageTractor Run

(All tractors taking part should be roadworthy and insured.)

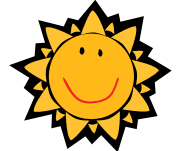
Saturday 4th August
afternoon start, until late

Tractors take off at 4pm from
The Barn, Lower Viveham, Muddiford
Barbeque, Bouncy Castle, Bar and Disco

In aid of East Down Church
Details ring 01271 850274

Everybody welcome

If you haven't a tractor just
come and look at them and
enjoy the get together!



STALLS WELCOME (£5) BRING YOUR OWN TABLE

Marwood Ladies

Our next meetings will be on 5th July & August 2nd at 3pm in Marwood Gardens Tearooms for a social time.

For more information contact Margaret Pover on 01271 344433

Marwood Hill Gardens - Plant Sales and Award Winning Garden & Tea Room



25th July - Folksy Open Air Theatre
Shakespeare's Love's Labour's Lost

26th July Folksy Open Air Theatre
The Princess and the Giant

For more information Tel: 01271 342528
www.marwoodhillgarden.co.uk

The Muddiford Inn

Please contact the pub for updated details, private events or hire of restaurant.

Call us on 01271 850394 or Email: themuddifordinn@gmail.com

www.themuddifordinn.co.uk

The Liquidators - from 9pm Saturday 30th June

The Muddiford Inn Garden Market & Table Sale

From 12 noon Saturday 7th July

Please get in touch to reserve a table



Marwood Art Group

For more information contact Sandra Gouldsmith 01271 850599



Marwood Cream Teas



For enquiries regarding Special Events and Party Bookings, Birthdays, Anniversaries, Small Weddings, Christenings, Wakes Please Contact Mrs Margaret Pover on 01271 344433

Kathrine Johnson BA (Hons). Private Music Teacher

Piano, Clarinet, Flute, Singing, Saxophone (Classical), Music Theory, GCSE and A Level support

Mobile: 07460359880 email: kjthethatch@gmail.com

ABRSM exam board Competitive Rates



Martin Dowding

Independent Freeze Brander, North Devon

20 years experience

01271 850107/ 07768 403414

dowding77@googlemail.com

ADVERTISEMENTS

should be submitted by email to marwoodmatters@gmail.com through the 'CONTACT US' on www.marwoodmatters.com or to Liz Neville, 'Sleepy Corner', Prieford, Barnstaple, EX31 4DW (01271 322515) with payment of £5.00 per issue or £40 per annum for 10 issues with additional website entry.

Non-profit making organisations free of charge. This service is for the Parish and all profit generated will be given back to the Parish at the discretion of the Newsletter Team.

BARUM CHIMNEY SWEEP ICS REGISTERED MEMBER

Lee Shepherd
Brush plus HEPA Vac
Tel 01271 850592 Mobile 07792 651731
Certificates issued

MIKE'S GARDEN SERVICES

Turfing - Lawns Mown - Planting -
Clearing - All rubbish removed

Single jobs or all year round contracts

Surrey Horticultural College Trained

Tel: 01271 850739 or 07984147197
Six Acres, Shirwell

NEWSLETTER TEAM

Sue Button (PC Link) 01271 813804
Margaret Greenslade 01271 372065
Liz Neville 01271 322515
June Tamlyn 01271 850801

Email: marwoodmatters@gmail.com
Website: www.marwoodmatters.com

Anyone is welcome to join us; please phone or email any member for the date of next meeting. Please remember the items for the SEPTEMBER 2018 issue should be submitted by 15th AUGUST to the Newsletter Team.



CARPET SHAMPOOING

SHAMPOOING YOUR CARPET(S) MAKES
THEM LOOK MUCH NICER
AND ALSO REDUCES THEIR WEAR

VERY REASONABLE CHARGES
PLEASE PHONE TONY KITCHIN 01271 883129

JEFFERY CARPENTRY

All aspects of internal and external carpentry
Renovations / Bespoke Work / Maintenance
Free advice and quotes
by experienced local carpenter
Call DAN: 01271 326120 or 07525 753511

BUILDING CONTRACTORS

No job too big or too small, all types of work undertaken.

Fully licensed waste removal
Tel: 01271 850218 / 07973 139141
www.jandsbuildingcontractors.co.uk



ALL EXTERIOR WORK:
Groundworks/
Construction / Landscaping

QUALIFIED EXPERIENCED LOCAL TEAM
Contacts: recondindevon@gmail.com
01271 850477 or 07414132180

S J Phillips and Son Painting and Decorating

For advice and free estimates please contact Stuart
on 01271 614185
or mobile 07873780454
7, Champernownne Crescent Ilfracombe EX34 9PL

O. Morrish Land and Garden Services

Mowing & Strimming/Hedgecutting & Laying/Weeding &
Bed Work/Land Clearance/General Maintenance/
Pressure Washing/Tree Surgery & Pruning



Oliver Morrish

07583641802

o.morrishgardens@hotmail.co.uk



JEFFERY TREE SURGERY

Experienced & Insured
Tree & Landscaping Work
Hedging, Fencing & General Ground
Maintenance
Call James 850209 or 07833292368



Anderson & Evans Ltd.

Chestwood, Bishops Tawton, Barnstaple, EX32 0AX
Tel: 01271 377578 info@andersonandevans.com

~ MARWOOD CHURCH HALL ~
is available for hire

details from Beatrice Brooks Tel. 01271 376028

Last Word.... The newsletter team reserve the right to edit contributions, whilst aiming to preserve the content of the articles submitted.

We welcome suggestions and comments that will lead to the improvement of this newsletter. We would also like to hear from you if you have any complaints or grievances in order that we can rectify any problems.



MARWOOD COMMUNITY HALL
Available for hire. Details from
Alan Cruden on 01271 850592,
acruden7@gmail.com or
www.marwoodmatters.com