

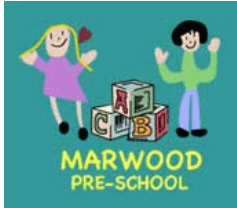
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MARWOOD PRE-SCHOOL



Please contact
joannasymons@email.com
for more information about
the **calendars**.

The pre-school are also holding a Pampered Chef fundraiser on Friday the 28th November. We're hoping people will come along as it's a fun night that is also a great opportunity to buy quality cookware for family members as Christmas presents. *Jo Jeffery*

Please find the Pre-School flyers enclosed with this edition of Marwood Matters.



SUNDAY 16TH NOVEMBER AT 6.00PM

MUDDIFORD UNITED REFORMED CHURCH
INVITES YOU TO A CONCERT BY THE
BARNSTAPLE JUBILEE SINGERS.

*Eddie Farwell will give a short talk about
the work of the charity and the concert
will be followed by refreshments.*

All proceeds will go to CHSW

Please come along and bring your friends.

Thank you to all our contributors, the many people who help to produce the newsletter and those who give up their time to deliver it.

**Please remember that all items for the
December/January issue need to be
submitted by 15th November to the
Newsletter Team and don't forget to look on
the website www.marwoodmatters.com for
more information.**

**Marwood Matters completes its 15th year of
publication next month. Times have
changed! We need to develop MM
sustainably for the future - please give us
your thoughts and ideas.**



Gen, Sophia and Clare are running the London Marathon next year - Genevieve Hickson and Sophia Roberts for the North Devon Hospice and Clare Young for St. Loyes Foundation.

On Saturday 15th November, starting at 10am, Gen, Sophia and Clare are running a marathon between them, on a treadmill in Tesco Extra - the big store next to the station!

Please come and support them if you can.

Also, look out for **MarFest** in the New Year, another fundraiser and an evening of Music, Dance and Food!

For more information please contact:

Genevieve Hickson 342243

Sophia Roberts 323283

Clare Young 850950

Thank you and please join us if you can



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MARWOOD LADIES

We are always pleased to see new faces and visitors are always welcome. For more information please speak to Margaret on 344433

MARWOOD PARISH COUNCIL

(October Meeting Cancelled)
THURSDAY 13TH NOVEMBER
THURSDAY 11TH DECEMBER
AT MARWOOD METHODIST HALL AT 7.30PM
For more information see MM website
or contact Clerk to the Council: Malcolm J Measures
01271 323386 marparco2@live.co.uk



NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

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If you wish to contribute towards a Christmas hamper for a family at Little Bridge House contact Margaret - 372065

Many thanks to everyone who contributed to the Nearly New Sale on Saturday 18th November. Over £250 was raised as well as some significant donations to the CHSW shop. A special thank you to Georgie, James, Tazzy and Louis for serving delicious soup lunches, selling cakes and running games at the sale. Margaret Greenslade.

A very seasonal 'Delia' soup recipe which many of us enjoyed so much at the sale. (You can also find this online at www.deliaonline.com) Thank you Rebecca.
Curried Parsnip and Apple Soup

700gm parsnips
175gm Bramley cooking apples
1 heaped tsp each of coriander & cumin seeds
6 whole cardamom pods (seeds only)
1 1/2 oz (40gm) butter
1tbsp groundnut oil
2 medium onions
2 cloves garlic chopped
1 heaped tsp each of turmeric and ground ginger
1.2 litres good flavoured vegetable or chicken stock

1. Heat a small frying pan and dry roast the coriander, cumin and cardamom seeds. After 2-3 minutes they start to jump in the pan. Remove them from the pan and crush them finely with a pestle and mortar.
2. Heat the butter and oil in a saucepan, add the onions and gently soften for about 5 minutes before adding the garlic and cook for another 2 minutes
3. Add all the crushed spices, along with the turmeric and ginger, stir and continue to cook gently for a few more minutes.
4. Chop the parsnips into 1 inch (2.5 cm) dice. Add the parsnips and stock. Simmer as gently as possible for 1 hour without putting on a lid. Season with salt and pepper
5. Peel the apple and grate it into the soup, simmering for a further 3-4 minutes. then liquidise it if possible.
6. Purée the soup in your preferred way, check for seasoning and gently reheat before serving.

SERVICES FOR NOVEMBER

MARWOOD CHURCH

Priest in charge : Revd Iain Robertson 817448
Churchwarden: Margaret Greenslade 372065

NOVEMBER

2 9.30 am All Age Worship in Church Hall
9 9.30 am MCC Remembrance Service
16 9.30 am Holy Communion
23 4 pm Evensong
30 4 pm Christingle

As last year, the Service on Sunday 9th November will be followed by coffee before the Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial in the Churchyard at 11am. All welcome

Housegroup's words for November: 'Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.' Psalm 23.

Operation Christmas Child: If you would like to fill a shoebox for a child who may have no other presents at Christmas time, do collect a box and leaflet from the church. Boxes to be returned by Saturday 15th November.

Church Christmas Fair Saturday 6th December.

MUDDIFORD UNITED REFORMED CHURCH

Services at 10am unless otherwise stated

NOVEMBER

2 Mr Howard Parsons
9 9.30 am MCC Service at the Parish Church
16 Mr Geoff Wooton
23 Rev John Robinson
30 Miss Heather Bolt

Please come and join us for any of our services.

MYC (Marwood Youth Club) - Friday 7th November 7-9pm. See Marwood Matters website for more details.

On Sunday 16th November 6pm there will be a concert by Barnstaple Jubilee Singers in aid of CHSW and followed by refreshments. See page 1

MARWOOD METHODIST CHURCH

Minister: Revd. Robert Manning
Services at 11 am, unless otherwise stated.

NOVEMBER

2 Rev Robert Manning
9 9.30 am MCC service at Parish Church
16 Mrs Brenda Prentice
23 Rev Robert Manning
30 Mr Peter Edwards

Following the MCC Service and coffee there will be an Act of Remembrance at 11am around the War Memorial which will be conducted by Damian Briggs-Wilson

Get - Together Thursday November 13th between 11am – 12 noon. Speaker Rev Robert Manning talking about Armistice Day. All welcome.

December 7th Exmoor Carolers - 3.30pm Followed by refreshments.

Marwood Community Hall

Good progress was made on the Hall construction during the dry weather. All the foundation work is complete, including the plates to which the steel frame of the building will be attached and the retaining walls of the site are currently being constructed. Erection of the structural frame will start during the first week of November and take 4 weeks to complete. Once the roof is on, work to fit out the interior will start. Project completion has moved back two weeks, to the first week in February, due to the extended leadtime on the design and manufacture of the frame.

The Hall Committee is now working on what will be required in the hall by way of tables, chairs and crockery etc. for community use and on marketing the facility. If you are a prospective hall user please contact Alan Cruden, our trustee chairman, to discuss your requirements, either by phone (850592) or email acruden7@gmail.com.

One suggestion is to start a Scout group in the new hall and Alan Cruden has met with the District Commissioner and Regional Development Scout to discuss the idea and they have been very supportive. So, if you have a 4-10 year old and they would like to join please let Alan know. A minimum of 20 children will be needed to start up a new group.

Please remember to look at our Facebook page and our Marwood Matters web page where you can keep in touch with developments, news about planned activities, forthcoming events and the grand opening – more about that next month. <https://www.facebook.com/marwoodcommunityhall?ref=hl>.

Thanks,
Pete Silveston. Secretary, Marwood Community Hall.

Upcoming events in December

The Light up a Life Service for Children’s Hospice and the North Devon Hospice will take place at Marwood Church on December 2nd at 7pm

Marwood Church Christmas Fair Saturday 6th December


East Down Christmas Fayre Sunday 7th December 2-4pm

Marwood Methodist Church Sunday 7th December - Exmoor Carolers 3.30pm


St Peters Church Bittadon at Church Farm Bittadon - Nativity in the Barn, Friday 12th December at 6.30pm - by ticket only. Children, refreshments and live animals!

REMINDER! Marwood has a large, blue, portable, three-sectioned, stand alone noticeboard that was bought for the use of the community - Please enquire at Marwood School if you would like to borrow it. (01271 850801)

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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.

