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Marsh Gibbon Church of England School

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Fabulous news – planning for the new extension
has been agreed so full steam ahead for
September 2014!



The plans are available to see in the school hall, which also shows details and pictures of the lovely new learning pod, which will be installed over the summer holidays.

Don't forget it's PIG ROAST tonight at 6.30pm – this is the PTA's major fundraising event & is sure to be a good night!

11th July 2014

Dear Parents

Class Assemblies this term are as follows:

18th July – Rabbits

Well done to the Hedgehog class for their very informative assembly on earthquakes.

Class Awards

These children received awards this week:

Butterflies: Ryan Nolan for working hard in phonics and now moving onto books. George Stubbs for working hard in maths, learning how to count along a number line. George can now use a number line to count on and back in 1s, 2s and 3s.

Owls: Harry Byrne and Zak Turbe, who were so enthusiastic about solving numerical problems that they took extra work out onto the playground to work on at playtime. Great commitment boys! Finley Kelly and Hailey Pullen, for great non-fiction writing on blue whales. They both included lots of facts and illustrated their pages with lovely pictures of whales.

Dragons: From last week, Rosie Maskell for being word-perfect and enthusiastic about the Bernwode singing festival. Emily Dodd for her hard work in all subjects and organising others without fussing. This week, Connie Maciejewski, Tereza Scotton and Charlie Weedon receive the Dragon award for their excellent participation at the Sports Festival.





They listened and behaved beautifully and I was very proud to take them with us.

Rabbits: Theo Biggs, who has put in an extra effort in all areas of curriculum this week. He also modelled excellent behaviour by working quietly and independently whilst half of the class were in the pool. Keep up the hard work! Jodie Rogers, for always being ready to learn and sitting beautifully on the carpet.

Jodie has also worked especially hard in swimming this week. The following four children were Rabbits for the day yesterday. They worked hard, listened carefully and were all very helpful: Benjamin Hughes, Evie Fogden, Rosie Maskell and Harry Reveler.

Hedgehogs: Emily Barber for being a fantastic role model to the rest of the school. She is always well behaved, hardworking and extremely helpful. She has made an excellent playground pal. Niamh Lavin for being really enthusiastic in geography to design an original, well thought out earthquake proof building.

Camo Day – Weds 16th

Our special guests will arrive on Weds 16th July for Camo Day. It will be a non-uniform day, all the children can come to school in their camouflage outfits be they green, blue or bright pink (!), to raise funds for Help for Heroes. We are hoping to have a Help for Heroes merchandise store in the school hall on the Tues 15th after school for your perusal. If you child could bring in a small rucksack/backpack on the day so they can carry it on their backs for the day, that would be brilliant. The children will be able to have cam cream applied should they/you so wish. A permission slip is in your child's book bag tonight. Please return these before Weds. No permission slip, means no cam cream!

SUNDAY AT 4 - Sun 13 July 4pm-5.30pm at Preston Bissett Old School

Sunday at 4 is for children aged 5-11 years. We meet for fun, games, Bible stories, craft activities, music, prayer and refreshments. This month we'll hear about an unjust judge

and a persistent widow. We'll be practising all kinds of skills; throwing, juggling and skipping and others besides! Your children are welcome to bring a friend. It helps planning if you can let David or Angela know by email or phone if your children would like to attend.

Here are the dates of the rest of the sessions for 2014.

28 Sept Charndon Community Centre

19 Oct Marsh Gibbon Village Hall

23 Nov - Grendon Underwood Village Hall

Revd David Hiscock 01869 277297

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Revd Angela Mann 01296 771100

angela.mann@o2.co.uk

Dragons Performance – 8th July, 3pm

Dragon class gave a superb performance of their Music Festival music to parents on Tuesday. Well done Dragons.

KS1 Sports Festival – Thur 10th July

All those who took part in the KS1 Sports Festival had a fantastic day.

WWI Service – Sun 20th July

We will be joining the congregation of St Mary's Church for this service on Sun 20th July. Details of timings will follow.

Hot School Lunches

Today is the last day to order hot lunches for September from www.kidseatfresh.co.uk

Clubs For this Half Term

Please remember that ICT and Football after school clubs finish on **Fri 18th July**. Summer sports will finish on **Mon 21st July**.

Dates for your diary

Wed 16th Jul – Camo Day

Fri 18th Jul – Reports out to Parents

Sun 20th Jul – WW1 Service, St Mary's Church

Tues 22nd Jul – End of Term Service 2.30 St Mary's Church

Weds 23rd Jul – PTA Hot Lunch, Break Up for Summer

Thurs 4th Sep – Back to School