Due to Mrs Yoxall not being too well this week it will be a short newsletter of reminders and breaking news.

**Cooking Club** is as popular as ever, and we are massively over-subscribed. To avoid the children of Key Stage 1 being disappointed in the Summer term when it is their turn to cook we wondered if there are any parents or grandparents who would be willing to come along to help out on a Wednesday after school. If you would like to help out please leave your name at the office.

**FRIENDS OF MARLIFLEDS**

We need helpers for the Film Night on Thursday 28th January 2016. Jobs include helping prepare and serve the food, setting out the room and monitoring the behaviour of the children during the film. If you can help, please give the office a call. Thank you for those four who have already come forward.

**ATTENDANCE**

Attendance figures for this week are:

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| **Year 6** | **98.00%** |
| Year 5 | 96.92% |
| Year 4  | 95.59% |
| Reception | 93.64% |
| Year 3 | 90.83% |
| Year 1 | 89.77% |
| Year 2 | 87.20% |

**Well done to Year 6 who are this week’s winners with exactly 98%.**

Who will the winners be next week?

Come on, we need to get a class with 100%!

Watch this space ……….

**THIS WEEKS challenge**

Well done to Sam Barnes and Thomas Hatton who were the first two winners of the New Year challenges.

This week’s challenge is…

‘A man is trapped in a room. The room has only two possible exits: two doors. Through the first door there is a room constructed

from magnifying glass. The blazing hot sun instantly fries anything or anyone that enters. Through the second door there is a fire-breathing dragon. How does the man escape?’

Send the answer into school on Monday with your name and class on it and one correct answer will be rewarded with a treat - this will be drawn by raffle if more than one correct answer comes in. Get your thinking caps on for the correct answer and good luck to you.

**A NIGHT OF SPELLS**



On this day we will be dressing as characters from the books of Harry Potter. Start getting your outfits ready for the 4th February. You can come in costume all day and our fun starts at 2pm.

**SCHOOL HOLIDAYS**

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| **February 2016 Half Term** | **Fri 12.02.16** | **Mon 22.02.16 INSET****Tue 23.02.16** |
| **Easter 2016** | **Thu 24.03.16** | **Mon 11.04.16** |
| **Summer Half Term 2016** | **Fri 27.05.16** | **Mon 06.06.16 INSET****Tue 07.06.16** |
| **Summer Holidays** | **Wed 20.07.16** |  |