

Marfields Newsletter

11th March 2016

EASTER COMPETITION

On **Tuesday 22nd March** the Friends of Marfields are holding an Egg Decorating and an Egg Rolling competition. They would like you to decorate at home, a boiled egg in any way you would like. The decorated eggs will then be used in the Egg Rolling competition.

The cost is just **£1** in total for entry into both events. There are prizes for each class for the best decorated egg and for the furthest rolled egg.

EASTER EGG APPEAL

As you all know, we always like to help out charities whenever we can and this year we are joining the Silk FM Easter Egg Appeal. Each year Silk host this appeal to get as many Easter Eggs as possible to hand out to underprivileged families ensuring they have a happy Easter.

We have now started to collect eggs; if you wish to donate an Easter Egg please send them in now. We have had some eggs donated, but we still need many more! Please, when you are out shopping just slip an Easter Egg into the trolley for the collection.

On **Tuesday 22nd March** Cheshire the Cat and the Silk FM team will come to school to collect the egg donations and to bring some goodies for the children who have taken part in the collection.

EASTER ASSEMBLY

We will be holding our Easter Assembly on **Wednesday 23rd March**. It will take place at 9:30am at Trinity Methodist Church on Wagg Street. Everyone is welcome to attend. Save the date in your diary!

YEARS 3 & 4 JOINT ENTERPRISE

On Thursday 17th March classes 3 and 4 are joining together for their Enterprise Week After School Bonanza. The event will take place in the hall after school and will comprise of a cake stall, stalls with games that you can win prizes at and much more and low, low prices. It is anticipated that the event will finish at 4:15pm. They hope that as many mums, dads, grannies, granddads, brothers and sisters will come along to support them and help them raise as much money as possible.

PARENT FORUM

We are holding our next Parent Forum on **Thursday 24th March at 9.30pm**.

Tea and coffee and an Easter treat will be on offer and our subject for discussion is Social Media and how school uses this. Everyone is welcome please book it in your diary now.

WEEKLY CHALLENGE

Congratulations to Chloe Gillett who is in Year 3; the correct answer to last week's puzzle was *a candle*.

This week's puzzle is

What is the word that is always spelled incorrectly in dictionaries?

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 all.

VISIT TO CLONTER OPERA

BY LIBBY BOOTH

On Thursday 10th March we went to Clonter and had the time of our lives! We were there to respect Mrs Margaret Williamson, a person who always made our community a super and better place to be. We hope that Margaret will be remembered by all and we sang the roof off for her! As you may or may not know Margaret Williamson died last year so we wish she was there watching as doing our great performance.

ATTENDANCE

Attendance figures for this week are:

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| Year 6 | 96.95% |
| Year 2 | 96.94% |
| Year 5 | 96.59% |
| Year 4 | 96.15% |
| Year 3 | 95.47% |
| Year 1 | 95.01% |
| Reception | 94.09% |

Well done to Year 6 who are this week's winners with 96.95% although only by a very narrow margin.

LAST SCHOOL DAY BACK TO SCHOOL

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| Summer Term | 20.07.16 | |
| Autumn 2016 | | Mon 05.09.16 |
| Half Term | Fri 21.10.16 | Mon 31.11.16 |
| Christmas | Thurs 22.12.16 | Mon 09.01.17 |
| February 2017 | Fri 17.02.17 | Mon 27.02.17 |
| Half Term | Fri 31.03.17 | Tue 18.04.17 |
| Easter | Fri 26.05.17 | Mon 05.06.17 |
| Summer Holidays | Wed 26.07.17 | PLEASE NOTE INSET DAYS HAVE NOT YET BEEN SET, THEREFORE THESE DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. |