**BIRTHDAY CAKES**

This week Mrs Barnes produced our first Birthday Celebration cake as Jayden in Year 2 celebrated his 7th Birthday. If you would like the same for your child if it is their birthday so that they can celebrate with their class mates please send an e-mail to the office at admin@marlfields.cheshire.sch.uk, all we ask for is a contribution of £3 (payable on SCOPAY) towards the cost of ingredients.

Don’t forget that the children can come to school in non-uniform when it is their birthday, if their birthday is at the weekend they can wear non-uniform on either the Friday or Monday.

**FLUENZ SPRAY**

When the school nurses came into school recently some children did not receive their vaccination for a number of reasons eg absent on day, unwell, late consent form.

 If your child is one of these please **do not** go to your GP as they are unable to offer the vaccine to healthy school age children, it is the school nursing service who are deliver this.

**Instead please contact the School Nurse Immunisation Admin Team on the following number to arrange an appointment at a catch up session:  0300 123 4607.**

 **REINDEER RUSH**

Even though this year has been like no other due to the Covid-19 pandemic we are determined that we won’t let it spoil our annual charity fund-raising event.



As Christmas approaches our thoughts turn to those no longer with us, family or friends who were helped by the local hospice and those who continue to need help. We need to help to raise funds for the East Cheshire Hospice. Fund-raising has been severely hit by the pandemic, as have all charities. As in previous years, we will be doing a Reindeer Run, this time however, in our ‘Bubbles’. As you know, wherever possible we try to be a cashless school so we have set up a JustGiving page [https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/Sandra-Isherwood](https://trk.justgiving.com/f/a/U2XOSx7LW0IVrPmNbCQfew~~/AAME8QA~/RgRhXaC3P0T3aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuanVzdGdpdmluZy5jb20vZnVuZHJhaXNpbmcvU2FuZHJhLUlzaGVyd29vZD91dG1fY2FtcGFpZ249bGNfZnJwX3NoYXJlX3RyYW5zYWN0aW9uX3RyYW5zYWN0aW9uYWxfLS1fcGFnZV9sYXVuY2hlZF8tLV9jYW1wYWlnbiZ1dG1fY29udGVudD03ZWY0ZDM5NC05NGFkLTRhZjAtYjNmMC1lYmE2YzE3MGQzZTAmdXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPXBvc3RvZmZpY2UmdXRtX3Rlcm09MTYwMTkwMzU0Mjk0MlcDc3BjQgoAKrcbe18HIJSfUiBhZG1pbkBtYXJsZmllbGRzLmNoZXNoaXJlLnNjaC51a1gEAAAAAw~~). This way the money you raise is sent directly to the charity, and you don’t have to bring cash into school.

We will send out to you a Sponsor Form so that you can keep a track of what you have raised, and you can send this in on the day of ‘the Rush’ so that we know who is taking part. On the JustGiving page we have put that we hope to raise £500, wouldn’t it be nice if we could perhaps do better than that?

Each child taking part gets a set of reindeer antlers free of charge. If the people who sponsor your child are tax payers, you can raise more money. If you tick the Gift Aid box the Hospice can claim 25p tax from the government for each £1 raised which makes a huge difference to the charity.

Whatever the weather, we will be holding our on **TUESDAY 15TH DECEMBER.**

On that day we will hold other fund-raising things within school including – selling marshmallow Snowmen/Reindeer. Our PTA are holding a **BAUBLE RAFFLE** – pay £1 for a Christmas bauble, which will be numbered and if your bauble is drawn you could win up to £100, and you get to keep the bauble too! If you would like to pre-order a snowman or reindeer there is a section on SCOPAY under Trips & Events, there is one for the Bauble Raffle too. We hope you feel able to support this worthwhile charity.

**SNOWMAN COMPETITION**

This week we are sending out an attachment of a poster from Dolce, our catering company, for your child to enter their Christmas competition. Entries need to be returned to school by Friday 27th November.

**SNACK and SCHOOL DINNER ORDERS**

If you wish your child to have school snack please ensure that you pay £2.50 on SCOPAY before 9:30am on a Monday morning which is when the lists are prepared. If it is paid after this time we cannot guarantee that your child will get snack that day.

Can you please make sure that school lunches are ordered at home on the Dolce app. Failure to do so may mean that your child will not get their preferred choice of lunch, or may be refused lunch by them. Thank you for your co-operation.





**NAME: …………………………………………………..… is taking part in the 2020 Reindeer Rush.**

**Please sponsor me and help to make EVERY day count for the patients, their families and their carers at East Cheshire Hospice.**

**East Cheshire Hospice is not just a building, it’s a group of volunteers, clinicians and supporters who help deliver exceptional end of life care to patients and their families. Over 80% of the cost of running the Hospice comes from fund-raising and donations.**

**It costs £345 per patient per night, so please help to raise vital funds and make a difference to those who need it most.**

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