

Marlfields Newsletter

8th July 2022

BEWILDERWOOD

WOW! What a fantastic day we all had at BeWILDerwood! Everyone was so excited when we arrived there and couldn't wait to take part in all the activities on offer. We did some craft work, had faces painted, climbed, ran about, and so much more. Here are a few pictures that were taken – there are plenty more on the school blog, have a look, they are great.



Thank you, Mrs Isherwood, for arranging for us to go on this brilliant adventure. Can we go again please?

TOWN SPORTS

On Wednesday evening we took a team of athletes up to Congleton High School for Town Sports. We are extremely proud of all members of the team who showed fantastic sportsmanship towards the other teams taking part. Congratulation must go to Theo Cooper who won a Silver medal for the skipping race. Well done Theo!



MARLFIELDS' SPORTS DAY

Our Sports Day will take place next Tuesday (12th). EYFS/Key Stage 1 will take place during the morning from 10:00am; Key Stage 2 will be during the afternoon from 2:00pm. You are more than welcome to come along to watch your child(ren) participate.

GOING BACK IN TIME

Years 4 and 5 had the opportunity to visit the 'living history' exhibit at Congleton Town Hall to see what life was like 750 years ago. They saw a mock-up of what Congleton looked like back then, the forms of punishment used and were also 'lucky' enough to be able to try some black bread and some ale (non-alcoholic) which was apparently, not nice at all!



CRYSTAL MAZE

Four of our Year 5 children went to Eaton Bank this week to take part in their "Crystal Maze". Here are some reports from the children:

We went to Eaton Bank to take part in a wide range of activities to participate in as part of the Crystal Maze Challenge. My favourite part of the day was the maths challenge, we used

marshmallows and spaghetti to make a tall and strong tower. I can't believe we got first place for that as our tower collapsed four times, but we worked as a team, using our perseverance to overcome this challenge. I also loved the crystal collection because at the last minute we found a spare yellow gem which meant that we came 3rd place overall with 662 gems.

By Elliott Clarke

My favourite part was science. We used a microscope to look at different part of an insect. It was disgusting, but also quite cool! I also liked the collection as I got loads of crystals. At the end we found an extra crystal which helped us win by one point against another team. At the end we were third out of six schools.

PRE-LOVED UNIFORM

As we reach the end of the school year, many children will have outgrown their uniform or are moving on to High School.

We are now, once again able to accept second-hand uniform, with a view to possibly setting up a 'shop' for parents to get items of clothing for their children. Please send in any donations to the office, preferably washed.

FRIENDS OF MARLFIELDS



Non uniform day- Thursday 14th July

At the Friends of Marlfields Summer Fun BBQ, there will be a bottle tombola and a cake stall. **Thursday 14th July** (the day before the BBQ) will therefore be a non-uniform day in exchange for a bottle of something, or some cakes.

If your child will be bringing in a bottle of something for the bottle tombola, please ensure the bottle is sealed or unopened, is within the 'Use By' date, and has not been used. The bottle can be a bottle of anything...from champagne to shampoo, any bottle will do!

Alternatively, your child may bring cakes for our cake stall instead of a bottle of something. Shop bought cakes and home-made cakes are all welcome!

We thank you in advance for your generous donations to the two stalls.

Summer Fun BBQ- Friday 15th July

The Friends of Marlfields are busy organising a Summer Fun BBQ for **Friday 15th July**, 3:00pm until 5:00pm. Come along to enjoy the BBQ, along with a bouncy castle, penalty shoot-out, garden games, treasure hunt, mocktails, ice cream, glitter tattoos, bottle tombola and cake stall. Since this is our first big fundraising event after the pandemic, it is sure to be an event not to be missed!