Newsletter: Spring Term, W/C 8th April

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Dear Parents and Carers.

We hope that Year 4 and Year 5 parents enjoyed the class showcases. It was lovely to see pupils happily working alongside their parents in their learning environment. We have enjoyed listening to your positive feedback about the sessions.

#### Parental Consultations

These will take place this week on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April and Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> April. If you are unable to make the appointment and would like to discuss alternative dates and times, please do not hesitate to contact the office. We look forward to seeing you all sometime this week.

#### Mini Marshfielders

Come and join in the fun in Mini-Marshfielders on Thursday at 10am in the school hall - please see page 4 for details.

## Morning Entry

As a school of over 450 pupils, there are areas of the school at peak times that can become congested. With that in mind, we request that when you drop your children off in the morning, that you avoid standing along the pathway to the gate. This will enable parents to watch their children entering school safely. Many thanks.

## Parking Issues

We have, once again, received concerns from local residents regarding inconsiderate parking at the beginning and end of the day, particularly at Springfields and also by the pedestrian crossing.

We would also ask that parents bringing pupils to Pandas to please supervise their children carefully as they are walked into school. In addition, please be mindful of where you park when there are events in school e.g. parental consultations.

# Sharing Celebrations

Congratulations to Hollie W (Yr1 SJL) who took part in the PURE Cheer dance Welsh competition yesterday. Dancing in the Under 8s, at age 6, she achieved  $2^{nd}$  place solos,  $1^{st}$  place Duos and  $1^{st}$  place for the team.

Congratulations, also, to Ava C (Yr5 EM) who, following a successful audition with Welsh Maestro Tim Rhys-Evans MBE, has been invited to join the Pan-Wales "Only Kids Aloud" as part of its 2019/2020 lineup.

## St Davids Day Photos

The St David's Day Photos featuring all of our classes will be in the South Wales Argus supplement on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April.

# Marshfield Primary School Football Kit

It has been over 8 years since our Football kit was renewed; and we have never had a cricket kit for the children.

When we attend tournaments it would be lovely if the children's kit matched their magnificent talents. We are, therefore, asking if any our parents have company contacts who would kindly sponsor the purchase of our kit? E.g. A football kit for a team is approximately £600, similarly for cricket. Any help would be gratefully received.

## Change of Menu

Please note that the menu is changing this week to the following:

Tuesday - pasta bolognaise/veggie bolognaise

Wednesday - Roast Chicken/Turkey/Cauliflower Cheese Bake

Thursday - Fish and Chips/Quorn Roast

Jacket potatoes and cold options will remain the same.

Please, also, note that, after Easter, the kitchen will be following the new menu that was issued a few weeks ago.

#### After school clubs

Please note that the after school clubs have now finished for this term. Pandas will continue as normal.

# Easter Bonnet Parade Nursery/Reception Thursday II<sup>th</sup> April



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	Class	Time	Location
	Nursery	11.15am and 2.45pm	Side yard
	Reception	2.45pm	Frant yard

Parents to stand in the middle of the playground so that the pupils can parade around them with their bonnets.

NB If it rains then we will record the pupils singing a song with their bonnets on and send to parents via Seesaw.

### End of Term

School will close on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April and reopen on Monday, 29<sup>th</sup> April. We hope that all our families and the community have a wonderful Easter break.



Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.

Mrs. L. J. Lewis

Headteacher

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