

MARCHWOOD JUNIOR SCHOOL

APRIL 2010 -NEWSLETTER

Congratulations to Miss Boddington on her marriage over the Easter holidays. Her married name is Mrs Richardson.

School uniform – now that the warmer weather has arrived we have noticed that children are wearing a variety of footwear, often quite unsuitable for school. Please would you ensure that shoes are black and sturdy. If alternative footwear is worn for any reason, please send in a note to your child's teacher to explain the circumstances.

SEN drop-in afternoons – 2.30-3.30: to take place on **28th May and 2nd July**. If you wish to pop in to discuss any issue or concern regarding special educational needs with Miriam Walker (SENCO), formerly Bateman, or Jane Wilton (Emotional Support), please contact the office to make a 15 minute appointment.

Confident Parents, Confident Kids – a letter went home recently about this 8 week course that will be running in school one afternoon a week from the week commencing 24th May – day to be decided. We still have a few places available if any parent wishes to take up the opportunity. Please ask at the school office for a copy of the letter.

Parking - please be mindful of where you park at drop-off and pick-up times. In particular, please **do not** park in the Village Mews parking spaces. The residents are finding the situation

increasingly difficult – inconsiderate parking is causing problems for them on an almost daily basis.

Please be considerate to our neighbours. Thank you!

Used computer ink cartridges and mobile phones – please continue to send these in to the school office. We use these to supplement the Tesco Computers/Sports equipment voucher scheme.

Tesco and Sainsbury's vouchers – These schemes will shortly be coming to an end. Please could you make sure all your vouchers are sent into school as soon as possible so we can collate them. Thank you.

Travelling Book Fair - will be in school between Thursday 13th and 20th May. Children will be able to buy books at lunchtime and after school. A leaflet will be sent home next week.

Marchwood Village Fete – will be held at the Lloyds Recreation Ground on Saturday 3rd July 12.00 – 4.30 p.m. The theme this year is 'Pirates of the Caribbean'.

Thanks for your support. Have a lovely Bank Holiday weekend!

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Headteacher Deputy Headteacher

March Reward Certification Bronze

*Nancy Sigani
Harry Freeman
Isabella Mills
William Jones
Chloe Layland
Bethany Nugus
Hannah Glover Adams
Gabriel Pugh
Louis Rehman
Celine Petty
George Zarb
Matthew Besant
Robert Bradley
Chloe Johnstone*

*Thomas Pidgley
Amy Ramswell
Katie Bishop
Freya Body
Megan Crookes
Michael Guy
Connor Hansford
Owen Hayward
Lucy Leigh
Georgia Mihill
Lucy Tilt
Gabriel Beale
Holly Godley
Jake Murray*

*Sasha Neate
Benjamin Passfield
Charlotte White
Joseph Baker
Daniel Bennison
Kyle Cross
Reeve Davis
Crystal Denton
Philippa Falder
Abigail Jenkinson
Lucy Whetren
Katherine Wood*

Congratulations to you all!

DIARY DATES:

10 th – 14 th May	SATs week for year 6 / QCA tests for rest of school
Thursday 13 th May	25 th Anniversary celebrations – letter has been sent home
17 th & 20 th May	Upper School visits to Lyndhurst
Friday 21 st May	Mini marathon – more details to follow
31 st May – 4 th June	HALF – TERM holiday
Monday 7th June	INSET DAY – Children do not attend
Tuesday 8 th June	Class and Year 6 photos - pm
Tuesday 22 nd June	9.30am Lower School Sports Day
Thursday 24 th June	9.30am Upper School Sports Day
Friday 25th June	INSET DAY – Children do not attend
Saturday 26 th June	Swimathon at Applemore Pool 2–4.30. Details to follow
Friday 23rd July	Last day of term
Mon 6th & Tues 7th Sept	INSET DAYS – Children do not attend
Wednesday 8th September	First day of Autumn Term

School term/holiday dates for current year and 2010-11: These can be found by looking at www.hants.gov.uk/education. If you would like a paper copy please ask at School Office.