



Newsletter Date: 13th March 2020

### Dance Festival at Rednock

The dance festival due to be held on Tuesday 17th March has unfortunately been cancelled by Rednock due to a lack of interest from other schools. Apologies for any disappointment caused to the children who were looking forward to taking part.

### Rotary Club Concert, Berkeley

In view of the current Coronavirus situation, it has also been decided to postpone the annual Rotary Club Concert due to take place on 20th March. We look forward to attending next year's concert evening.

### Change of School Caterers

Caterlink will cease to provide our school meals from the end of this term. The Academy Trust have arranged for a company called Aspens to provide our school meals commencing from after Easter. The daily cost will be slightly cheaper at £2.30 per meal. Further information and menus will be sent out shortly.

### Cam Woodfield Junior School Talent Show

Following its success last year, we will be holding the school talent show again, providing the children with the opportunity to demonstrate a range of their wonderful talents. Children wanting to take part should prepare a short performance ready to audition in their classes during the week beginning 23rd March. Each class will vote and put forward their best two acts to perform in front of the school and our guest judges on Wednesday 1st April. Last year our talents included dance, singing musical instruments, comedy and much more. We are very excited to see what talents the children will be bringing this year!

### Kids stuff Sale

Stroud District Kids stuff pop-up shop will be held in school on Thursday 2nd April between 10.00 and 11.00 am. This is a 'pay as you feel' shop of baby equipment, toys, maternity items, children's clothes and second hand uniform. Tea and coffee will also be available. Donations of good quality items are welcome. We do hope as many of you will be able to attend. Kids stuff can be contacted on 01453 367750 or for more information visit [info@strouddistrictkidsstuff.org.uk](mailto:info@strouddistrictkidsstuff.org.uk).

### Coronavirus update

We will continue to inform you of any further updates received regarding Coronavirus. Following the governments statement yesterday, the UK is now in the "Delay Stage". The Government have instructed that all UK schools remain open and to follow the following guidance:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/wuhan-novel-coronavirus-information-for-the-public>

In essence, this means the school will remain fully operational until a change of status, regarding Education is declared by the Government. However, we will be updating you on any confirmed potential risks and changes as they arise. We are consistently monitoring situation and following government guidelines.

As a precautionary measure, we will be restricting visitors inside the school and this might mean that instead of inviting parents to our events or visitors, we will host information on the school website for viewing.

Government advice is changing daily so we will update as soon as the position changes.



### Important Dates to Remember this Spring Term 4:

Friday 20th March—After School Clubs finish

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Thursday 2nd April—Kidstuff Sale 10.00 am—11.00 am

Friday 3rd April—School breaks up for Easter.

Monday 20th April - INSET Day

Tuesday 21st April – children return to school

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Newsletter Date: 28th February 2020

### Elm Class Assembly

Thank you to all the parents who came to watch Elm Class Assembly on Italy this morning. The children had prepared a really interesting performance. Well done all.

### Science Fair

We would like to invite parents to come and see the work the children have produced during Science Week. We hope you will be able to join us at 2.30pm on Wednesday 18th March to celebrate their wonderful achievements.

### School Twitter Account

The school now has a Twitter account: @cam\_woodfield. Live tweets are linked to the school website. We hope you enjoy using this new facility.

### Athletics Club

Mr Durden will start Athletics Club on Thursday mornings from 8am until 8.30am commencing after Easter on 30th April. If any parents are able to help him run the club, please inform the school office.

### Change to 2019/2020 School Calendar

Please note that the Bank Holiday originally set for Monday 4th May has been moved to Friday 8th May to commemorate V.E Day. The school will be open as normal on the 4th, but closed on the 8th.

### Preparing pupils for the future!

We would like to hold a Careers Fair, where visitors come into school to talk to the children about their jobs. The purpose of our careers fair will be to encourage children to aspire and motivate them to understand why it is important to work hard in school. The children will be able to ask the visitors questions to find out about their jobs and why they enjoy them. If you have a job that you would be willing to talk to children about, we would love to hear from you, whether you are a nurse, a hairdresser, a fire fighter, or a vet. Please speak to either Mrs Carrick or Mrs Wainwright, or contact Mrs Carrick at [rcarrick@camwoodfield-jun.gloucs.sch.uk](mailto:rcarrick@camwoodfield-jun.gloucs.sch.uk) if you would be willing to take part.

### After School Clubs

After school clubs will continue until week ending Friday 20th March.

### Marling School Open Mornings

The parents of boys, currently in Year 5, who are looking at Marling School Y7 entry in September 2021 may like to know Open Mornings are scheduled for **Thursday 2 April** and **Thursday 25 June 2020**. Arrive for either 9.00 or 9.30am, no need to pre-book. They look forward to welcoming you and your son(s). The Entrance Test takes place on Saturday 12 September 2020 - if you would like an emailed reminder to register when the registration window opens in June 2020, please email [admissions@marling.school](mailto:admissions@marling.school) with 'reminder to register' in the subject line.



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