

## **Ogbourne School News**

We have enjoyed a busy Summer Term. We've completed all our assessments. We were again very pleased with our Y6 results: 100% at Level 4 or above in Reading, Writing, Maths and Science and 93% at Level 4 in SPAG (Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar).

This term we celebrated the anniversary of the signing of the Magna Carta, re-enacting the event with our very own bad King John! We've had trips to the Houses of Parliament, @Bristol, the Cotswold Wildlife Park, Stonehenge, Bowood Adventure Park and a synagogue. The Year Five and Year Six also enjoyed a week-long adventure week at Osmington Bay. Currently at the time of writing, we're busy practising for our end of year production, 'Ye-Ha' which is taking place in our school hall.

As you can see, we've been busy throughout this term and we're now really looking forward to a holiday.

## **School Hall Curfew**

In the new academic year, we want to review the school hall curfew arrangements, which currently state that the hall cannot be used beyond 9.00pm. To begin this process, we'd first like to consult with the community in order to assess local opinion. There is a meeting scheduled for **7.30pm on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> September in the school hall** to discuss the various options. We'd be pleased to welcome you there.

Anne Normington  
(Principal)

## **Marlborough Medical Practice now has a Patient Participation Group (PPG)**

The purpose of the group is to represent the views of patients that fall into the practice boundary, and so includes representatives from Marlborough itself and from surrounding villages.

Representatives also have specific demographic areas they have experience with to ensure that people who may not normally have a voice in the practice have a say. Meetings are held regularly, and representatives are encouraged to raise areas for discussion. In between meetings, the PPG is kept informed of any developments and news from the practice via email. There are always several representatives of the practice present at the meeting. The PPG is run by patients, with the chair being a patient representative, and administrative support is provided by the practice. It is a way for the practice to be made aware of what patients feel about the practice, as well as ensuring patients know about the practice's services.

If you are registered with the practice and you have any comments, suggestions or thoughts that you would like the PPG to discuss, please send these to the group through our email address [MarlboroughPPG@gmail.com](mailto:MarlboroughPPG@gmail.com). Alternatively, any comments can be posted to the PPG at the following address: The Patient Participation Group, C/O Amy Lacey, Marlborough Medical Practice, The Surgery, George Lane, SN8 4BY.

Please note, the PPG is not a conduit through which to send complaints, and these should be directed through the usual complaints process.

## CHURCH DIARY

2 August, 10.00am, Cafe Church  
9 August, 8.30am, Holy Communion (BCP)  
16 August, 9.30am, Parish Communion  
23 August, 6.00pm, Evensong (BCP)  
30 August, 10.30am, Benefice Communion (at Ogbourne St Andrew)

**100 Club** - the winners in June and July were

June

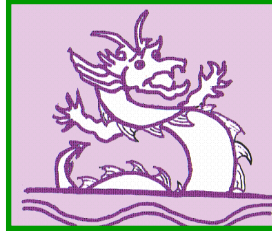
1st Mr Irwin  
2nd Mrs Davies  
3rd MrsTattersall

July

1st Ms Tweddle  
2nd Mr Britton  
3rd Mrs Lacaille

**Anne Davey G.B.S.M. Fully qualified Piano Teacher,** with more than 30 years experience. Students of all ages and abilities accepted. Based in Ogbourne St. George. (Tel: 07590 197790. Email: Annedavey484@live.co.uk )

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# The Dragon August 2015

## Barbury Cakes and Endurance

We raised an incredible £ 1,954.64 (boosted by some cash given for ingredients, offered to some of our more prolific bakers, but not used).

This is £6 down on last year, however we had some stock left over which we will use for the endurance ride on Sunday 23rd August - it's a single day event this year with 100 competitors and if it wasn't for the stock we probably would not have opted to go.

For the Endurance ride sale on 23rd August we will need some volunteers to set up a Gazebo, to man the stall and do a small amount of baking - primarily sponges and cup cakes (Lemon Drizzle/Coffee and Chocolate being Barbury's favourites - but every event is different).

Thank you to all who were able to help this time and advance thanks to anyone who can help with the endurance ride sale on the 23rd August.

**THE MOBILE LIBRARY** parks in Liddiards Green on alternate **Thursdays from 10-10.30am**. Dates for this month are the **13th and 27th August**.