

THERE'S NO SUCH THINGS AS BAD WEATHER..... JUST BAD CLOTHING!

And fortunately, there is no shortage of GOOD clothing at Marcham Pre-school. On a VERY wet morning in October the children were able to carry on as normal selecting their own activities outside with our new stock of waterproof jackets and trousers (and of course our boots!) We all know how important it is for children to access the outdoors... and also how frustrating it is when it rains and they are stuck inside – especially those children who just CRAVE being outside! Well no more! And what fun we all had!

For more details about Marcham Pre-school please see our website at www.marcham-preschool.ik.org or telephone 392101.

Marcham School Christmas Fayre
 Saturday 4th December 2-4pm
 Come along and get your Christmas Gifts

Family Bingo
 Friday 12th November
 Marcham School
 Doors open at 6.30pm, Eyes down at 7pm
 for 4 games of family friendly fun.
 Hot dogs and chips will be available.
 All welcome.

ABINGDON LITTLE ANGELS

This month Abingdon Little Angels have been learning all about different food..... we learnt about Vegetables, Pasta and Oriental food. Hence we have had great fun in our very own vegetable shop (it was a shame we had to dig up our own vegetables earlier on in the year!!). Everyone wore their pasta necklace with pride and we tried new and exciting food from the Orient.



Our Little Angels had an amazing adventure - we took the bus from Marcham to Abingdon, then wandered up and down the fair!!! We all loved the music, some even started dancing and we all went on a ride as well.

Angels Out of School Club The Angels out of School Club has had a great start with opening its doors this last month, and we are all looking forward to the Holiday Club in October half term. We are offering Breakfast, After school and Holiday Clubs throughout the year for the bigger Angels of Marcham. For more information about the Angels Out of School Club please contact Helen or Kaye on 07516 474287 or at info@abingdonlittleangels.co.uk

Invitation



Oxfordshire information days about adult social care

Join us to find out what the changes in adult social care mean for you or someone you look after. Find out what help and support is available for you

- visit stalls of local and voluntary groups
 - talk to staff over a cup of tea
 - talk about how to plan your support to meet your needs
- 5th Nov: The Mill Arts Centre, Banbury 1-4pm
 19th Nov: County Hall, Oxford 4-7pm
 26th Nov: Windrush Leisure Centre, Witney, 1-4pm
 10th Dec: The Cornerstone, Didcot, 1-4pm
- Visit Oxfordshire's information website on personalisation at www.takingcontroloxon.org.uk or email tasc@oxfordshire.gov.uk for more information
 November 2010

MARCHAM PLAYERS

As regular readers of our column will know Marcham Players have, for the past five years or so, been "homeless" in terms of a permanent venue in the village for live productions. Whereas we once managed to stage at least two productions a year the closing of the Institute brought to a sad end our connection with that much loved building.

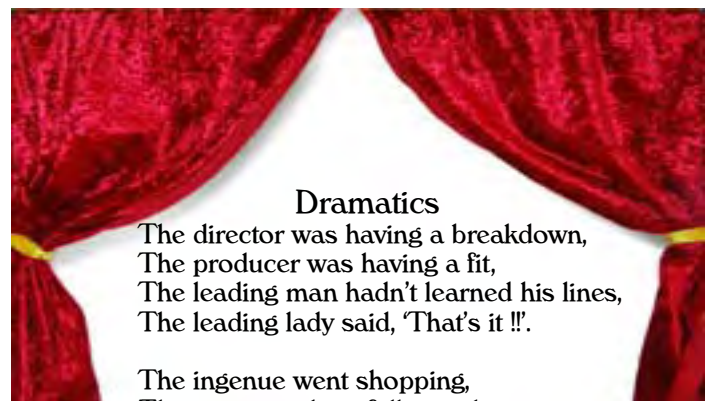


Since then we have continued our existence by way of regular theatre visits within the surrounding area, play readings and our very popular "With Great Pleasure" selected reading evenings. We have also, from time to time, presented specialist "one off" live events such as "An Evening With the Oxford Waites", "Trafalgar Day + One" and "Midsummer Music in a Marquee" in venues as diverse as All Saints Church, Manor Farm and a large marquee on a local farm. These events have all been solidly supported and have encouraged us to believe that the village does value the Marcham Players. We are therefore greatly encouraged to be aware of the initiative currently underway under the banner of the Marcham Community Group in relation to the possibility of a new Community Building facility on the Anson Field. We appreciate these ideas are at an early stage and that they have to be dependent on the support of a large element of the village and its many and varied organisations, but we will have been represented at the Open Village Meeting on 22 October. From our perspective a new community village facility would be most welcome!

Any enquiries regarding membership of the Marcham Players can be answered by phoning either Joey Maclean on 01865 391262 or Dave Hutchinson on 01865 391964

www.marchamplayers.co.uk

Don't wait to send in your report to MADNews, better early than miss the 20th deadline



Dramatics

The director was having a breakdown,
 The producer was having a fit,
 The leading man hadn't learned his lines,
 The leading lady said, 'That's it !!'

The ingenue went shopping,
 The prompter kept falling asleep,
 The villain of the piece went off to the pub,
 Then some scenery collapsed in a heap.

Still, it all came together at last
 And a great success was the show,
 And all the hard work behind the scenes
 Was not for the audience to know.

Doris Dowling

Key Stage 1 & 2 Tutor (CRB Checked)
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