

School Council Actions 2018-19:

Charities supported this year:

We decided which charities we will support this year:

World: World Wildlife Fund. Money was raised through the retiring collections at our KS1 and KS2 Christmas productions. We raised £256.39.

Local: Demelza House Children's Hospice. In April, we invited everyone to come to school dressed in their pyjamas and to bring a teddy, for a donation. We raised £217.56

National: Cancer Research - on Wednesday 10th July, we held a sponsored Walk/ Run around the field. The amount raised was a staggering £4190.41!

Uniform

We discussed the reasons behind particular uniform rules. These were shared with classes by their School Council reps and shared in the newsletter to parents, to remind everyone about the rules about jewellery, hair accessories and footwear.

Whole School Focus: Keeping the School Tidy/ Eco Squad

We discussed suggestions from class councils for a project or an idea of something the School Council can develop or improve in school. We decided to work as a whole school on making sure that our school is tidy and litter free. We have made a start on this and will carry on with this next year. We also have a very enthusiastic volunteers from KS1 who have called themselves The Clean Up Crew.

British Values

We shared each class' feedback on what we do in school to promote British Values.

One of the requests was that the children wanted to know more about these values, so Mrs Thomas has started to deliver some assemblies about British Values so everyone knows what they mean.

Toilets

We gathered ideas from class councils about what we would like the toilets to look like, if we have any money to do them up. Top of our list were: hand dryers, electronic air fresheners, new door locks and urinals in the boys' toilets. We also wanted higher barriers between the toilets if this was possible. We had lots of ideas about how they could be decorated too (E.g. Monster Phonics or inspirational quotes on the back of the door!)

Anti-Bullying

We also discussed how bullying is not accepted at Marden and what we do to show this. We also discussed some ideas of what we could do better to promote this view in school.