

The Mead Community Primary School



What's on this Week – Monday 24th April 2017

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Term 5 Week 1

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***** 'BE ON TIME, TEN TO NINE' *****

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Our Twitter feed: [@TweetTheMead](https://twitter.com/TweetTheMead)

Monday 24/04/2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 9am – Celebration Assembly• Bath Rugby in school to work with Skylarks and Eagles
Tuesday 25/04/2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ravens to Upper Row Farm• Bikeability – selected children• Life Bus visits begin
Wednesday 26/04/2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 9.00am – Community Assembly – Mrs Millard, Community Celebration• Bikeability – selected children• Life Bus continues• 5.30pm – Year 2 Parents SATs Meeting – Frogs Classroom
Thursday 27/04/2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Frogs to Upper Row Farm• Life Bus continues• 6.30pm - Gala Evening at the Town Hall
Friday 28/04/2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Life Bus continues• Newts swimming

Dear Parents,

This week we looked at another painting where we tried to find objects in the painting. The painting was by Paul Saul and called 'View of San Francisco, Number 2'

His work has connections with Pop Art, Surrealism, and Expressionism. His early use of pop culture cartoon references in the late 1950s and very early 1960s situates him as one of the fathers of the Pop Art movement. He realised about 800 paintings during his career.

We asked the children to find the following:-
6 ships, 3 palm trees, 3 bridges, 1 wiggly road,
1 tunnel, 3 pagodas, 1 doughnut-shaped building
and the number 76 twice.

Can you find anything else that at first glance might not be seen?

<http://www.metmuseum.org/art/collection/search/485146>



For the latest secondary school newsletters please use the links below:-

Clarendon Newsletters
John of Gaunt

<http://www.clarendonacademy.com/parents/newsletters>

<http://johnofgauntschool.org/information/newsletters-and-notice/>

INSET DAYS

2016 - 2017 – 15TH MAY 2017

2017 – 2018 - 1ST & 4TH SEPTEMBER 2017, 30TH OCTOBER 2017, 4TH JANUARY 2018, 21ST MAY 2018

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Narnia

Children from both our Hilperton and Wingfield sites wowed audiences with two shows of their school performance this week.

Yesterday (Thursday 6 April), nearly 100 pupils from Years 4, 5 and 6 performed a musical rendition of Narnia on a set designed and created by members of the school's art club.

The shows took place at the Wiltshire Music Centre in Bradford on Avon and nearly 350 people were there to witness them.

Some photos of the performance are shown in the galleries below, and also feature on the [Wiltshire Times website](#).

If you would like access to the school photo's please email office@themead.wilts.sch.uk and we will send you the link after the school holidays.

The Life Bus is back!

We are excited to welcome back The Life Education Centre next term!

This visit really enriches our PSHEE and Citizenship curriculum. It is an invaluable learning opportunity for our children, which they thoroughly enjoy and remember.

In order to continue to support the development of our children's personal, social and health education through this visit, we ask for your support in providing a voluntary contribution of £4.00 per child.

Below are the sessions which the children will be taking part in. This information was also in the letter that went out last week. Thank you for your support.

Hilperton – week beginning 25 th April		Wingfield – 4 th May	
Reception	All About Me!	Reception	All About Me
Year 1	My Wonderful Body	Year 1/2	My Wonderful Body
Year 2	Feelings	Year 3/4	Meet the Brain
Year 3	Meet the Brain	Year 5/6	Decisions
Year 4	It's Great to be Me!		
Year 5	Friends		
Year 6	Decisions.		

Free sessions for parents:
Hilperton Site - Wednesday 26th April 8.45am – 9.15am
Wingfield Site - Thursday 4th May 3.15pm – 3.30pm

Garden Help needed on the Hilperton site!

We've been working hard all term with the children (and adults) to move the vegetable garden but need a final push before work starts on the nursery.

Please can you spare some time on **Sunday 9th April** to help out?
We will start at 9am and work all day - come along when you can.

All ages welcome! If you can let Mel Jacob know if you plan to come that would be useful.
Thank you for your continuing support.

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Gala Evening - Thursday 27th April 2017

If your child is taking part in The Mead Gala Evening you should receive an email confirming the details this week - please check your email and if you have not received an email by Friday please contact Mel Jacob as your reply slip may have gone astray. melaniejacob@blueyonder.co.uk

If you would like to take part but haven't let us know yet, you must contact us by Friday this week at the latest.

Many thanks, Mel Jacob

Don't forget..... 'Once a Week, Take a Peek'



Sainsbury's
Active Kids 2017
Eat well • Move well • Live well

Active Kids is back until 2nd May 2017. We will be very grateful to receive your vouchers to enable us to acquire valuable resources for our children.
Many thanks.

FUTURE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Date	Event
Monday 24 th April 2017	First day of Term 5
25 th – 28 th April	Life Bus on site
25 th April 2017	Ravens to Upper Row Farm
27 th April 2017	Frogs to Upper Row Farm
MONDAY 1st MAY 2017	SCHOOL IS CLOSED – MAY DAY HOLIDAY
2nd May 2017	After school clubs begin this week
4 th May 2017	Newts and Robins to The Roman Baths
8 th May 2017	Y6 SATs Week
13 th May 2017	Arts Community Day
15 th May 2017	INSET DAY
19 th May 2017	Wagtails and Wrens to Chepstow Castle
24 th May 2017	Community Assembly – Ladybirds
Friday 26 th May 2017	Last day of Term 5
Monday 5 th June 2017	First day of Term 6
5 th - 9 th June 2017	Y6 to Plas Pencelli
7 th June 2017	Community Assembly – Year 1 classes
8 th June 2017	Ravens and Frogs to Take 2 Tapestry, Longleat
5 th – 7 th & 7 th – 9 th June 2017	Y4 to Oxenwood
20 th June 2017	Hilperton Site Sports Day
21 st June 2017	Community Assembly – Year 6 Plas Celebration
22 nd June 2017	Hilperton Site Sports Day Fall Back Date
23 rd June 2017	School Disco
28 th June 2017	Community Assembly – Year 4 Oxenwood Celebration
3 rd – 5 th July 2017	Y5 to Kilve Court Residential
4 th July 2017	Y6 Transition Day at John of Gaunt and Clarendon
6 th July 2017	Y6 to the Good Citizen Event at Potterne

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W/E 7 th July 2017	Clubs finish this week
10 th July 2017	Transition Morning for the children Family Picnic 5pm – 6.45pm – both sites
12 th July 2017	Community Assembly – Year 2 classes
17 th July 2017	Y3 to Braeside
19 th July 2017	Transition Day – New Classes
21 st July 2017	Leavers Assembly
Friday 21 st July 2017	School Year Ends

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