

The Mead Community Primary School

What's on this Week – Monday 17th July 2017



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Term 6 Week 7

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

Monday 17 th July 2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none">9.00am – Y3 to Braeside long day
Tuesday 18 th July 2017	
Wednesday 19 th July 2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none">9.00am – Community Assembly – Summer Reading Challenge & Service to the School Awards9.30am – New Reception Intake Group A – Visit 3 – no need for parents to stay12.45pm – New Reception Intake Group B – Visit 3 – no need for parents to stayTransition Day – New Classes
Thursday 20 th July 2017	
Friday 21 st July 2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none">9.00am Leavers AssemblyLast day of school year – school finishes at the normal time of 3.15pmY6 Leaving party – Bouncy Castle
Tuesday 5 th September 2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none">School re-opens to children following the summer break for Term 1 2017/2018

Dear Parents

In our Art SOTD we looked at a sculpture which is believed to have been sold as the most expensive sculpture ever, selling for \$141.3 million in May 2015.

The sculpture was one of 6 casts created by Alberto Giacometti entitled L'Homme au doigt, which translates as pointing man. After asking the children to talk about the sculpture and whether they liked it, we then posed in similar ways and made observational drawings of each other. Why not have a go at home?

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/L%27Homme_au_doigt



INSET DAYS 2017 – 2018

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

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Well another year has passed by so quickly and we are soon heading into the long Summer break. We hope you and your children have many happy memories of this academic year. We are already busy with the plans for September and are looking forward to welcoming our children into their new classes.

At the end of term we say farewell to some of our long standing members of staff:

- Mrs Perry, Miss Gray and Mrs Harris will be starting their maternity leave over the Summer holidays so we wish them well and look forward to hearing about their safe arrivals.
- Mrs Hayward is leaving us to take up a TA post at The Grove.
- Miss Cole is leaving us to take a teaching post at Westonbirt School.
- Miss Handley is relocating over the summer and will then be teaching in London.
- Mrs Taylor is leaving her Music TA post with us to take a teaching post at Christ Church School.
- Miss Harrison has been promoted within The Trust to a Deputy Head Teacher role. We'll still see her over the next year, but the majority of her time will be spent at River Mead School.

I would like to personally thank all of our leavers for their hard work and dedication to our children over a number of years. I am sure you will join me in wishing them all well for the future and we look forward to hearing about their new adventures.

In September we will also be welcoming new members of the team. We welcome Miss Harriet Bailey and Mrs Vicky Martin as class teachers and Mrs Vanessa Beaven and Mrs Kiley Sterling as TAs. We also welcome Mrs Helena Armstrong (Deputy Headteacher) from River Mead. Mrs Armstrong will be teaching in Year 1 until Christmas, when our new Year 1 teacher Mrs Nicole Simenton will be able to start. We are still recruiting for Nursery staff ready for the opening of The Orchard Nursery in September and look forward to telling you all about the Nursery Team as soon as we can.

We are also waving a fond farewell to our wonderful Year 6 children at the end of this week. They triumphed in their unforgettable performance of A Midsummer Night's Dream at The Arc Theatre last Thursday and we can see that they have grown into remarkable young people who are ready to fly and start their next adventures in Secondary School. We can't wait to hear from them all about how they get on next year!

To those families who are leaving The Mead this year I would like to say thank you for your continued support and engagement in your children's education over the years. We hope that you will find time to visit The Mead for events and to let us know how your children are getting on in the future.

Enjoy your summer holidays!

Miss Emma Holton
Head of School

Year 2 – Female Heroes

Year 2 and looking for female heroes to kick start their topic next year.

If you are, or know of, a female fire fighter, soldier (or any member of the armed forces), member of the police, or anything similar please get in touch via the email below.

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*****After School Care*****

*****Price Increase from September 2017*****

3.15pm – 4.15pm	£1.75
4.15pm – 6.00pm	£4.50
3.15pm – 6.00pm	£6.25

Lost Property

If you are missing any school uniform please come and look in the lost property cupboard. Any uniform left on the last day of term will be put out on a table and will be free to a good home.

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

Clarendon Newsletters

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

John of Gaunt

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

Once a
week
take a
peek

Scooters and Bikes

Please remember to take all bikes and scooters home on the last day of term. Any left behind are likely to be disposed of if they don't have a clearly visible name on them.



Our school latest news: www.themead.wilts.sch.uk/news-dates/latest-news

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

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