



Clubs

Clubs start on Monday 23rd September. Please note that from that date there will be a change in the way that we would like you to report planned absence from clubs. If for any reason your child will not be attending their club, please inform the school office who will amend the register for that week. You can contact the office by visiting in person, leaving a letter in the post box, calling on 01225 759273 (option 2 for Hilperon/option 1 for Wingfield), or emailing Mrs Bailey office@themead.wilts.sch.uk /Mrs Moore wingfieldoffice@themead.wilts.sch.uk. We will only accept parental permission for non-attendance at clubs and will always call to check if your child is absent without your direct notification, so please support our staff by not sending verbal messages with your children. This way we can ensure that everyone is accounted for quickly and easily.

Thank you for your continuing support.

After School Care

Should you need to contact After School Care once the school office is closed, please call the usual school telephone number (01225 759273) and press the option for After School Care.

Please could you also be reminded to fully complete the blue form including all known allergies and an emergency contact number.

Many thanks.

Changes to Star of the week assembly

The hall will be in use every morning from the start of next week for phonics teaching, so we will be moving Star of the Week assembly to a Wednesday morning at 9am in the Music Studio; Mrs Dixon will be at the Wingfield site on that morning so the room is free. We look forward to welcoming you to celebrate your children with us.

Please note

Children in Year 6 are allowed to bring their own pencil cases to school if they wish, as they begin to prepare to organise their own equipment ready for secondary school. Children in other year groups should not bring pencil cases to school – there is plenty of equipment in the classrooms for the children to use.

Wednesdays	Community Assembly	Host
25 th September	Y4 Brokerswood Celebration (from 12.7.19)	Ospreys and Roe Deer
2 nd October	Y5 Braeside Celebration (from 15/16.07.19)	Fireflies and Stoats
9 th October	Harvest - Kingfisher Church TBC	Mrs Alison Bennett
16 th October	Firework Safety – Caroline Jackson DWFRS	Caroline Jackson
23 rd October	Our School Rules	Miss Holton



The Book Club

The Book Club is run by the Friends for the children at both sites of the Mead school. All children are invited to come along and have a look through the selection of books available. Our books are priced from 50p - £2.50.


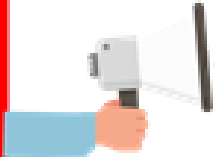
At the Hilperton site, the Book Club is on Friday lunchtime 12.30pm-1.30pm. Children can bring in their money in a **named purse or envelope** and put it in the collection bag at the gate on Friday mornings. One of the helpers from book club will stand near the bike sheds with the collection bag.

The older children (key stage Two) are able to keep hold of their money and come along at lunchtime to purchase their books.

Any unspent monies will remain in your child's Book Club account. If your child doesn't have enough money for their chosen book, they can reserve it and save up for it!

The reception children will be invited to the Book club in the new year, and you will be informed of the date nearer the time. One of our helpers will collect reception children from the lunch hall and take them to book club and escort them back to their classrooms.

We are always grateful for volunteer helpers, if you can spare a couple of hours on a Friday lunchtime (on average once a month) we would love to hear from you. If you would like to volunteer to help with Book Club or would like to know more, please contact Gemma Lamerton via the office or email gemma.lamerton@sky.com



Fight the Flu!

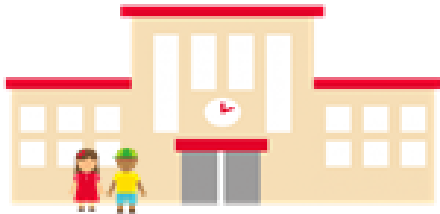
Protect your children and family against Flu!

FREE annual nasal Flu spray!!

All years included: Reception, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6!

For further information and to complete a consent form please access:

<https://schoolimms.virginicare.co.uk/flu/2019/wilts>



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THE FRIENDS OF THE MEAD



NEWSLETTER SEPT 2019

Friends of The Mead

DISCO

4TH OCTOBER 2019
HILPERTON SITE, ENTRY VIA MUSIC STUDIO
KS1: YEARS 1, 2 & 3: 5.30PM – 6.30PM
KS2: YEARS 4, 5 & 6: 6.45PM – 7.45PM
GLITTER TATTOOS & BLOW ITEMS ARE AVAILABLE TO BUY AT KS2 DISCO.

TICKETS ARE £2 EACH WHICH INCLUDES A SNACK & DRINK.
PLEASE PAY ON THE DOOR.

ALL WELCOME!!

Parentsland

Disco helpers needed!! If you can help please use the link to sign up:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0c4e00a923a3fb6-october>

A huge welcome back to you all for this new academic year, and a special welcome to all the new families joining us this term!

The Friends have lots in store for you with events lined up for this year already.

We have our first disco on the 4th October, where children from Year 1 to 6 are invited to join us for an evening of fun.

We will also be holding our AGM on Tuesday 22nd October. If you would like to be part of an amazing team, or would just like to come along for a chat please join us.

Book club over both sites will be starting again shortly, look out for more info on this.

Details of all our events will be displayed in our notice boards, around school, parentmails and on our Facebook page.



Chair: Cloey Clinch
Vice Chair: Nicola Gould
Secretary: Denise Knott
Treasurer: Charmain Tuck

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For the attention of all parents

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secondary school in September 2020?

**You must apply for a
secondary school place**

Apply online at www.wiltshire.gov.uk

Application forms for Wiltshire residents are also available
at County Hall, Monkton Park and Bourne Hill

**The deadline for all applications is
Midnight 31 October 2019**

All forms must be returned to the
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Ring customer services on 01225 713010
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