



What's on this Week – Monday 15th October 2018

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

**CITIZENSHIP YEAR – WEEKLY QUOTE**

“Some days are just bad days, that's all. You have to experience sadness to know happiness, and I remind myself that not every day is going to be a good day, that's just the way it is!” Dita Von Teese- American Dancer

Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• North Wiltshire Cross Country competition at Stonar School – Selected Children</li> <li>• 2.45pm – Celebration Assembly</li> </ul>
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•</li> </ul>
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2.45pm Community Assembly – Black History Month</li> </ul>
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• John Of Gaunt Football League after school – selected children</li> <li>• 2.30pm – Pine Martens – Fabulous Finish</li> </ul>
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School Disco – see below</li> </ul>

**SCHOOL DISCO**

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2018**  
Hilperton Site  
Years 1, 2 & 3: 5.30pm – 6.30pm  
Years 4, 5 & 6: 6.45pm – 7.45pm  
Entry via Music Studio

Tickets are £2 each which includes a snack & drink.  
Tattoos & glow items are available to buy at KS2 disco.  
All welcome!

Friends of the Mead

2018 – 2019      5<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2018, 7<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2019, 20<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2019  
2019 – 2020      2<sup>ND</sup> & 3<sup>RD</sup> SEPTEMBER 2019

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### KS 1 Football Festival

On Friday morning 10 Year 2 children from across both Hilperton and Wingfield sites travelled to Warminster School for a KS1 football festival. The first hour was made up of drills where the children could show off their dribbling, passing and shooting skills. The second hour of the morning was filled with matches against other schools. The children played 4 other schools winning each game without conceding a goal! The games finished 1-0, 1-0, 3-0 and 4-0 to The Mead. The children had great fun and returned to school with smiles on their faces eager to tell other children and staff how well they had done.



Mrs Alice Perry  
P.E. Lead

### Head Lice



### THE MEAD TEACHING SCHOOL

#### Train to be a teacher at The Mead

The Mead Teaching School will soon be recruiting for trainee teachers in 2019-20.

If you are considering a career in teaching, now is the time to come and find out more about our teacher training programme and what we can offer you.

Our School Direct programme gives you 'on the job' training with a variety of experienced mentors from all three of The Mead Academy Trust schools, as well as our alliance partnership schools in Trowbridge, Westbury and beyond.

There are salaried and non-salaried places available, both of which provide Qualified Teacher Status (the non-salaried places also provide a PGCE qualification).

If you would like to find out more about training to become a teacher, you can come to one of our open days at The Mead:

- Wednesday 26th September 2018 from 2.00 – 3.00pm and 4.00 – 5.00pm
- Thursday 8th November 2018 from 2.00 – 3.00pm and 4.00 – 5.00pm
- Monday 3rd December 2018 from 4.00 – 5.00pm

There's no obligation to apply for our programme if you come along – we're very happy to talk to anyone who is interested in finding out more, whether you're set to apply now for training in September 2019, or whether it's something you're thinking about in the future.

All you need to do is tell us you're coming by visiting our website:

<https://www.themeadteachingschool.org.uk/teacher-training/>

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

John of Gaunt <http://johnofgauntschool.org/information/newsletters-and-notices/>

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

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## For the attention of all parents

Will your child be four years old  
before September 2019?

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

Apply online at [www.wiltshire.gov.uk](http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk)

Application forms for Wiltshire residents are available at  
all schools and County Hall

**The deadline for applications is  
Midnight 15 January 2019**

All forms must be returned to the  
school admissions team at County Hall, Trowbridge

Ring customer services on **01225 713010**  
for more information or to request our booklet –  
**'Finding a primary school place in Wiltshire'**

Wiltshire Council  
Where everybody matters

## For the attention of all parents

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secondary school in September 2019?

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### Future Dates

17 <sup>th</sup> October	Community Assembly – Black History Month
18 <sup>th</sup> October	Mice Reception – Early Literacy Workshop
18 <sup>th</sup> October	Pine Martens – Fabulous Finish
18 <sup>th</sup> October	Trowbridge Football League at John of Gaunt School – Selected children
22 <sup>nd</sup> October	Flu Immunisation – Wingfield – Reception to Year 5
22 <sup>nd</sup> October	<b>Celebration Assembly – Stars of the Week and Outside Achievements – 2.30pm</b>
24 <sup>th</sup> October	Community Celebration Assembly – Firework Safety
5 <sup>th</sup> November	Inset day – school is closed
8 <sup>th</sup> November	Open day – all sites. 10am – midday and 4pm – 6pm
9 <sup>th</sup> November	Ducklings, Moles and Pine Martens to We The Curious
9 <sup>th</sup> November	Mice Reception – Early Maths Workshop
29 <sup>th</sup> November	Trip to Bristol Hippodrome (The English National Ballet)
7 <sup>th</sup> January 2019	Inset day – school is closed
15 <sup>th</sup> January	Youth Sports Ambassador – Civic Centre – Selected children
23 <sup>rd</sup> January	Young Voices – Genting Arena Birmingham
20 <sup>th</sup> May	Inset day – school is closed

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Join us for The Friends of the Mead AGM on **Monday 22nd October @ 6.45pm**, when a new committee will be formed in line with our constitution. This year as well as the usual requirement of a minimum of 15 committee members, we are looking to recruit a new Chair and Secretary. If you are interested in either the named roles or as a committee member, please contact The Friends for a chat. Check out our notice board for more information!

Our first scheduled event this term is the School Disco!! This will be held on **Friday 19th October** at the Hilperton site. Year 1 - 6 children from both Hilperton and Wingfield are invited to attend.

Being part of The Friends of the Mead is extremely rewarding, it enriches your child's school experience and gives a sense of community. Helping at events is also great fun and a good way to meet other parents.

We are always looking for volunteers to help with **Book Club** on a Friday lunchtime (Hilperton) and Thursday lunchtime (Wingfield). If you have a love of books, want to encourage children to read and can spare an hour to help please let us know.

There are plenty of ways to get in touch and to find out what The Friends are up to:

- Join our Facebook group – Friends of the Mead School. This is an informal way of finding out what's going on and to have a say
- You can email us at: [thefriendsofthemed@outlook.com](mailto:thefriendsofthemed@outlook.com)
- Check the Friends' notice board at the school gates
- Check for updates via Parentmail and on the weekly newsletter
- Come along to committee meetings where future events are planned & where fund allocation is decided. You don't need to be on the committee to join us!
- Talk to us!! Find a "Friend" and have chat, we are a friendly group and are always happy to fill you in on what The Friends are doing.

Thank you for your continued support,  
The Friends of the Mead



# VOLUNTEER FOR THE POPPY APPEAL

TO HELP THE ARMED FORCES COMMUNITY

CAN YOU HELP WITH OUR POPPY APPEAL

IN THE SHIRES TROWBRIDGE

FROM 27<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER -11<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER

FOR FULL DETAILS

CONTACT BILL OR JILL ON 01225 355975

Registered Charity No: 219279  
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# TROWBRIDGE APPLE FESTIVAL

SATURDAY 13TH OCTOBER 2018

11AM - 3PM • FREE ENTRY



## TROWBRIDGE PARK

SPECIAL GUEST - PIPPA GREENWOOD

APPLE PRESSING & TASTING

LIVE MUSIC • FOOD & DRINK • TRADITIONAL GAMES

TALKS & DEMONSTRATIONS • CRAFTS & STALLS

We are a plastic-free event

ORGANISERS: THE BIG COMMUNITY GROW (Registered Charity: 1169927)

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