



The Meadows Primary School



Newsletter No.6

6th July 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you are enjoying the sunny weather. A quick reminder for you to apply sunscreen to your child before school and send them with a hat and water bottle. It is ok for them to bring in a named bottle of sunscreen to apply before lunch play. This must be applied by your child and must not be shared with other children.

Year 6 children have been having a fantastic week away at camp. Check out the school Facebook page by clicking the link below, for some photos of the activities. Next year the Year 6 children have the opportunity to go on camp in September which will be great for team building and getting to know their new teacher!

Mrs Joy Mounter Headteacher

Skipathon for NSPCC

A reminder that sponsor money is due in on Friday 6th July or Monday 9th July at the latest. The class with the most returned envelopes will get a special badge. This is a really great cause so please support if you can. Please send the envelopes in to class with your child where there is a box to post their envelopes.

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School Term and INSET Dates

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Focus, Flourish and Fly

This fortnight we celebrate

Meadows Promise certificates

EYFS— Daniel McLaren

Year 1— Josh Derrick-Hayes

Year 2— William Purchase

Year 3— Beau Jordan-Sanders

Year 4— Daisy Robinson

Year 5— Caitlyn Cole

Year 6— Charlie Tizzard

Excellent Learning certificates

EYFS— Isabelle Irwin-Porter

Year 1— Betsy Waller

Year 2— Taya Murray

Year 3— Sebastian Russell

Year 4— Jasmine Evans

Year 5— Philip Du Pre

Year 6— Jayden Purnell

Attendance of the week

Oak – 29.6.18

Elm – 6.7.18

The Meadows Pride Trophy

Sycamore Class

Stikins clothing labels

I can highly recommend these labels as I am a regular user of these for my own children. The labels are super sticky and can go through the dishwasher and washing machine without coming off. Please support the school by ordering these labels and earning us 30% commission!

For those parents thinking of [ordering labels for clothing and other kit](#), the label company Stikins are offering a deal where the school receives 30% commission on each order. This will obviously help with fundraising for the school. Please ensure the School Commission code of **23281** appears in the 'Enter School Fundraising Number' field. Thank you for supporting the school.



School Meals

From September, the school will be introducing a price increase for it's school meals. The price will increase to £2.30 a meal which includes a choice of meat or vegetarian meal, salad bar and a dessert. This still represents really good value for money and of course children in the Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 classes still have their meal provided free of charge.

Multi- skills event

A big thank you to our sports coach and PE leader Mrs Stone who organised the launch of our sports week with a multi skills event. This was a great afternoon with children working in their houses for the different activities. Unfortunately the increasing heat cancelled our sports afternoons but we have been successful in rescheduling our KS1 event so far. Again thank you to Mrs Stone who organised this event and the teachers and Friends of The Meadows for supporting her. I heard it was a successful event which unfortunately I missed as I was on Year 6 camp. I am looking forward to the KS2 event on 17th July at 1.30pm.

The Friends of The Meadows New play equipment

Wow I went away with Year 6 for 3 days and came back to see the fantastic play equipment finished. A huge thank you to The Friends of The Meadows who fund raised for this fantastic equipment. This will make such a difference to all the children. All classes have had a session trying out the new equipment yesterday and a rota will now be in place for playtimes. This is in houses so that a mix of ages gets to use it at the same time. The equipment is not in use before school as it will not be supervised but also may be slippery in damp conditions.

Please do not allow your children to use the play equipment before or after school. Thanks

Fun Friday

The Friends of The Meadows are planning a fantastic event this year. The fair will take place after school on **Friday 13th July from 3.30pm until 6pm**. This year there will be a bar and BBQ for your enjoyment. There is a fantastic raffle planned with prizes from many Meadows staff as well as donations from the community. They have also planned many games, inflatables and a special visitor for the event! We hope to see you there!

Dates for your Diary

Dates for Term 6

Friday 6th July – NSPCC sponsorship money collected- Y6 bring in on Monday 9th July

Tuesday 17th July - 1.30pm KS2 sports afternoon - parents welcome

Wednesday 11th July – KS2 performance 6.30pm

Thursday 12th July – KS2 performance 2pm

Friday 13th July - meet your new class teacher – morning (New date)

Friday 13th July - Summer fair - 3.30pm – 6pm

Monday 16th July - reports out to parents

Wednesday 18th July - 3.30pm teachers available to discuss reports if needed - by appointment (see class teacher to book a time)

Wednesday 18th July – Y6 leavers at St Mary’s church 2pm – parents welcome

Friday 20th July - End of term 6 – Dress down day and bring a £1 donation

Bold indicates new dates added

Wednesday 5th September 2018 – First day back for children after school holidays