



The Meadows Primary School



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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to Term 3 and a Happy New Year!

The children have settled back well after the Christmas break and really enjoyed the visiting theatre last week. The children enjoyed a performance of The Snow Queen by Hobgoblin Theatre and then they had workshops provided by the company. This enrichment activity was funded by the money raised in our Art exhibition last year and from the donations received after the Christmas performances. A big thank you to all who supported us with their donations.

We have an exciting term ahead, which kicks off with a proud to be me day next week on Tuesday 22nd January. Please see the separate letter emailed to you about what children can wear on that day. We also have open classrooms this term that gives you the opportunity to come in and share your child's work with them. The dates for these sessions are in the dates for diary. I will also be sending out a short survey using Google forms to find out what parent workshops/ information sessions you would like this year and what times/formats work best for you. As usual, we will have the KS1 and KS2 SATs and phonics information sessions this term. See below for dates.

Joy Mounter Headteacher

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New dates added for 2019-2020

Focus, Flourish and Fly

This fortnight we celebrate

Meadows Promise certificates

EYFS— Ruben Wyatt

Year 1— George Davies

Year 2— Barbara Tokar

Year 3— Luke Horsfall

Year 4— Alfie Philips

Year 5— Daisy Robinson

Year 6 – Judah Marrett

Excellent Learning certificates

EYFS— Sofia Horsfall

Year 1— Connie Varley

Year 2— Wesley Thomas

Year 3— Isla McCabe

Year 4— Olivia Lewis

Year 5— Luke Filer

Year 6— Ellie Harrington

Attendance of last week

Bluebell Y3 and Buttercup Y2

The Meadows Pride Trophy

Honeysuckle Y6 and Bluebell Y3

Topic newsletters

All classes were sent a topic newsletter at the end of last term outlining the learning experiences for the children this term. If you have not received this, then please get in touch with the class teacher or email the school office.

Play leaders

Key stage 2 children have all had training in being a play leader from Brendan Rouse who is part of the Bath Sports Partnership. We will be introducing play leaders at lunchtimes this term and each year group will have the opportunity to volunteer to be a play leader and support the younger children in playing games. This will start with year 6 this term and the playground and equipment will be in zones. We would like to have a zoned area, which is for playing quietly with small world toys. If you have any cars, dinosaurs, trains or similar small world toys that you would like to donate, then please drop them in to the school office.

Clubs

This term we have a range of extra-curricular clubs available and we are trying to build on these each term. We are planning to arrange some club opportunities for the Reception children in the Summer terms. A letter was sent out last term outlining the different clubs for the term. Some clubs are very popular and are already full but we do still have spaces available in...

Molly's Sewing lunchtime club * on Mondays in the library for Year 2 - 6

Funky Art House* after school on Mondays for Year 3 – 6

Brad's lunchtime Football on Tuesdays for Year 3 and 4 boys and girls

Lunchtime Chess club with Ms Gentle on Tuesdays for Year 5 and 6

Ms Stone's Netball after school on Tuesdays for Year 4 – 6

Progressive Sports Football* after school on Wednesday for Year 4 – 6 boys and girls

Judo* after school on Wednesdays for Year 1- 6

French club* after school on Wednesdays for Year 1- 6

Brad's lunchtime Football on Thursdays for Year 5 and 6 boys and girls

Ms Stone's Dance Umbrella after school on Thursdays for Year 1 - 6

Progressive Sports Football* after school on Thursday for Year 1 – 3 boys and girls

STEM Factory (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths) on Friday before school for Year 3 – 6

Please email enquiries@themeadowsprimaryschool.org.uk to sign up or for details

Sports News

Boys Football Cup match vs Moorlands B at home on 5th February, support welcome, we also need a qualified Referee if any parent would like to volunteer?
Girls netball cup match away vs Chew Stoke date on Tuesday 22nd January.

Trip to see Team Bath Netball play in the Superleague at home to Surrey Storm on Monday 28th January, we have 18 children and adults going from The Meadows. We cannot purchase any more tickets as a school, but if you would like to watch and do not have a ticket through us, you may still be able to buy tickets online, visit Team Bath Netball Superleague Buy Tickets.

Hobgoblin Theatre photos



Avon Valley

We have received a discount code

A massive thank you for choosing Avon Valley Adventure & Wildlife Park for your school visit this year. To show their appreciation they would like to pass on this discount code: **EV18, giving 40% discount on day entry** to the park between **2nd - 31st January 2019** to be shared with all of our pupils, staff and their families. The code can be used online or on the main gate any day in January.

Dates for your Diary

30th January – 5.30pm Year 2 SATs information evening for parents in classroom

Monday 4th February – 5.30pm Year 6 SATs information evening for parents in classroom

Thursday 7th February at 9am – 9.30am – open classrooms to look at children’s work with the children

Friday 8th February at 3pm – 3.30pm – open classrooms to look at children’s work with the children

Friday 8th February - PTA quiz night 7pm in hall (save the date – information to follow)



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