



# NEWSLETTER

Term 3, Week 5 2019

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## This Week...

Children in Year 1 began the week with an exciting experience with owls, not only learning about them and seeing them fly but being able to hold one using a special glove if they wanted to!

Four Year 6 pupils visited Bede's Curriculum Enhancement Day, which involved 'Science CSI'. The children were given a scenario and analysed crime scenes, conducted forensic tests, interpreted evidence and scrutinised statements made by suspects. They used skills spanning the ages of detection, from fingerprinting through to DNA analysis. Activities were designed to develop ability, task commitment and creativity.

A fantastic day of music and creativity was had by the choir at Moira House on Wednesday. They did lots of fun activities, including team building, musical art, as well as lots of singing with the other primary schools there. They were able to record their song 'Make Your Own Kind of Music' in the Moira House recording studio. At the end of the day, each choir performed their song to parents and then performed 'Sing' by Gary Barlow all together. They represented St John's Meads extremely well with perfect behaviour and confident singing. Well done to Mae White, Dmitri Bykov, Jasmina Jabbari, Erin Farrell, Chloe Kelly, Isla Jourdain, Chae Wai, Alyssia Langley, Leah Shepherd, Hermione Buckland, Zoya Samson, Micheala Wickens, Alice Hill, Chyna Wai, Aliya Hassini, Alessia Wilson and Lynne Naito.

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February is Safer Internet Day. Parents are invited to come in for a workshop at 2.30pm. Teachers will be working with the children throughout the day on Safer Internet use through age related activities.

*Katherin Weeks*

## Term Dates and Coming Events

### February

Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup>	2.30pm Safer Internet/Parent Workshops
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup>	Last day of Term 3
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	FMSA Event: Lego Movie at the Curzon
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup>	School open Term 4
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup>	3.40pm to 5.50pm Parent Consultations
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup>	3.40pm to 5.50pm Parent Consultations

### March

Friday 1 <sup>st</sup>	Y3 Class Assembly
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup>	Y2 Swimming starts
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup>	World Book Day
	7.15pm FMSA Event Quiz Night at The Ship

<https://www.meads.e-sussex.sch.uk/coming-events/>

## Faith in the Family

This week we learnt that prayer is a conversation with God - talking and listening. We learnt that God loves to give us good things in answer to our prayers and we thought about each line of the Lord's prayer. I wonder how often we say the Lord's prayer at home together as a family? Jesus taught his disciples the Lord's prayer, lets teach it to our children so that it is written on their hearts. Try and say the prayer together each day this week.

*Kim Leach*

## School Uniform Sales

We are unable to sell school uniform at the office window before school in the mornings. Order forms will be available for you to place an order and payment and the uniform will be sent home with your child.

### Winter PE Kit

We now have an optional Winter PE Kit – a Navy tracksuit with logo available to order at £15.60. On display in the entrance hall.

## Rainbow Awards

Reception –	Amelie Plagado
Year 1 –	Oliver Marsh
Year 2 –	Matthew Oakey
Year 3 –	Iris Archer
Year 4 –	Paulina Slomiany
Year 5 –	Erin Farrell
Year 6 –	Arthur Grout

## School Council

The school council have suggested a 'Drama Box' which could be used as part of lunchtime play activities. If you have any items which would be suitable and safe for dressing up/role play/drama (including small props) and you would like to donate them, please could you send them into the school office. Thank you



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## Y6 at Bede's



## Year 1 with Owls

