



NEWSLETTER

Term 6, Week 5 2019

office@meads.e-sussex.sch.uk

www.meads.e-sussex.sch.uk

This Week...

This week has been another busy week with preparations for the Summer Fair, some more off-site visits, transition days for our Year 6 pupils and 'move up morning' where our new Reception children came to visit and current classes met their new teacher. I knew the children would be excited to find out which staff would be in their classes next year but the cheering in assembly took me completely by surprise! ☺

Years 4 and 5 went to Herstmonceux Science Centre, Year 6 pupils took part in the STEM Conference with Mr Newlands and on Friday we all enjoyed a special 'Spanish Day' with the children dressing in red and yellow and each class learning about a different Spanish Festival (pictures next week).

In assembly, we congratulated Lexi McLean who entered the U11 Mini Competition last weekend. She achieved 80cm in the High Jump, 13.31 in the 75m and 3.62 in the Shot Putt. Lexi received a certificate for 'very good running'.

Gold Achievement Awards for our musicians: Lydia Richards Y2, Harrison Richards Y6, Chyna Wai Y3, Chae Wai Y5, Leah Shepherd Y5, Ben Chruslinski Y4, Lynne Naito Y3, Max Simpson Y2, Rosie Perry Y5, Corinna Noon Y6. A Certificate of Achievement was awarded to Sienna Charsley Y2 for excellent progress.

Chae (Y5), Leah (Y5), Chyna (Y3), Lynne (Y3), Anne (YR) played violin in the Eastbourne Music Extravaganza 2019 at the Congress theatre on 22/6/2019. Well done all.



Congratulations to Sienna, Penny, Coco, (Y2) Paige (Y4) and Alessia (Y3). They are all members of Southern Starz netball team and received their end of year medals and certificates for their achievements this year.



Katherin Weeks

Term Dates and Coming Events

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

July

Tuesday 9 th July	Sports Day: KS2 9.30am KS1 1.30pm
Friday 12 th July	School Reports sent home
Wednesday 17 th July	Y6 The Tempest 2.00pm and 6.30pm Y6 performance in school hall
Wednesday 17 th July	3.30-4pm Parents drop in session to child's class session to child's class
Thursday 18 th July	Y5 Hands on History 3.30-4pm Parents drop in session to child's class
Friday 19 th July	3.30-4pm Parents drop in session to child's class
Tuesday 23 rd July	Last Day for children 2.30pm Leavers Service at St John's Church

INSET Dates:

Wed 4th, Thur 5th, Fri 6th September
School Opens: Monday 9th September

Faith in the Family

'Come near to God and he will come near to you.'

James 4:8 Our theme this week has been Sacred Stories. One of our stories 'The Crocodile and the Priest' helped us to think about what spiritual practices help us to come close to God every day. The story showed the importance of coming close to God so that we can learn to live in truth which impacts the way we are and the way we treat others. We reflected on a practice of 'breathing' – breathing in God and breathing out our worries or the things of the world. What do you do every day to remember God? Why not try some different ways together each day.

Kim Leach

Rainbow Awards

Reception Class:	Eli Bowler
Year 1:	Aban Amiri
Year 2:	Henry Orys
Year 3:	Mathilda Kirkman
Year 4:	Leo McAndrew
Year 5:	Jenny Prentice
Year 6:	Elsbeth Collings



NEWSLETTER

Term 6, Week 5 2019

office@meads.e-sussex.sch.uk

www.meads.e-sussex.sch.uk

STEM Conference - Birley Centre

Year 6 children attended the Birley Centre along with pupils from eight other schools to try and solve world problems including filtering dirty water.



Year 6 performance - The Tempest 2pm and 6.30pm on Wednesday 17th July

Year 6 parents are invited to attend the performances by Year 6 of Shakespeare's *The Tempest* on **Wednesday 17th July at 2pm and 6.30pm** in the school hall. If you are able to attend please do come and support them, it promises to be a wonderful show.

Year 4 and Year 5 visit Herstmonceux Science Centre

Year 4 and Year 5 have visited the Science Centre at Herstmonceux.

The children took part in bridge building activities and took tours of the telescopes. Thank you to Mr Andrews, Mrs Hitch and Mrs Prophet for volunteering to help on the day and a special thank you to St Andrew's Prep for the loan of their minibuses and drivers for the day.





NEWSLETTER

Term 6, Week 5 2019

office@meads.e-sussex.sch.uk

www.meads.e-sussex.sch.uk

Mrs Weeks' Washing Line Winners

Well done to Olive Thorpe (YR), Tristan Pilliner (Y1), Verity McAndrew (Y1), Louie Vine (Y3), Paige Sharman (Y4) and Athena Chadwick (Y5), whose colourful and thoughtful bag designs were chosen by Mrs Weeks to be her overall winners. These goody bags, along with all of the other entries, will be hung on 'Mrs Weeks' Washing Line' to be won at the Summer Fair on Saturday.





NEWSLETTER

Term 6, Week 5 2019

office@meads.e-sussex.sch.uk

www.meads.e-sussex.sch.uk

Friends News

**Last opportunity to buy tickets:
Closing date: Friday 12th July**

Toy Story 4 movie on Saturday 20th July at 10.30am (seating from 10am) at The Curzon Cinema in Langney Road, Eastbourne Town Centre. Tickets are £3.50 per person and as this is a non-school activity all children must be accompanied by an adult. Tickets are now available via <https://pmx.parentmail.co.uk> or through your Class Reps. We do hope you enjoy this lovely family event and celebrate together towards the end of the school year. Please do feel free to invite family and friends to support our school and lovely local cinema.



Raise 20% commission for the Friends when you buy the StampTastic. Name all your children's uniform, PE kits, shoes, ties, jumpers, cardigans. It is also useable on wood, metal and some plastics. Help us to minimise the amount of lost property.

