

Castle Mead School Newsletter What's On Term 4 Week 1

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Please be on time – registration is at ten to nine!

DIARY DATES

Monday 22/02/16	Swimming for KS2
Tuesday 23/02/16	Dance Festival – Year 4 Parents Meeting for Hooke Court Residential – Year 5/6 (18:00-18:30)
Wednesday 24/02/16	Community 'Bikeability' Assembly Bikeability selected KS2 – Day 1
Thursday 25/02/16	Bikeability selected KS2 – Day 2
Friday 26/02/16	Bristol Museum & Art Gallery – Year 3

FUTURE DATES

29 th Feb	2 nd Instalments due for Oxenwood & Hooke Court Residentials
3 rd March	World Book Day
18 th – 20 th Apr	Oxenwood Residential – Year 4
22 nd Apr	Life Education Bus at Castle Mead
25 th Apr	Life Education Bus at Castle Mead
16 th May	Inset Day
20 th – 22 nd June	Hooke Court Residential – Year 5/6

“Don't be average Be AWESOME!”

Congratulations to **Natalie, Gabriel, Paige, Casper, Megan and Cameron** who are this week's stars!



Assemblies: Please come and celebrate with us at our Friday, Star of The Week assembly when your child is chosen as the class star.

All parents are welcome on Wednesday and Friday assemblies at 9:00am.

School Photographs

Please note that the photograph proofs along with any orders & payments need to be returned to the school office by Friday 7th March

Parents Consultation Appointments

Consultations will take place w/c Monday 14th March, you will be able to sign up for a time slot from Tuesday 23rd February.

Dear Parents / Carers,

Lots going on at Castle Mead ... & in China !!

A massive 'thank you' to Mrs State for coming in to celebrate the Chinese New Year with us. Not only did Mrs State deliver some fabulous workshops and activities with the children, she has also established links with Jinhua Primary School of Nanning City, China – who have kindly sent us many gifts. We look forward to sending a parcel in return.



The Whiskered Bats enjoyed welcoming parents in to school for their 'toys from the past' fabulous finish.

We finished the week with our 'Bad Hair Day' in support of Great Ormond Street Hospital ...



and a visit from Maranathas Puppet Theatre !



Hope you all have a great half term, and we look forward to welcoming you back on Monday 22nd February.

Mrs Tracy Boulton
Head of School



Remember to follow us at @CastleMeadSch

A copy of this weeks' Newsletter is also available on ParentMail ... Don't forget to register if you haven't done so already !

You will soon be able to use ParentMail to make payments to the school for school trips, residentials & lunches ...

Please send comments or feedback to [office @castlemead.wilts.sch.uk](mailto:office@castlemead.wilts.sch.uk).

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Little Bloomers

Fantastic feedback about the children who entered the 'Little Bloomers' public speaking competition this week ...

I just wanted to thank all the staff and children who made the 'Little Bloomers' public speaking competition such a success.

Your children were courteous, enthusiastic and supportive of participating students from other schools.

Well done, you really are a credit to yourself and to our school



New Price & New Option for After School Care ...

We are pleased to announce that from Monday 22nd February 2016, the cost of our early after school care will be reduced from £3.00 to £1.50 per session.

All other fees for our before and after care sessions will remain the same.

There is also a new option available – this is for children who attend an 'After School Club' until 4:00pm and then wish to attend 'After School Care' until 6:00pm.

Pricing:

Before School Care:

£2.50 per session, this provides care from 7:45am until 8:45am (an optional breakfast is included)

After School Care:

Option 1 - £1.50 per session, this provides care from 3:15pm until 4:15pm

Option 2 - £4.00 per session, this provides care from 4:00pm until 6:00pm

Option 3 - £5.50 per session, this provides care from 3:15pm until 6:00pm

Option 2 & 3 include a light bite meal

After School Clubs

All after school clubs will recommence w/c Monday 22nd February.

Many thanks to those who came along to help out at the CommuniTEA last weekend – Not the best of weather, but very grateful for what we managed to achieve.



Wiltshire Air Ambulance

I am happy to say that Castle Mead School raised **£194.93** for Wiltshire Air Ambulance at Christmas time during our school performances.



HAVE A GREAT HALF TERM !!!

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