

# Meadowbrook Montessori School



Dear Parents,

Please note the following and email any replies/enquiries to [administrator@meadowbrookmontessori.org.uk](mailto:administrator@meadowbrookmontessori.org.uk) or [serenagunn@meadowbrookmontessori.org.uk](mailto:serenagunn@meadowbrookmontessori.org.uk)

- We waved goodbye to Pia, Julie and our very precious Year 4,5 & 6 children this afternoon who have left for a week long adventure to **PGL Liddington Activity Centre** nr. Swindon..we wish them all a **FABULOUS** time...



<http://www.pgl.co.uk/en-gb/school-trips/primary-schools/centres/liddington#.V2fy4tlrKcM>

- **Parent/Teacher /Child Meetings** are a soon to be taking place at the Primary Department. The following link explains how to book your slot online, via our Parentmail Booking system <https://parentmail.co.uk/help/parenthelp/applications/parents-evening-manager>. You will already have had an email informing you that the bookings have been opened up live for this week. A school year summary sheet will be completed by your child and there is a section for you at the bottom.
- The first **AGM Friends of Meadowbrook Montessori** (FoMM) takes place after drop off on the 28<sup>th</sup> June at the Primary department. Please come along as this is an important opportunity for you to vote.

- **Exciting Minibus News** We're getting closer everyday to achieving our goal...we still need your help so please please hand back those raisin bottles full of silver coins and the envelopes that were given to the children to fill for the fete.



- **More Exciting Minibus News** Although, we love to see our parents at either drop off or pick up times and indeed value the personal contact that this affords, we also understand that school runs can be tricky or that some parents wish they could share the routine. Good news...having a school minibus means that



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we will be looking at the possibility of starting school runs and as an initial step, we would like to know if you would be interested in this service – for which a charge will of course be levied. Depending on the response, we will look to design a route that could either pick up children from home and bring them to school OR take them home at the end of the day or both. Please note however, we would not permit the school minibus to be the only mode of school transport for your child as this would have a negative impact on home to school communication. Please email us ASAP to indicate number of days, pick up or drop off and of course location if this is something you may be interested in.

- **Class photos** rescheduled for Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June. Full school summer uniform and sunshine PLEEEASE!
- **Year 4 Trip to the Imperial War Museum** When your children return from the PGL Liddington Trip on Friday please read the separate letter attached regarding their next adventure.
- **Tuckshop Tuesday** Please note that Kate and Silke from Year 5 are now running the School Tuck Shop which takes place each Tuesday. No IOU's will be allowed.
- **Last Minute Clubs Announced**



3-T soccer **DODGEBALL CLUB** Wednesday afterschool (Primary)



**Chantons avec Nick** (French Songs with Nick & his Guitar) Thursday after school (Reception and Year 1)



**Recorder Club with Rosie** Wednesday Lunchtime (KS2 /Years 3-6 only) NB: *Rosie is our new Primary School music teacher starting in September. We will introduce her shortly.*



**Making Music DJ, Mixing and Percussion Club** (see separate attachment) Primary only.



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- **Drama Club** will be going ahead next term on Wednesday lunchtimes.

Please let us know if your child is interested in signing up for any of these clubs ASAP

- **Positive Discipline Workshops** New courses announced: **An Introduction to Positive Discipline: 10-3pm Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September** | **½ day Advanced Discussion Workshop** (for parents who have been practising PD in the home for some time date tbc **Positive Discipline for 'Tweenagers'** date tbc | Please email Serena directly if you are interested in any of the above courses.



- **The Teen Whisperer** For all of us with 'tweenagers AND teenagers...please follow the link below for a host of helpful strategies from the man they are calling the 'teen whisperer.'  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5N\\_NI\\_JchJY#action=share](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5N_NI_JchJY#action=share)



**Meadowbrook's Summer Fete followed by the whole school Camp Out | Saturday 25th June 11-3pm**

**Sports Day Reminder Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June | Pre-Primary (including Reception) 9-10am | Primary 2-3.30pm**



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