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What's happening at

Meltham School's Out

We made it!

Hi everyone! Well, we've made it to the last week of term. The place is buzzing and everyone is excited. All the children (and staff!) are happy but exhausted. Time for a rest!

Places for September

All the children's places automatically roll over and will continue in the new academic year. This means that all our sessions from September are full. We're happy to put you on our waiting list, but this is also full to bursting! September's invoices have also been emailed and payment isn't required until 31st August, so don't panic!

A Great Big Thank You...

Sadly, we say goodbye to Lottie on Thursday, who has spent the last 12 months working with us and being a fantastic help during Catherine's absence. Thank you so much for all your hard work. We wish you well with your next adventure. We will all miss you very much.

...and Goodbye!

We also say goodbye to all our Year 6 leavers on Friday. They are all so lovely and yet so ready to move on. Good luck at High School! You'll be amazing!

Email Address Update

We have a new email address at the club, which is at the top of this newsletter. Our old address will continue to be monitored over the summer and into the autumn term, but will be gradually phased out. Any emails you may now receive will be from the new address.

Satisfaction Survey 2025

"Staff are phenomenal"

"Excellent standards of care"

Thank you to everyone who completed a satisfaction survey. Here are some findings from this year's feedback:

100% of families who responded said they would recommend the club to another parent/carer.

67% of families who responded mentioned 'friendly and approachable staff' when saying what they liked about the club.

Your input is invaluable and much appreciated. Our door is always open and we are always available and ready to listen to any suggestions that you may have.

"It feels like a little family how you all know the children so well."

Snack

The noticeboard on the right in the club entrance is where you'll find our snack menu for the week. Please note it is a snack and not tea/dinner.

Please let us know if your child's dietary needs change or they develop an allergy or intolerance.

Staff Updates

Catherine and Shirley recently completed DSL Refresher training and Gilly completed Paediatric First Aid. All staff will be doing Team Teach training in early September.

A Freshen Up

Good news! The club is being redecorated during the holidays, and we have some new outdoor seating, a sandpit and water tray arriving any day now.

Updated Policies

Some of our policies have recently been reviewed and updated to reflect updated national guidance on Safeguarding. Our policies can be found on the MSO section of the Meltham CE School website, or alternatively you can request a paper copy from any member of MSO staff.

Attendance

If your child will not be attending their usual booked session(s) for any reason please let us know as soon as possible. This is important, even if you have notified school of their absence. You can let us know by email, text or call. Contact details are at the top of this newsletter. Your cooperation in this is appreciated and helps us to keep everyone safe.

The Car Park

Whilst things are better in the car park, there's still the odd occasion when parents/carers go a little too fast. Please help to keep everyone safe. Thank you so much for your co-operation.

Dates for your Diary

Friday 18th July—the club and school close for the summer holidays

Sunday 31st August—September invoices are due

Wednesday 3rd September—the club and school reopen for the 2025/2026 school year

Tuesday 16th September—October invoices issued

Tuesday 30th September—October invoices are due

Friday 17th October—November invoices issued

Friday 24th October—the club and school close for half term

Friday 31st October—November invoices are due

And Finally...

This newsletter is available on the MSO section of the school website, on the MSO noticeboard, or a paper copy can be printed for you, if requested.

All the Meltham School's Out staff would like to wish everyone a wonderful Summer.

See you all in September!