

AUTUMN TERM 2014

- Fri 28th: Inter-house Hockey Juniors 12.30pm

DECEMBER

- Mon 1st: *** Musical assembly. All children have the opportunity to sing or play.
 - Tues 2nd: International Human Rights Day Assembly
 - Thurs 4th: Tree planting day. Please bring in acorns, fir cones, conkers etc.
 - Fri 5th: ***Swimming Gala at St.Lukes. 2.00pm. All swimming groups 3.50pm Christmas Fayre and Bring & Buy Sale. Stalls to be manned by the children. We will be grateful for any saleable items, plants, cakes jams, pickles etc. Proceeds to stage equipment.
 - Tues 9th: #2.30pm Carol Service in the Private Chapel of the Sisters of the Presentation of Mary. Collection to their Restoration fund. Please book seats.
 - Fri 12th: 1.30pm Christmas Party, Fancy Dress Competition & 10pin bowling. (Whole school) Please send something to help with the tea. *** Parents are invited to the Fancy Dress Parade at 3.30. & to meet Santa Claus. (Seniors 10 Pin Bowling)
 - Mon 15th: Victorian Christmas and Carol Singing Assembly around the Christmas tree. Period clothes welcome. Followed by the Christmas Lunch £5.00
 - Tues 16th: Carol singing around the Christmas Tree @ 3.30pm
 - Weds 17th: *** **2.30pm Nativity Play and Main School Dramatic Presentation** At St. Michael's and All Angel's Church. Heavitree. Parents, relatives and friends are welcome to help swell the congregation. Smart uniform please including Nursery Children who must be taken to and from the Church & be cared for by an adult due to the unfenced boundaries. Collection to the Church Restoration fund.
- Term ends**
- Thurs 18th: #Snow Dome Trip

Wednesday 17th December School breaks for the Christmas Holidays

To be confirmed

***Parents, relatives and friends are invited to join us for all of these events.

The calendar is prepared prior to the start of term, hence some changes become inevitable.



Magdalen Court School School Calendar



Michaelmas Term

**Wednesday 3rd September - Wednesday 17th December
(Half-term: October 20th - 31st)**

Lent Term

Term commences Monday 5th January 2015
Staff Inset day 13th February
Half term week beginning 16th, February
Term ends 25th March

Trinity Term

Term commences Tuesday 14th April
(Half-term: 1 week beginning 25th May)
INSET day 13th April & 22nd May
Term ends Wednesday 8th July

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September

- Weds 3rd: New Term begins 'Welcome Assembly'
Bookings for piano, singing, clarinet, oboe, flute, violin, saxophone or guitar lessons.
(Other instruments are available)
Club selections due in
Ten Tors Parent and Pupil Briefing 4.30 - 6.30
- Thurs 4th: Form captains appointed
Football Club training restarts
- Fri 5th: D of E Silver Expedition Meeting 9.00
- Sat 6th: Abbots Way Day Training Walk 8-5
- Sun 7th: First Aid Course
- Mon 8th – Fri 12th: BCU 2* Canoe Course
- Mon 8th: Choir practice begins: Mrs D Bastone
Music lessons begin
Recorder lessons begin
- Tues 9th: Full moon
- Weds 10th: Rock Climbing Club starts
- Fri 12th: Battle of Britain Assembly
Swimming classes recommence
- Mon 15th: Meeting for 'Magdalen Court School Classroom Assistant certificate (VIth Form)
- Tues 16th - Fri 19th: D of E Silver Expedition Training Camp
- Weds 17th: Meeting for British Sport's Trust. Junior Sports Leaders Awards
- Thurs 18th: Registrations due for Confirmation classes, min age 11 yrs
#Dry Ski Slope course meeting: Beginners @ Exeter, Advanced @ Plymouth after half term
- Fri 19th: Tennis Senior Inter-house tournament 12.30 pm
- Sat 20th: Abbots Way Day Training Walk 8-5
- Tues 23rd: Autumn Equinox Assembly
Autumn begins
- Weds 24th - Fri 26th: D of E Bronze Expedition Training
- Weds 24th: Jewish New Year Assembly
- Thurs 25th: #Dry Ski begins meeting see Mr Jenner
- Fri 26th: Junior Tennis Tournament.12.30pm
- Mon 29th: Feast of St. Michaels & All Angels Assembly
- Tues 30th: Thematic Poetry Competition: 'Autumn'

October

- Wed 1st – Fri 3rd: D of E Silver Assessed Expedition
- Thurs 2nd: Day of Atonement (Yom Kippur) Assembly
- Fri 3rd: Closing date for November GCSE entries
Inter-house Football 12.30 pm Seniors
Non-Uniform day £1 per pupil to RD&E Bramble Ward
- Sun 5th: Abbots Way Walk Pupils, Parents and Dogs 7.30 am
- Mon 6th: ***Grandparents' Day Assembly
On-site Fieldwork Week: 'collecting Seeds' see Mr Ayles
- Tues 7th: Conker Championships! Bring your best conkers to school, ready to play on a string. see Mr Ayles



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- Weds 8th: *** Poetry Assembly
Full Moon
- Thurs 9th - Fri 10th: D of E Bronze Assessed Expedition
- Fri 10th: Inter-house Junior Football tournament 12.30pm
*** **Parents Evening: Please book appointments to see Mrs Wrightson & Mr. Bushrod**
- Fri 17th: *****Harvest Festival Service and Poetry Presentation. 2.00 p.m. in the Sports Hall. Including Nursery Children.**
Please bring Harvest gifts, vegetables, flowers and plants are especially welcome. The Sisters of The Presentation of Mary will help to distribute the produce to the sick, elderly & homeless. Parents, relatives and friends are invited to help swell the congregation.
- Sun 19th: Sidmouth Saunter

HALF TERM BREAK, 2 weeks beginning 20th & 27th October
Holiday School is open as usual.

NOVEMBER

- Mon 3rd: **School recommences**
- Tues 4th: GCSE exams begin
Poppies on sale all week, for Remembrance Day
- Weds 5th: New ½ term Form Captains appointed
Guy Fawkes Assembly
- Thurs 6th: #Dry Ski Plymouth
Full Moon
- Fri 7th: #**Tempest Photos: Individual & Key Fob School Photographs**
Orders will be ready in time for Christmas
Please book for Family groups from 8.20am
Inter-house Senior Netball 12.30pm
- Tues 11th: Remembrance Day Assembly
- Weds 12th: Inter-house Badminton Tournament. 12.30pm
- Fri 14th: Junior inter-house Netball tournament 12.30pm
- Mon 17th: #Killerton House Advanced Orienteering _EG Upwards £5
- Tues 18th: Christmas Card Competition
- Weds 19th: Inter-house Volley Ball tournament 12.15pm
- Fri 21st: Inter-house Hockey Tournament Seniors. 12.30pm
#Night Orienteering Exercise
Inter-House Hockey Juniors 12.30pm
- Mon 24th: School 'end of term' Examination week
- Tues 25th: **Cup Competition: Natural Christmas Decorations Day** Whole school including the nursery Please bring cones, acorns, holly, fir, laurel scraps, tinsel, candles, glitter etc (Regret no sprays for safety) Also foil pie containers & plasticine or oasis for bases.
*** Display of finished work at 3.30 p.m
- Weds 26th: Inter-house Junior Badminton 12.30pm
- Thurs 27th: Thanksgiving Day (USA) Assembly

