Meadows in the High Weald

Answer the clues below to complete the missing words and help you understand more about Meadows – a very special habitat in the High Weald.

M_ _ _ _ _ _
E__
A_ _ _ _ _
D__
O _ _ _
W_ _ _ _
S__

- Meadows need to be m_ _ _ _ _ _ properly so that lots of plants and insects can live in the meadow.

- Yellow and black stripy insects – the flowers in meadows provide the pollen these insects need to make honey.

- The best types of meadows are a_ _ _ _ _ _ . This means that they have existed for a long time and have been managed traditionally.

- Small yellow and white flowers, often found in meadows. Also a girl’s name.

- Nocturnal birds of prey that use meadows as a hunting ground!

- The High W_ _ _ _ is an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty

- Wooly farm animals that are used to graze the meadows and keep the grass short

Extension:
Can you match these words to the pictures?

Ox-eye Daisy  Bumble Bee  Green-winged Orchid
Common Knapweed  Devil’s Bit Scabious  Common Blue Butterfly

Write them in the boxes underneath each picture – these are all things you could find in a meadow.