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- 5. Click on the "Meet" icon.



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- 7. Click on the event, which will be displayed in green. The time and title of the meeting will be displayed.



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