



END OF SUMMER TERM NEWSLETTER 2019

Dear All,

We have had another busy and lovely year at pre-school.

We continue to have amazing support from our parents and the community. In particular all of our fund raising events and most recently our fundraising event/sports day in which we raised £100.77 for the East Anglia Air Ambulance we have a very proud Debbie. Also Litlington village Fayre raising £87.35. Thank you to everyone that supported this local annual event.

Have a great summer break.

Thank you to you all.

Lorraine and Sammy

and Yvonne

Committee Chair and Deputy Chair

Pre-school Leader

Learning Journals

As you are aware we keep detailed records on the development of your child, including great photos of some of the activities they take part in. We really encourage you to come in and see the journal and chat to your child's key worker. You can request to do so at any time or you can make an appointment so that the key worker can allocate their time to suit you.

Spaces are available

Although we are a thriving pre-school for children aged 2-4 years old, we would really like to promote our afternoon sessions further.

If you feel that your child would benefit from an afternoon session, please come and have a chat with Yvonne.

Get ready for School Sessions

In September we will be holding "Get ready for school" sessions, daily. This will encourage and support the children further in their learning.

We will be handing out certificates for various achievements!

Clothing

Please can we ask that a complete change of clothes is supplied for each child. We have a limited stock and would prefer to use these as a last resort. As we do have a lot of creative activities, there is a greater need for a change of clothes.

If your child is in nappies/pull up's, please can you supply extra nappies/pull up's and wipes. Several spare sets of clothing are also beneficial if your child is being toilet trained.

Please make sure your child wears appropriate shoes (no flip flops) and a named sun hat. Please remember to apply sun cream before coming to pre-school. If the weather changes the children will need to wear clothes that are weather appropriate.

Water Bottles and Lunch boxes

We are still finding that not all water bottles and lunch boxes are named. Please do make sure that you put your child's name on these to avoid any confusion.

Packed Lunches

Please can you make sure if you pack grapes in your child's lunch box, that they are cut up lengthways, as children can choke on them with fatal outcomes.

In accordance with our Healthy Eating policy, we would ask that you **do not include** any chocolate, sweets or fizzy drinks, nuts or nut products in your child's lunch box.

As with water bottles please make sure that the lunch box is clearly marked with your child's name.

Absences

If your child is unwell, please look at the guidelines, if you are unsure if your child should be at pre-school.

If your child is unable to come to pre-school please text us on the pre-school mobile 07984 935193 in preference to leaving a voicemail as it costs us to retrieve the message.

Please do not contact members of staff personally or leave messages over social media.

Message From Yvonne

We really appreciate the returned questionnaires, and ask that anyone that hasn't returned them yet, tries to do so as we welcome your comments. The questionnaires also asked about our opening hours which are under review. This feedback in particular would be very useful.

We look forward to welcoming you to our presentation and end of term party on Wednesday 24th July, our last day.

Lastly on behalf of the Staff and Committee we wish all the school leavers "Good Luck" and a good transition into big school!

Have a lovely summer break and we look forward to welcoming you all back to pre-school on **WEDNESDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER**.

Yvonne
Pre-school leader

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 24th July- Presentation and end of term party also our Last day!

RETURN TO PRE-SCHOOL WEDNESDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER

Monday 21st October - Friday 25th October - HALF TERM

PLEASE REFER TO OUR WEB PAGE FOR FULL LIST OF TERM DATES

Useful Contact Information

Pre-school email address : admin@litlingtonpreschool.net

pre-school website address: www.litlingtonpreschool.net

Pre-school telephone number : 07984 935193

Facebook, Twitter and web page: Lots of information, go on have a look!

Village hall bookings: Linda Williams (tel.852809) is the person to contact should you wish to book the village hall.

Pre-school tables, chairs, equipment and toys can be borrowed in exchange for a donation.