



AUTUMN NEWSLETTER 2019

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to another busy pre-school year.

We hope that you all had a lovely summer break

We have been planning and preparing lots of new learning experiences along with the very needed fundraising events!

We look forward to your continuing support in making this another positive year.

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 winter clothing now colder weather is on it's way!

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.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 9th October - Harvest Festival Coffee Morning 11am - 12pm
Proceeds to be divided between ourselves and Macmillian Cancer support

Saturday 12th October - Jumble Sale 12 noon - 2pm

Thursday 17th October - Anna Marriage Photo Session 9:30am - 11am

MONDAY 21ST - FRIDAY 25TH OCTOBER - HALF TERM

Friday 22nd November - Pamper Evening 7pm - 10pm

Saturday 7th December - Christmas Fayre 2pm - 4pm

Wednesday 18th December - Last Day of Term Party from 11am
RETURNING TO PRE-SCHOOL MONDAY 6TH JANUARY 2020

Rag Bag Collection Bin

We are thrilled to announce that we have a new textile collection bin in Litlington Village hall car park, all proceeds to Litlington Pre-school.

As you know we will be having a jumble sale shortly, so bear this in mind when donating.!

Please note that as before no soiled clothes, damaged items or named school wear or work wear.

We really value your support !

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.

Please contact a member of staff for more details.