



Pre-School Newsletter

Be Sun Smart this Summer

Welcome back to what I hope will be a warm and sunny end to the term, and while we do now have our sun canopies in place, please remember to ensure that your child is adequately protected with sunscreen **before** coming to pre-school. This is particularly important this term as whenever the weather permits we do like to give the children the opportunity to access the whole curriculum outside as well as in the pre-school room. Please **do not** leave tubes/bottles of sun-

screen in your child's bag as this poses a health and safety risk to other children. A full copy of our current Sun Protection Policy is available on the Parent's notice board in pre-school, alternatively please ask any staff member who will be happy to provide you with a copy.

Summer Sizzlers

Our overall theme this half term will be Summer and we shall be looking at the some exciting topics.

Do please continue to send in any items of interest

that your child might like to share with the group related to the above topics. It certainly helps a child concentrate at circle time if they have something personal to contribute!

Get Ready...Get Steady...Go!!

Pre-school will again be hosting a **Sport's Day** for all of our morning children. This event will take place on the morning of Friday 3rd July, full details of this fun event will be coming out to you all shortly.

Getting Ready for School

For those of you with children going on to Cheddington School in September, a meeting has been arranged for Tuesday 16th June for all prospective new parents at the school. This will give you the opportunity to meet the staff who will be teaching your child, discuss any queries or concerns you may have about the transition process, and find out about the additional services that Pre-School can offer for those parents who prefer or require longer day-care for their child during their first term at school. Please also note that we

have a selection of school uniform items in a variety of sizes in pre-school for you to try. Orders can be placed with the School Uniform Shop via pre-school. Please speak to any staff member.

Thank You, Thank You, Thank You!!

Over the past year we have received tremendous support from many of our parents, but I would particularly like to thank Beki Manley and John Knight, and Debbie Fogden for their unfailing generosity in providing the pre-school with much needed resources over the year. I

would also like to thank Nick Gallagher for giving up so much of his time to come in and help out at pre-school every Wednesday and Thursday morning. Nick I hope you have found the experience useful and worthwhile.

Collection & Drop Off Times:

Would all parents please ensure that they collect their children promptly at the end of each session. This is particularly important at the end of lunchbox club as we have only a 5 minute turnaround between the end of lunchbox and the beginning

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Pre-School Themes:

w/c 1st June
Gardens/gardening

W/C 8th June
Bugs & Minibeasts

W/C 15th June
Animals

W/C 22nd June
Under the Sea

W/C 29th June
Sport

W/C 6th July
Holidays & Journeys

W/C 13th July
Holidays & Journeys

of the afternoon session. Also please be aware that pre-school staff meetings, activity evaluation sessions and staff training take place once pre-school finishes at the end of the afternoon, so again your prompt collection would be appreciated.

Finally please note that pre-school re-opens for the Autumn term on Wednesday 9th September. In the meantime I wish you all a healthy and happy summer.

Kim Goldhagen
Manager

