

Newsletter 2

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Term & Holiday Club Dates



The pre-school closes at 3.00 pm on Friday 18th October for half-term and re-opens on Monday 28th October at 9.00 am.

Our Holiday Club will be operating during the half-term break (Monday 21st to Friday 25th October) from 8.00 am until 6.00 pm daily and sessions are charged by the hour so you can book to suit your needs.

The pre-school closes for Christmas at 3.00 pm on Wednesday 18th December and re-opens at 9.00 am on Monday 6th January 2020.

Our Christmas Holiday Club will be open on 19th, 20th, 23rd & 24th December.

3 & 4 Year Old Room News



We have been very busy over the last few weeks with our theme "All About Me". We have talked about how we are all different and looked in the mirror to see our different hair, eye and skin colours. We have learnt a song about this called "Every Colour Under the Sun" which the children are singing beautifully. Maybe they can sing it to you at home? We set up a Doctor's role play area which was a great hit and lots of children enjoyed writing out prescriptions and making their friends and teachers better! We have also printed our hands to display in the cloakroom and drawn pictures of ourselves.

There have been lots of new routines for the children to take on and we are so impressed with how well they have done this. One of the new routines each morning is Disco Time. This is a short physical development activity to music using play dough or scarves. The aim is to help the children strengthen and develop control in their hands and fingers, ready for writing and holding pens and pencils. It is great fun!!

2 Year Old Room News

We have created a lovely display with the children's work based on our book 'The Washing Line' by Jez Alborough. The children have painted clothes and hung them on the washing line as well as pictures of the animals in the story.

We have been talking about Autumn and the children have been exploring leaves, conkers and fur cones in a range of counting and sensory activities.





Wellies!!!!

Please ensure your child has clearly named wellies for outdoor play in wet weather.

If your child comes to pre-school in their wellies on wet days please ensure they bring shoes to change into whilst inside.

Thank you.

School Meals

If your child has meals provided by Dolce and prepared fresh each day in the school kitchen please remember to order these in advance.

If your child is absent you can cancel any ordered meals by 8.55 am each day and will not be charged for them.



If you would like your child to have hot meals please let us know and we can arrange for an account to be set up for you.

For further information about the meals please visit: www.dolce.co.uk



Monkfield Park 20 Year Celebrations

Thank you to everybody who came along to our Monkfield park 20 year celebration yesterday.

The pre-school children enjoyed the range of teddy bear themed activities which included an indoor picnic, pass the parcel and a guess the name of the teddy competition.

It turned out the teddy was called Eric and Annabelle was the lucky winner.

This raised £46.00 for The Cambourne Youth Partnership.



Toys

Please encourage your child to leave their own toys at home. They can become very upset if their own things get lost or broken when they bring them to the setting. Staff members are not responsible for children's own toys. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

Wanted!



If you have any unwanted metal toy cars we would welcome any donations for our 3 & 4 year old provision.

Thank you.