

# Dates for your

#### **November**

5th Bonfire Night 6th Term starts 6th -10th Children's 100 years book week 11/12th Remembrance day 12th Diwali 13th World Kindness day 13-17 Anti bullying week 13-17 World Nursery Rhyme Week 17th Children in Need 20-24th Road Safety week 30th St Andrews day

#### December

7th Family Learning
Christmas Bee Event
4pm—6 pm
13th Hanukkah
13th Christmas Lunch
21st Christmas Party
22nd Half Term
25th Nursery Closed
to all

### FAMILY LEARNING EVENT

Tuesday the 19th of December 10:00-11:30

# November Newsletter

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Hello....Wow what a busy last half term we had from exploring the world we live in and celebrating all that makes us unique to welcoming back old friends and making new.

We are so proud of all the many milestones that we're achieved and we can't wait for this next half term.

The children at the end of last half term went on a visit to Sycamore Park care home and we are so excited we have been invited back!!!

We are going to be making something special for the resident this festive season and was wondering if you have any unwanted gifts that we could re gift to the residents this would be appreciated.

Please feel free to send in pictures of what you have been up to in the holidays, either send pictures with your child to nursery, or email them over or you could even put them onto parent zone iconnect so we can have a look.



All we ask is that you follow us on Instagram to keep up to date with relevant nursery information. WINNER WILL BE DRAWN AT RANDOM IN DECEMBER. Thank you.





Please follow us for the latest news and updates ..... Look at all the fabulous provocations and invitations to play

#### **Nursery News**

We will be having a Christmas themed Family learning event coming up so please keep your eyes out for details.

We will also be having a Diwali themed menu to celebrate the festival of light with all our children and families.

Parent's are now invited into nursery please press the following buttons on the intercom to be let in.

01 - Babies 02 - Pre-school 03 - Stingers Pre-school

04 - Tweenies

Between 7:30 -8:00 am and 5:30-6:00 Please use 02 - Pre-school We want to share the lovely work and learning your child has been taking part in with you.

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No matter if it's a sick day or a holiday please give us a call or drop us an email Thank you



Changed your number over summer?

Please give us your new number and contact information

#### REMINDER

Please provide a spare change of clothes and suitable outdoor clothing and appropriate footwear as we still go outside to play in all types of weather.

Outside play is an important part of a child's development and they enjoy experiencing the different types of weather.

Please can we ask that names are put in clothing to help keep clothes together

# **Home Learning**

This Last half term we have loved seeing all your family photo's , please continue to send them in.

Thank you to everyone who sent in their homemade soup, it looked fantastic we hope you all enjoyed it as much as we did chopping it up and preparing it.... The process is key not the product.

Honey Bee Bear has had so much fun visiting all the children's house's Thank you for taking such good care of Honey Bee Bear.

### What's next.....

In Babies we are focussing on communication and language and personal, social and emotional development looking at relationships and learning new words as we head into the festive season.

In Tweenies we will be celebrating the world around us and the community we live in. We will be focussing on Personal. Social and emotional development, working together, sharing and using kind hands.

In the Pre school room our focus will be on winter and festivals from around the world. Keep your eye's peeled for our daily learning and inspiring and enticing provocations and invitations to play.

We will also be sending some home learning home for you to do with your child so they can share it and group time. We really value our partnership

### **Nursery Pantry**

Nursery Rhymes would like to introduce our new pantry, We understand it is very difficult in the current climate, with the cost of living. So we are making a mini pantry where you can fill in a wish list and we will try our best to fill your bag with items to help support our families.

If any would like to donate any non perishables items please see a member of our team.

If you need support or a chat please catch us at drop off or collection.



### **Safety and Safeguarding**

Please can we remind all parents and Cares not to let anyone in the building <u>ALWAYS</u> come and find a staff member.

Please don't push past parents and carers to get in, it is vital that we know who is in the building and that we ensure the proper feedback is given to each parent.

The safety of our children come first... If you are sending someone else to collect please ensure Nursery have the right Password.

Thank you for your Co - Operation.

# **Funding**

Remember we offer 30 hour and 15 hour funding are you eligible? Please visit the website www.childcarechoices.gov.uk to apply.

Please feel free to get in touch regarding funding

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