

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

### SUMMER HALF TERM

The Pre-School Playgroup will be closed  
from 3pm on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018  
and will reopen at 9am on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2018  
(we are closed on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June for an inset day)



### SUMMER PARTY

We are in the process of arranging a Summer Party for the children at Oceans of Fun, more information will follow once the date has been confirmed.

All parents will receive a separate letter giving all the details - please ensure that you complete the section at the bottom of the form and hand it in to Lynda or Lynn as soon as possible to book your child's place.

### SUMMER SHOW

This year's Summer Show will take place on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2018 at 9.30am in the Baptist Church. You will be able to buy tea, coffee, squash and cakes in the church foyer both before and after the performance.

If anyone would like to donate some cakes for the cake stall (either homemade or shop bought) please put your name on the list which will be displayed on the notice board nearer the time.

### INCREASE IN FEES

With effect from September 2018 the price of session fees at the Pre-School Playgroup will increase as follows:

Session fee - £7.95

Breakfast Club - £3.15

Lunch Club - £1.30

The extra money from this will help towards the general increase in the running costs of the Pre-School Playgroup.

# HUCKNALL PRE-SCHOOL PLAYGROUP



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## Newsletter - May 2018

Hello everyone,

We seem to have had some nice sunshine recently and we hope that this continues. It is really important that your child has sunscreen applied and comes to the Pre-School Playgroup with a hat, with this in mind please make sure you read the section titled Hello Sun!

We are having a celebration on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2018 in honour of the Royal Wedding, please send your child in red, white or blue clothes. The children will be making tiaras and crowns and hopefully (as long as the weather holds out) will be having a tea party.

Please feel free to speak to any member of staff at the end of a session if you have concerns at all regarding your child or any aspect of the Pre-School Playgroup.

**Website - [www.hucknallplaygroup.co.uk](http://www.hucknallplaygroup.co.uk)**

## RAINBOWS CHILDREN

Could we please ask that parents of children in the Rainbows group do not come into the Rainbows room in the morning but leave their children to go into the Rainbow room on their own. We feel that this will not only avoid congestion in the room but will help the children's independence in preparation for school.

## ILLNESS

If your child is poorly can we please ask that you keep them at home until they are better. We don't want to discourage you from bringing them when they have a minor cough or cold but please be aware that other children and staff are in constant contact with your child and illness can therefore spread quickly.

Please be aware that if you send your child and during the session a staff member deems that they are too poorly to be at the Pre-School Playgroup we will ring you and ask you to collect your child as soon as possible. Please therefore ensure that all the contact numbers we hold for you are correct and that you are contactable on these numbers whilst your child is with us.

In ALL cases of sickness and diarrhoea you are required to keep your child at home for 48 hours after the symptoms have ended.

## CHILDREN LEAVING IN THE SUMMER

If your child is leaving us in July to start school in September, we would be grateful if you could let their key person know which school they will be attending. Thank you.

## PLAY CLOTHES

We provide aprons for the children for messy play activities but would like to remind parents that accidents can happen and clothes will get dirty.

Please send your child to the Pre-School Playgroup in comfortable play clothes. Thank you.





### HELLO SUN!

We like the children to spend some time every session playing outside and would therefore ask that you send your child to Pre-School Playgroup with a named sun hat. Please ensure that sunhats are clearly labelled with your child's name and put into the hatbox.

We also asking that sunscreen is applied before your child comes to a session.

In addition if your child attends for a full day, we ask that a named bottle of sunscreen is left at the Pre-School Playgroup for your child (again please label and put in the sunscreen box!) You will have already signed, on the registration form, giving permission for staff to apply the sunscreen you have provided when necessary. Please be aware that if sunscreen is needed to be applied and has not been provided we will have to limit the amount of time your child spends outside in order to protect their health.

### BUILDING WORK

As we are sure you have already noticed there is currently work taking place on the Church building. We are checking the situation on a daily basis and will open whichever passageway and entrance is unaffected - this may therefore change on a regular basis! Please take extra care during this time when arriving and leaving the Pre-School Playgroup.

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