

Both Nursery and Pre-School have been enjoying the sunshine we've had recently. It has been great to be able to continue sharing our learning both inside and out. To ensure we are all sun safe, please can we ask that every child brings a clearly labelled sun hat and sun cream with them. May we also

ask that you apply sun cream to your child before they start their session.



Dates for your diary

Tiddlers teddy bear's picnic on Saturday 22nd June 11am –1pm.

This year we thought we would try something different for our summer fair and have a Teddy Bear's Picnic, allowing everyone of all ages to join in and have fun. This will be held at our nursery site inviting everyone to come along with their teddy and a plate of picnic food to add to a buffet table. There will also be a few activities for children to get involved with. We look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible.

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Tiddlers Pre-School will be having their sports day on

Thursday 4th July at 1.30pm-2.30pm. This is a fun event allowing our children to take part in a number of races. We invite parents and carers to come along to watch and cheer the children along.

At the end of the summer Pre- School will say goodbye to lots of our children that are moving to big school. We would like to wish them all the best for their exciting new chapter by having a leaver's picnic on Thursday 18th July 1.30pm-2.30pm. This is a time for us all to enjoy and celebrate. We ask everyone to bring along some picnic food to share. A food list will go on the office door nearer the time.

Pre-school - Miss Megan has taken the lead on planning weekly walks to nursery for our Pre School children. The aim of this is for the children to take part in planned focused activities within smaller groups, particularly in attention and listening. At the moment this is being planned for Wednesday's and Thursday's ensuring all children who



attend those days have the opportunity to go. In the future we may look at other days too. If you have any questions regarding this please speak to either Miss Megan or your child's key person.

Session times - Please can all parents be mindful of their child's session times. We are in ratio for the safety of all the children. Therefore please can you not arrive before your child's allocated session time. Equally, please make sure that you collect your child on time at the end of their session. It can be distressing for a child if they have not been collected at the expected time and all their friends have already left.



Transitions to Pre-School

If your child is currently in our Toddler room and will be turning 3 years old before the end of September, then the time has come to make the move to our Pre School setting. Please speak to your child's key person. Can we also ask that you make an appointment to come and view our Pre School to discuss this

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transition. Please call Katie on 01225 874954 for further information.

Our recent themes and topics at both nursery and Pre-School have been spring/growing and mini beast/insects and animals. Babies and Toddlers having been busy exploring textures whilst our Pre Schoolers having been looking at how seeds grow into plants, what they need to help them grow and how to look after them. Please check out your children's observations through Eylog to look at the fun activities they have been taking part in and how their learning has been extended. All practitioners welcome your feedback so please feel free to leave a comment or share any experiences from home.



Early Years Entitlement

If your child is 3 years old, or will be 3 years old before the 31st August and you wish to apply for the early years funding in September, please make sure that you apply BEFORE the 31st August. Applications made after this date will not be accepted by Banes and you will have to wait until January 2020. If you have any queries please contact Katie or Diane on 01225 874954



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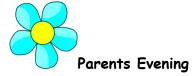
Monday 3rd June - Tuesday 23rd July Wednesday 4th September - Friday 25th October Tuesday 5th November - Friday 20th December Monday 6th January - Friday 14th February 2020



On Thursday the 6th June Pete Travers will be at the Pre-School to take the children's photographs.

He will also be in attendance at the nursery on Wednesday 19th June.

If your child is already in attendance on these days then they will automatically have their photograph taken but if they are not in attendance on these days and you would like your child to have their photograph taken, please call either the Pre-School or the nursery to arrange a suitable time. If you would like to view Pete Travers work, his website address is: (www.petertravers.co.uk)



Pre-School - Wednesday 26th June 6.15pm - 7.15pm Nursery - Tuesday 16th July 6pm - 7pm Both settings will be holding a parents evening giving you the opportunity to have a 10 minute appointment with your child's key person to discuss your child's learning and development

As ever your comments are very welcome, whether positive or bringing something to our attention, we would like to reassure you that Sally, Katie & Hollie are always here to help.

Please see our website for weekly updates and information (www.tiddlersdaynursery.co.uk)