CHRISTCHURCH PRESCHOOL

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I Hope you are all enjoying a lovely Easter holidays, I cannot believe that this is our last term for some of our children . I would like to welcome Evie and Ashton to our preschool family they are starting with us this term.

To keep this newsletter short as over this term I will be sending out a few to remind you of dates etc I will not go over our sickness policy or signing in routine or for you to remember that we are a nut free preschool.

I would like to remind you though that we do not have a treasure box anymore and if your child comes in with something that is not for the phonics show or tell or the topic show and tell I will be asking you to take it home with you as we are getting precious things lost .

SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

On the day we return to Preschool some of you will find out what school your child will be getting please could you let me know when you do as I can then liaise with the reception teachers regarding your child.

Following on from this I will be doing parent consultations for those children going off to school. These will be on TUESDAY 8TH MAY please look out for a sheet in the lobby for you to sign up to, if you cannot make this day then please see your child's keyworker to arrange a more convenient time, but I'm hoping we can do them all on one day. I will be doing Karen's children that are going off to school.

PHONICS

For those doing Tuesday afternoon these are the following sounds we will be doing.

WEEK ONE The Letter D

WEEK TWO The Letter G

WEEK THREE The Letter O

WEEK FOUR The letter U

WEEK FIVE The Letter L

WEEK SIX The Letter F

Please encourage your child to bring in a show and tell of the sound of the week .

PE LESSONS

On some Tuesdays I will be doing pe lessons with the children on a Tuesday afternoon to smooth transition into school I will be sending home letters about this and what dates so please look out for this. This will run as well as Phonics.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARYS

FRIDAY 25TH MAY TEDDY BEARS PICNIC children and bears only more info to come .

THE WEEK OF 25TH JUNE PETS WEEK if you have any children friendly pets that you could bring in to show the children either first thing or last thing then please let us know .

END OF TERM DAY FRIDAY 13TH JULY(do not let the date put you off) I would like all the parents to come back around 11.30 to hear a phonics sing song and say goodbye to the children who are leaving us to go to school.

HOLIDAY CLUB

TUESDAY 17TH JULY

This is going to be a fun filled day of activities if you would like to join us for one last childfree day then please speak to Fiona (Ben Thomas's mum) you can do all day or a morning or an afternoon .

There will be more info about all of the dates nearer the time.

TOPIC FOR THE TERM

We will be doing LAND AND SEA CREATURES

WEEK ONE FISH AND UNDERWATER CREATURES

WEEK TWO WILD ANIMALS

WEEK THREE MINI BEASTS

WEEK FOUR FROGS

WEEK FIVE FARM ANIMALS

WEEK SIX BEARS

BITS AND BOBS

A massive thank you to you all for world book day we raised a massive £183.

I would also like to thank everyone for purchasing your child’s art work on the Easter open morning, every penny helps us to extend your child's learning oh and fill our sand pit.

A sad bit of news for those who where not at the Easter open morning is that we will be losing Amanda she is going off to Nepal to teach.

I will be looking to recruit a new Deputy manager who will fit into our dedicated team of staff and make the transition for the children as smooth as possible .

For any other information then please do look on our website as information gets updated on that and look out for emails.

As always we have an open door policy if you need to speak to me or another staff member then please do not hesitate to contact us .

We are looking forward to a busy and fun half term .

JO, AMANDA,JAYDA,KAREN,ELOISE AND LYNNE