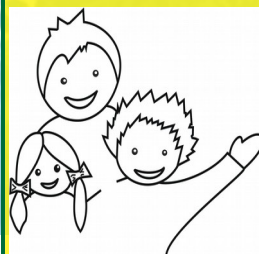


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Westfield Playgroup Newsletter

January 2020

Dates for your diary

Thursday 5th March – World Book Week– Please bring in your favourite book and dress up. Please donate chocolate for our Easter Tombola, which will be held at our Easter Bonnet Parade.

Tuesday 31st March– Easter Bonnet Parade. We ask all children to decorate an Easter bonnet/hat at home, to bring in for our parade. The children will sing some Spring songs and family and friends are welcome to come and watch. If it is not your child's usual session please bring them along at 1.30pm. Afterwards there will be tea and coffee and a chocolate tombola. All money made goes back into playgroup to buy equipment and resources.

Welcome back!

Thank you for all snack donations we have received so far, we are very grateful and the children have been enjoying the variety of different foods.

Just a few reminders:

- Please let Julie know if any of your contact details have changed.
- Please supply a bag with at least one change of clothes, playgroup can be a messy place!
- With the cold weather please bring in jumpers for your children.

Please join our Facebook page as we update it regularly and all important information will be on there.

In the event of severe weather, information concerning Playgroup closures will be on Facebook.

We are taking part in the new HALO programme – Healthy Active Little Ones! A letter is attached explaining the programme.

SESSION TIMES/ FEES

Please note that session times are now 9am-3pm Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Wednesday's 9am-12pm.

The current fees are detailed below.

- Under 3's £14,40 per session
- Over 3's £13.50 per session

You can receive EYEE funding as follows:

- Born between 1st Apr-31st Aug funding from 1st Sept after 3rd birthday
 - Born between 1st Sept-31st Dec funding from 1st Jan after 3rd birthday.
 - Born between 1st Jan-31st Mar funding from 1st Apr after 3rd birthday.
- Please ask Julie for any further details.

TERM DATES

Term 3 3th January - 14th February

Term 4 24th February - 3rd April

Term 5 20th April - 22nd May

Term 6 4th June - 22nd July

Inset days will be added. We will let you know ASAP when these will be.

PARKING - it would be a great help if parents/carers could please park cars diagonally on the left hand side of Vicarage Lane as this enables more cars to be able to park safely.

SNACK DONATIONS

Last year we introduced the snack donation basket. We ask parents/carers to bring in something the children could enjoy for snack, such as fresh fruit, breadsticks and dips, crumpets, cheese. This worked really well and we will be carrying it on this year. The children really enjoyed sharing food with their friends, and enjoyed a much more varied choice for snack.

Clothing

We use the garden as much as possible, in all weathers, so please provide your child with appropriate clothing, as well as a named bag with spare clothes. We do have a variety of wellies available but if your child wishes to wear their own please bring them in named.

Don't forget to check out our Facebook page. This will have info on any emergency closures, what's happening throughout the term and any upcoming events.

Check out our website at www.westfieldplaygroup.co.uk