

The KINDERGARTEN at St. JOSEPH'S
PARENT and CARER WEEKLY NEWSLETTER
Week Commencing 16 Sep 2019 Week 03 of 38
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Car Park

Thank you for not parking in
the school car park.

Very Sadly Bernie's father died last weekend.

We ask you all to keep Bernie and her family
in your thoughts and prayers.

Happy Birthday

Samantha Liman

4 Years



We would like to welcome Amelie, Archer, Charlotte, Christopher, Dylan, Giovanna, Harper, Jack, Jaida, John Michael, Liam, Lillian, Lily, Lola, Olivia, Scarlett & Thomas, who are all very new to us.

Please also welcome their parents.

Dates to remember:

2019- 2020

Wed 4 September - Tues 17 Dec (Half Term 28 Oct - 1 Nov 1 Week)

Wed 8 Jan -Fri 3 April (17 Feb - 21 Feb, 1 Week)

Mon 20 Apr - Tues 21 Jul (25 May - 29 May, 1 Week)

Our Session times

Morning 8:40-11:55 Afternoon 12:10 -15:10 School Day 8:40-15:10

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School Application

If your child was born between 1 September 2015 and 31 August 2016 read on.

School applications will begin in November. I do not want to overload you with information right now but some parents have been asking. What you can do now is to find out where the schools in the area are and check their websites for open days. Some schools ask you to book these in advance.

In a few weeks time I will add some more information about the application process.

I came across the National Numeracy Challenge in our Early Years press and I thought some of you parents may be interested to give it a go.

Let me know how you get on.

The [National Numeracy Challenge](#) is an online resource that provides help to anyone to assess their numeracy and get help to improve.

FAMILY

If you are reading this I know that you have found Family.

In some ways it has revolutionised our lives! Did you know that you can easily report your child's absence on Family, you can give us accurate and up to date information about your child. And ofcourse you should start receiving photographs and your child's learning journey.

If you have not already done so please log on and check that we do have all the correct details for your child including health information and people to contact in an emergency.

You can help me by asking other parents waiting at pick up or drop off times if they have seen the newsletter. It might just remind them to activate their logins!

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If your child is not able to attend a session, please would send a message on Family. It would be helpful if you gave the reason for the absence.

For Safeguarding reasons if your child has not arrived we will attempt to contact you but would very much prefer you did not leave it to us to call.

Please make sure everything is marked with your child's name on. Some of the children do not recognise their new clothing so please, please, please will you mark new (and old) belongs with your child's name. If you could put your child's name on the outside of their bag that would be marvellous.

Outside Play

Weather at this time of year is extremely changeable and we do love our outdoor play.

Please remember to send your child with a coat, they may also need to be smothered in suncream and if your child is staying all day please could you send a bottle of suncream with their name on it and we will reapply when needed.

A gentle reminder that smoking is not permitted on the site.

Could I politely ask you not to smoke when your children are near you. The smell tends to remain on your child for quite some time and we do have some children with respiratory conditions that are affected by the lingering smell of smoke.

A little reminder about how to wash hands.

First wet your hand.



Then add soap



Next rub hands to make bubbles



Finally rinse and dry.



Uniform



I have been contacted by My Clothing which is the company that provided Tesco with their embroidery service.

I have agreed to let them continue to supply and have added some more items to the range. There is now a reversible fleece and a rucksack.

Take a look and get ordering.

www.myclothing.com



Pooch Corner

Is the Toddler group that meets in the Church on Monday Mornings. They are looking for volunteers to help set up and generally help. Let me know if you might be able to help.

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Information if your child is having Lunch

16/09/2019 to 22/09/2019

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
main				
Chicken Korma	Ham & Cheese Pizza	Roast Chicken Fillet	Beef Meatballs In BBQ sauce	Breaded Pollock Fillet
White Rice	Summer Salad	Sage & Onion Stuffing	White Rice	Potato Wedges
Sweetcorn		Gravy	Sweetcorn	Baked Beans
		Roast Potatoes		
		Carrot & Swede Batons		
vegetarian				
Vegetable & Bean Taco	Sweet Potato Dhal	Quorn Fillet	Spinach & Ricotta	Sweet Potato & Cheese Whirls
Roasted Veg & Couscous Salad	White Rice	Fresh Shredded Cabbage	Cannelloni in Tomato Sauce	Peas
Sliced Beetroot	Peas		Homemade Bread	
			Broccoli Florets	
dessert				
Carrot Cake with Frosted Topping	Yoghurt Pots	Fresh Fruit Salad	Banana Muffin	Fruity Flapjack
Yoghurt Pots	Primary Fruit Option	Yoghurt Pots	Yoghurt Pots	Milk Drink
Primary Fruit Option		Creme Fraiche	Primary Fruit Option	Yoghurt Pots
				Primary Fruit Option

Below is the link for information about the food itself

<https://www2.myschoollunch.co.uk/surrey/primary-schools/the-education/the-complete-guide-to-surrey-school-meals/>

We very much welcome your contributions to our fruit basket. The snack table is always very well visited by the children.



We would also appreciate a box of tissues and a packet of wipes each half term.



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This week has been a whirlwind of activity and quite a lot of it outdoors! We are making the most of the good weather while we can.

The children showed me their physical skills attempting "roly polies" on the mat, the mud kitchen has been really popular (sorry if you have had some very muddy clothes to wash but there is educational value to this).

There was dancing with scarves.

Snack time as ever is popular. Thank you to everyone for sending in fruit. We could with a little more please.

And then to make the week feel even more special, some of our pre-schoolers are already forming a group and playing together.



Attendance

Please ensure your child attends their regular booked sessions. They are at time in their lives where consistency of attendance matters.



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FKYs - First Kindergarten Year Children starting school Sep 2021

Pre- Sch - pre-schoolers children starting school September 2020

If you want to understand more about what ages and stages of child development (when a child can do something), "What to expect, When?" is a really easy document to read. You can find it on our website on the policy page or you can buy your own copy by following this link: <https://www.actionforchildren.org.uk/resources-and-publications/information-guides/what-to-expect-when-a-parents-guide/>




Date: Monday 16th September 2019

Early Years Foundation Stage - Weekly plan

Getting to Know You Week 2 - Settling in. PSED: Develop bonds with Key People, confidence in moving around the setting and accessing resources & activities. Meeting & getting to know our new friends. Learning each other's names. Getting to know & understand the nursery routines. UW: Introducing the theme of 'Space'. PD: Hand washing. EAD: Making sheep with cotton wool. Maths: Counting.

Atlantic room, Pacific room & outdoors.

AREA	Creative Workshop	Sand & Water	Construction & technical/ Malleable & tactile	Small world & imaginative	Mathematics	Exploration & investigation	Mark making	FKYs
M O N	Cutting out circles and colouring in for space display.	Hidden treasure	Duplo Rockets Playdough	Space toys	Flat wooden shapes What pictures can I make?	Name Games	Bag Labels/ Chalk circles & water & paintbrushes	Settling in & bonding with Key Person
T U E	Making Baa Baa and friends with cotton wool	Cups and spoons	Magnetic shapes Gears	Castles, princesses and ponies	Can I count to 5?	How do we wash our hands?	Bag Labels/ Painting on the easel	
W E D	Stampers and paint	Lids & tongs in water Can I pick the lids up with the tongs?	Wooden Village Threading boards	Farm	Big & small	Let's talk about the sun, moon, earth and stars.	Bag Labels/ Flow paint	
T H U R	Group art - Jupiter AM Saturn PM	Rocks and dinosaurs	Playdough Stickle bricks	Dressing up	Shape sorters	How do we wash our hands?	Bag Labels/ Can I draw a face with circles and lines?	
F R I	Making Baa Baa and friends with cotton wool	Tea set	Lego - Space Station	Cars & garages	Wooden blocks How high can you build a tower?	Let's talk about the sun, moon, earth and stars.	Bag Labels/ Choice of colouring in	
Outdoor physical activities this week:					Children's requests:		Makaton signs of the week:	
Tykes cars, climbing frame, crates, slides, see saws, trampoline, hula hoops, tyres & planks.							Snack and lunch	
Shapes of the week: (FKY/Pre-sch)			Books of the week:			Nursery rhyme:		Words of the week:
 Revise all previous shapes			FKYS: Peppa & George in Space Pre-schoolers: Aliens Love Underpants			Baa Baa Black Sheep		More words that mean big

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2018 -2019 Staff Team



Caroline -
DSL
PFA
Mon AM, Wed,
Thurs & Fri AM



Bernie - Deputy
PFA
Mon - Wed &
Fri PM



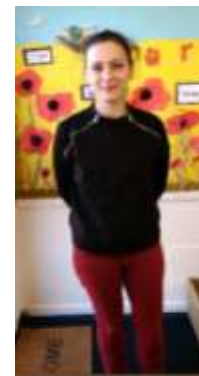
Bernisi - Deputy.
DSL
Tues, Thurs & Fri



Louise
DSL
PFA



Megan
PFA
Tues & Wed



Manuella
(Manu)
PFA
Mon, Thurs & Fri



Karen
Volunteer



Daisy
Volunteer



Annabelle
DSL
PFA
Mon, Wed & Thurs



Suzy - SENDCo
PFA
Mon, Tues & Fri



Jolanta
PFA
Wed - Fri

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PFA- Paediatric First Aid
DSL - Safeguarding Lead

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If you are interested please contact her and tell her that you came from Kindiejoes.

And for those of you feeling left out Lynda is now providing adult Ballet & Tap Classes for all (and no) abilities. So much fun!

Lizi McGarvey

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Debbie one of our regular childminders has vacancies.
If you are looking for a childminder or you know
someone who is, contact Debbie now on

07743 072832

Rameh also has spaces you can contact her on **07583 193677**

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If you are looking to recycle some of the packaging that is not recyclable take a look at

www.facebook.com/TadworthTerracycle

This group can take items like crisp packets and they are able to use credits from their collections to make donations to charities.

If any of you have used them let us know what you think.

If you run a small business or need to advertise I have this free space waiting for you.

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