

Hythe Bay Children's Centre Nursery

Newsletter January / February 2019



What We Have Been Doing

Children were very busy with Christmas crafts, singing, baking, and present wrapping and posting over the Christmas period. We had our Christmas workshop for the toddlers, the Christmas concert for the pre-schoolers, and the Christmas party for all ages. Many parents attended these events, so thank you! The children and staff enjoyed a lovely Christmas lunch too.

Family Photos

Please can you bring in family photos for your child's all about me book! Children like to look through these when they are settling in a new environment, or to share with their friends and key persons. Having these books helps with their confidence, communication and language, literacy skills and more!

ParentZone

Remember you can upload photos and videos onto ParentZone to share with your key person! It's great to see what your child has been doing in their free time, and we can use this to help with their learning and development too! Please speak to a member of staff if you would like some help with this!

Parent and Grandparent Volunteers

It would be fantastic to have some parents or grandparents that can come into nursery one day to talk about their hobby or occupation! Please speak to a member of staff if you would be happy to do this!

Weather

Please ensure that your child has suitable clothing and footwear for the weather, with their name in each item! Children access the outdoors space every day!

Staff News

Holley will return to her role as baby room's room leader when she comes back from maternity leave in January. Chloe has moved with some of the toddlers up to preschool. Kim has moved up from babies to toddlers too. Daisy will be going on maternity leave in February.

Staff Training

For our January staff development day, staff looked at how to further enhance the outdoors learning environments, and preparing for Ofsted. Vicki has refreshed her Early Years Designated Safeguarding Lead training.

Dates for Your Diary

Thursday 3rd January
Staff Development Day.

Friday 4th January
Nursery open to all children. Term 3 starts for term-time only children

15th Jan – Closing date for primary school applications

Friday 15th February
Last day of term 3 for term time only children

Monday 25th February
Term 4 starts for term time only children

Thursday 7th March
World Book Day

Friday 5th April
Last Day of Term 4 for term time only children.

Global Goals for Sustainable Development

We will begin working towards the global goals from January 2019 and we'd appreciate your support!

Please look at our website or speak to a member of staff for more information!

We'd like to recycle things you no longer need! Please let us know if you have any kitchen utensils, pots or pans that we could use in our mud kitchen!

Thank you!



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ParentZone
Partnership in your Pocket

Let us know if you're not yet able to access your child's learning journal online!

All we need is an email address.

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Upcoming events



Hythe Bay Designated Safeguarding Leads



Vicki
Nursery Manager



Carolyn
School Headteacher



Radka
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Tracy
School Deputy Headteacher

Carol
School Deputy Headteacher

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We plan to work towards these goals from January 2019

THE GLOBAL GOALS For Sustainable Development



Folkestone

Hythe & Romney Marsh
Shepway District Council



www.shepway.gov.uk

We are proud to announce that we have been awarded funding from the Shepway Community Chest to improve our outdoors environment.



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