

Hythe Bay Children's Centre Nursery

Newsletter March / April 2022



What We Have Been Doing

We had an enjoyable wellbeing and fundraising week. Thank you to everyone that took part and donated! We've had visitors from a variety of occupations come to talk to nursery children about their occupations. Children have enjoyed playing with new sensory toys. We were grateful to receive Containment Outbreak Maintenance funding to pay for new resources, furniture and equipment including outdoor shelters, sensory toys, and cosy areas. We also designed, created and distributed home learning packs for each nursery child.

ParentZone Please log in to your ParentZone account and check that your contact details are correct. Thank you! We'd love for you to upload some photos or videos or write to us on ParentZone to help your key person get to know your child. Please speak to a room leader if you need help accessing your account.

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Please follow us online to stay updated! These are visible on our website too.



COVID-19 Symptoms: a high temperature, a new, continuous cough, a change to sense of smell or taste. Our risk assessment is available on our website.

Policies Some of our policies and procedures were reviewed in our January trustee meeting. We will continue to review our policies and procedures and share them on the website and parents' boards once we receive signed copies from the trustees.

Late Collection Please arrive on time or early to collect your child from nursery. We may charge a lateness fee of £1 per minute late. Thank you.

Amazon Smile When you shop using smile.amazon.co.uk and choose **Hythe Bay Children's Centre**, Amazon will donate to our charity.



Volunteers wanted Please let Radka or Shane know if you would like to volunteer to read to the children or discuss your occupation, culture or language.

Staff News We are sad to see Lauren leave Hythe Bay on 28th March for a career change. Carly will also sadly be leaving Hythe Bay from 1st April. We'd like to congratulate Shane as he will be promoted to Room Leader. We will update affected rooms on staffing changes when we have finalised our plans. Beccie attended 'The Thinking Child' training and Lauren attended 'Let's Talk Communication' training. Vicki attended an Early Years and Childcare Briefing session. These were all cascaded in a staff team meeting. Vicki has completed initial teacher training and now has Qualified Teacher Status.

Dates for Your Diary

Monday 21st February – Monday 28th March - Term 4 (Spring 2022)

Thursday 3rd March
World Book Day

Friday 18th March
Comic Relief (Red Nose Day)

Tuesday 29th March – Monday 18th April - Early Spring break for TTO children

Summer 2022 – Terms 5 and 6

Monday 11th April - Nursery Closed for TTO children - TTO Staff Development Day

Tuesday 12th April - Nursery Closed – Staff Development Day for all

Wednesday 13th April – Nursery closed to fulltime children – FT Staff Development Day Replacement day for TTO Summer term Monday funded children (invite only)

Thursday 14th April – Nursery Closed for TTO children and staff

Friday 15th April - Nursery Closed – Good Friday

Monday 18th April - Nursery Closed – Easter Monday

Tuesday 19th April – Friday 27th May - Term 5

Monday 2nd May - Nursery Closed – Bank Holiday

Nursery term dates are available on the nursery website!

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

All we need is an email address.

Contact Info

Admin email: nursery@hythebay.kent.sch.uk

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Upcoming Charity / Celebration Events for Our Nursery

Thursday 3rd March—World Book Day

Friday 18th March—Comic Relief

Please check our Facebook page or website for updates.

Hythe Bay Designated Safeguarding Leads



Vicki
Nursery Manager



Carolyn
Chair Trustee



Radka
Nursery Deputy Manager

Rebecca
Nursery Trustee

Other Safeguarding Contacts

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