

January/February 2023 newsletter

Snack

We are happy to say that playgroup are now providing fruit at snack times. Please do continue contributing to our snack. Our children are active, growing and have very healthy appetites!



Hand wash station

The hand wash station has been re-enstated for the winter months. Please help us to minnmise the spread of winter bugs by ensuring your children wash there hands before entering the setting.





Wishing Louie a very Happy 3rd
Birthday!

Also wishing Ben and Sienna a very Happy 4th Birthday!

Cakes can be brought in with prior arrangement to cater for any allergies.



Forest School



Forest School sessions will continue to run this term, running every other Tuesday. Both a Facebook post and WhatsApp broadcast will always go out the evening before confirming.

Please provide children with wellies and appropriate clothing, including long sleeves and trousers.

Covid, Flu and Strep A infections

As you are all aware we are in the midst of the winter season with all the usual germs that are going around. In addition to the normal winter colds and vomiting bugs, we are experiencing higher than usual incidents of Flu, Strep A infections and a rise in Covid infections.

Because of this, we have instituted some extra hygiene measures to mitigate the risks of catching and passing on infections.

We would also like to say that if your child requires Calpol before attending they are most likely not well enough to attend and they probably have an infection that they can pass on to others.

Please do not send your child when they have had Calpol and please make sure that your child is in good health when they return to playgroup.

Children who have a fever should be kept at home until 24 hours after the temperature has returned to normal.

As a setting we will be particularly vigilant and will notify you as soon as we suspect that your child is unwell.

Please support us in our efforts by reinforcing this good hand hygiene at home as well. I would also like to remind you that if your child has vomiting and diarrhoea they must be kept at home until 48 hours after the last loose stool or vomiting episode.

Dates for you diaries

Monday 2nd January: Bank Holiday

Tuesday 3rd January: Inset day

Monday 4th January: Term begins

Thursday 19th January: Celebrating Luna New Year!

Tuesday 14th February: St Valentines day

Thursday 16th February: Last day of term and celebrating pancake day!

February half term: Monday 20th February-Friday 24th February

Monday 27th February: Term begins

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