



News Letter

November 2016

Well, that time of year is fast approaching! Yes, Christmas! We are very excited as the countdown to Christmas begins! We have already started preparing a small Christmas production of a Nativity, followed by a few Christmas classics! You may have already been told by your child about their part in the play. We will be sending out a small line for the children to say on the day and would appreciate it if you could help by practising at home along with the songs, which will be sent home over the next week too. We have a few dates for your diary which can be found further down the newsletter. This is our favourite time of year at Lavendon Pre-school and we have lots of fun planned over the upcoming weeks!

OUR TOPICS THIS TERM

Over the next few weeks, our topics will include "Planets" and "Christmas"

Planets-we have begun looking at the topic of Planets, this week we have been focusing on the planet we live on and have been asking the children what other planets there may be out there! We have looked at some pictures of our solar system and the children have talked about whether they think planets maybe hot or cold and whether they think anyone lives on them!

Christmas-We have lots of activities planned for Christmas, including crafts which will be coming home regularly! We have our Christmas production to look forward to and we will be teaching the children the story of how Christmas began! We plan to have a Christmas party at the end of term to celebrate too!

Outdoor Area

We have a very busy committee of parents who are working hard to help us to make improvements to our outdoor area, this will enable us meet the EYFS learning objectives in the outdoor environment. If anyone would like to get involved in helping us to improve the outdoor area, please come and speak to us, any help would be greatly appreciated!

Illness

Please be aware that there is a stomach bug doing the rounds at pre-school. Just to remind parents that children need to be 48 hours clear from their last bout of sickness/diarrhoea before they are allowed to return to pre-school, to minimise the spread of infection.

Lunches

Please can we ensure that if your child has grapes included in their lunch, that they are cut in half (from top to bottom) to prevent any choking incidents.

Thank you

Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 29th November-We have a dress up day where children can come to pre-school in fancy dress or anything they like, in exchange for a chocolate or bottle donation. These will be used as raffle prizes at our Christmas fete, all monies raised will go towards improving our pre-school.

Saturday 10th December-Lavendon pre-school fete, details can be found on the poster in the entrance of the pre-school. Please bring family and friends along for some Christmas fun!

Tuesday 13th December- we have our Christmas production at 1pm! Details of parts and songs will be sent home over the next week. If you struggle with finding a costume for the production, please let us know and we will see what we can do to help.

Wednesday 14th December-we will be having a Christmas party for the children! If your child does not attend this session but would like to come along, they are most welcome! The party will be from 1-2pm. More details to follow.

Thursday 15th December-last day of term!

Wednesday 4th January- First day of Spring term!

Outdoor Clothing

As the cold weather is upon us, please ensure you send your child to pre-school with wellies, hats, gloves and a warm coat for outdoor play.

OUR COMMITTEE

Lavendon Pre-School is run by a dedicated committee, if you would be interested in joining us please email our secretary on lavendonpreschool@gmail.com



Thank you all for your continued support!

Sam, Abigail, Aimee and Karen