



Buckden Pre-School Playgroup

A place for Children to grow, to learn and to flourish

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Newsletter –January 2016

Preschool roundup

Happy New Year!! We hope you all had a great Christmas and Santa was kind to everyone. We are looking forward to a fun half term where we will welcome new friends and have fun with lots of lovely activities and crafts.



Welcome

A very big welcome to Olivia, Gideon and Matilda who are joining us this month, we hope they settle in to preschool and have lots of fun and make new friends.



Happy Birthday to you!

Birthday wishes to Mia who turned 4 this month and to Olivia who turned 3, we hope you both had lovely birthdays 😊



Working together

We are working with Buckden Primary school to find new ways to build on our already good partnership and ensure we are doing the very best in preparing the children for the next chapter of their development journey. We will be having regular meetings with them and sharing the tapestry journals with them too so they can see the progress made during their time at the preschool. We think this is a very positive step and look forward to an even stronger relationship with them.



Thank you

We made an amazing £508.16 at our breakfast with Santa. Thank you to those who came and supported us, the children had an amazing time and it was lovely seeing their faces light up when Santa joined them for breakfast. We have lots of lovely fundraising events for the New Year and look forward to your support.



Your thoughts

Thank you to those who have filled in the speech bubbles, we are really chuffed with the lovely feedback and are working hard to make any changes suggested. We hope they continue to be as successful for collecting your feedback. On the subject of feedback, we would like to find out if any parents would be interested in a parent afternoon. The idea would be to book a time slot with your child's key person and go over their progress and discuss any concerns etc. If this is something that you might be interested in can you either fill in a speech bubble or ping us an email. If we generate enough interest, we will post details at that point.



Upcoming events

Keep an eye out for details on fundraising events over the next couple of months. We will put details in the children's drawers and also on our Facebook page. Fundraising is such an important part of the preschool so we are really grateful for all your support.

Term dates

2016

Spring Term Opens: **Monday 4th January**

Half Term: **15th - 19th February**

Spring Term Closes: **Thursday 24th March**

Summer Term Opens: **Monday 11th April**

May Day: **Monday 2nd May**

Half Term: **30th May – 3rd June**

Summer Term Closes: **Friday 15th July**

Professional Days: **Monday 18th July, Tuesday 19th July and Wednesday 20th July, Thursday 21st**

Autumn term opens: **Thursday 1st September**

Half term: **24th -28th October**

Autumn term closes: **Tuesday 20th December**