

BLUEBIRDS DAY NURSERY – SEPTEMBER 2013 NEWSLETTER

Hello everyone,

We welcome all the children and parents who have recently joined the nursery. We also want to welcome back our pre-schoolers from the long summer holiday. Hope you had fun!

STAFF INFO

One of our room leaders **Beckie Anderson** has been promoted to the post of deputy manager to replace Sarah Steadman who left us in July. **Beckie** has a degree in Education Studies in Early Years with many years of experience working with young children. Also Beckie recently got married – we wish her and Michael a happy married life.

Other staff has seen joined our team and they are; **Karen Bullen** and **Hannah Ward**.

EVENTS

- Many of you were able to come in and see what your children have been doing during their time at the nursery during the last **PARENT'S EVENING**. Please don't hesitate to contact either your child's key person or the manager if you've got any suggestion, concern or query.

WHAT'S NEW?

- **NURSERY HELPERS** – on a daily basis, we select one of the children to help the cook set up for lunch. The child will help set individual place mats with cutlery and cup.

SUGGESTION BOX

Our parents are encourage to use our suggestion box placed in the foyer at the parents waiting area.

BIRTHDAYS THIS TERM:

We wish the following children a happy birthday;

August

✚ Dominykas and Connor

September

✚ Joseph, Emili, Samuel, Tyler and Eva

October

✚ Yusra, Bruno and Hadia

November

✚ Mary

December

✚ Dovydas

OFSTED REPORT

We had our OFSTED inspection on the 2nd of May. The inspector was satisfied with our setting and they praised us on the following points:

- Our children are safe
- Our staff are clear and confident in their individual roles.
- Our children behave well as they are provided with clear boundaries and staff provide a positive role model.
- Our children settle well because staff gave them warm reassurance and positive attention.
- We help our children to be secure, confident and develop a sense of belonging.
- We place a strong emphasis on promoting inclusion

OFSTED noted a few things they want us to look at to improve our setting further. We have addressed those points since their visit and have put things in place. A COPY OF THE FULL INSPECTION REPORT IS ON THE PARENT'S NOTICE BOARD at the foyer.

THEME FOR THE AUTUMN & WINTER TERM:

- Everyday life
 - Bakers
 - Supermarket
 - Hairdressers
 - Home life
 - Nurseries and Schools
 - Vets, Doctors & Hospitals
- Seasons – Autumn & Winter
 - Leaf collecting & Painting
 - Conkers Hunt
 - Ice & Snow
 - Halloween
 - Bonfire
 - Christmas

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- ❖ **Monday 9th September** – First day back for the sessional preschool children
- ❖ **Monday 28th – Friday 1st November** – Half term (funded children only)
- ❖ **Friday 20th December** – Last day before Christmas for everyone.

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- ❖ Monday 23rd - 1st January 2014 – NURSERY CLOSED
- ❖ Thursday 2nd January 2014 – Nursery opens

NURSERY CONTACT DETAILS

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SOME PICTURES



Nursery rhyme in the garden with Hayley & Bunmi



Free flow includes outdoor & staff in every area



Children at the Nursery serve themselves



Children are encourage to park after finishing their meal to promote independence



Children at the Nursery are rewarded for sharing.



Dancing children at BDN are HAPPY children!!!