



Bolitho Nursery

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Summer Term 2

Staff News

We have said goodbye to **Tasha Trennery** who has left to join a local primary school and we wish her luck for the future.

We also wish **Sam Wherry** all the best for her maternity leave that starts in July, ready to welcome her baby in September.

We will also be sad to say goodbye to **Chloe Reeves** at the end of the Summer Term, she will be transitioning with a child to continue to support them at school.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Tasha, Chloe and Sam for all of their hard work.

Newsletter

Existing Injuries

Please let a member of staff know if your child is arriving at nursery with an existing injury. This could be a cut, bruise, bump or any mark they have. This allows us to ensure we are treating the correct marks if a child has a bump at nursery.

Harlequins Photographs

We hope you agree that the individual and group photos look brilliant!

Please return your proofs by **Friday 22nd June**.

There will be an additional charge of £4 per order, for any late orders we receive to cover postage.

Term Dates

Everyone has been emailed a new term calendar for 2018/2019.

Please look at this carefully to ensure you are aware when your child is booked in to nursery.

Summer Term 2: Monday 4th June - Friday 20th July

Nursery is CLOSED week beginning 23rd July for maintenance and training.

We will reopen 30th July for Summer Holiday Bookings.

Autumn Term begins: Wednesday 5th September

Tapestry

Following recent training we will be reducing the number of tapestry observations we upload for each key child. This allows our staff more time to support your children's development through play. Each half term your child will have a professional judgement uploaded to reflect their progress.

Head Lice

We have had a case of head lice in the Nursery. Please can we remind everyone to frequently check your child/ren's hair and treat. You can visit your local pharmacy for a range of treatments.

Thank you.

GDPR Consent and Permission Forms

Thank you to all of you who have already returned these forms. Please can you ensure all forms are returned by 22nd June at the very latest.

PLEASE ALL STILL REGULARLY CHECK YOUR EMAILS

We would like to make it clear that we do have to provide information that is of a legitimate interest to you via email- for example any infectious illnesses that we have been notified of, term dates and fee increases etc. We have a duty to ensure we inform all parents of certain information.

Security Door

Thank you to everyone who is keeping our nursery safe.

Please ensure that when leaving the nursery you do NOT hold the door open for another person to enter. When entering the nursery please do NOT encourage any other person to follow you in, they need to press the buzzer.

Fee Increase - Please check your emails

Please check your emails for a new price list that reflects our fee increase that will take effect from September 2018. There is an accompanying letter with the price list we ask you to also read. We have kept the increase to an absolute minimum.

Sun Cream, Sun Hats & UV Suits

Thank you to everyone for applying **sun cream** before your children attend and for providing labeled bottles, please continue to do so. We also thank you for providing **sun hats**, please continue to do so. You are welcome to provide a **UV suit** if you wish for your child to wear. This allows them to fully enjoy water play and keep them cooler in the sun.

30 hours Funding Information for September

If your child turns 3 before August 31st they will automatically be entitled to 15 hours of free government funding.

You may also be eligible for the 30 hours funding. Please visit www.childcarechoices.gov.uk to see the eligibility criteria and how to apply.

Once you complete the application you will receive an eligibility code if you have been successful.

Please provide us with your child's eligibility code by 17th August to ensure it will be activated for the Autumn Term.

September Sessions

We are currently looking at our availability for September. **Please inform us as soon as possible if you would like to increase or change your child's sessions.** We will soon be handing out letters informing you if your child is moving rooms in September and they will have plenty of opportunities to explore their new rooms with their current key person between now and September.

Summer Family Fundraiser

We would like to welcome all of our families to join us for a Summer Family Fundraiser. We were thrilled with the engagement at our Christmas Fundraiser and would like to invite you to a similar event. We will be arranging a 'Buy a Square' fundraiser with a Top Prize to win! Each room will also have summer craft activities for you to enjoy with your child. We feel this creates a relaxed environment for all of our families, children and staff to socialise and enjoy the nursery environment together. Our Pre Schoolers will also be singing some goodbye songs and we will present them with their leaving certificates.

Thursday 19th July 2018

Pre School and Early Threes: 2:00pm - 3:00pm (All children will need collected by 3pm)

Baby Room and Toddler Room: 3:30pm - 4:30pm (All children will need collected by 4:30pm)

We will be sending out a note for you to reply and confirm if you can attend.