



Pre-school Newsletter
May 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

We thought we would send out a mini newsletter, as we have a few things coming up that we want to share with you.

1. Firstly, we would like to give a warm welcome to our new member of the team Mrs Clare Constant. Clare is a member of the school's admin team and will be in the Pre-school office to answer any of your queries.
2. We will be celebrating the Queen's Jubilee this week. We are having 2 afternoons teas at Pre-school as we have different children in on different days; this will consist of the children making sandwiches and biscuits and joining together to enjoy an afternoon tea. We will be making cards to send to the queen, crowns to wear as well as making flags and bunting. We have decorated crowns to display with the rest of the school's portraits on **Thursday 26th of May**. We are joining the school in wearing something red, white, and blue on that day too, so if you would like to join us and send your child in wearing red, white and blue, that would be lovely. We will be reading the story 'Paddington visits London' and listening to the national anthem, God save the Queen.
Please be aware that there will be no school dinners available on Thursday 26th May and we ask you to supply a packed lunch for your child.
3. We will be having learning conversations the week beginning **June 20th 2022**. The face-to-face conversations will be taking place on **Monday 20th from 6.15-8pm**. These will be 15-minute slots. We appreciate that it can be difficult finding someone to have the children and change work commitments, so there will also be telephone slots with your child's play partner in their non-contact time that week. More information to follow after half term, we just wanted to give you the dates ahead of time.
4. Outside the front door is a white board where we will write what the children have had for snack that day and a few activities that have been available for them to participate in and how this links into their learning development. Obviously, we can't fit everything we have done that day on the board, but we hope it will be able to give you a starting point to discuss with your child about their day.
5. If you need to see your child's play partner or a senior member of the team at any time, please do not hesitate to speak to a member of staff, who will be able to help you.

We hope you all have a wonderful break and will be in touch shortly after our return with information regarding school readiness for the children transitioning to school in September.

Best wishes,

The Pre-School Team