

The Pink Cottage Newsletter

April 2016

Staff Promotion

We are very pleased to let you know that Gemma Hawkins (Childcare Practitioner in the Caterpillar Room - babies) has been promoted to Senior Childcare Practitioner. Her new role came into effect on Monday 4th April.

Children's Photographer

A reminder that week commencing Monday 25th April, Sarah Foye will be returning to take beautiful photos of your children while they play! These photos will then be available for you to purchase.

Active Kids Vouchers

We are collecting the Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers again. Please remember to collect your vouchers if you are shopping in Sainsbury's and post them in our post box in the entrance hall.

Open Morning

Our Open Morning this year is scheduled for Saturday 9th July. Please keep the date free. As always there will be lots of fun activities for the children and a raffle to enter. This event is a lovely opportunity to meet other families and to welcome new families to our nursery. We hope many of you will be able to attend.

Questionnaire Results

Thank you very much to all families who completed and returned our nursery Questionnaire. The results are very positive and constructive and are now available to see on the information table in the entrance hall should you wish to have a look. All feedback has been shared with the staff team and taken on board.

Updated Website

Our 'new look' website should be live by the end of April. Please keep an eye out! The newsletters will continue to be uploaded and there is also a link to our Facebook page - any parents/carers who have not yet 'liked' our page then please feel free to do so!

The website gives a good overview of our nursery for all prospective parents/carers and also useful information for existing families.

Half Term Dates

For all families whose children attend on a 'term time only' basis, May half term is week commencing Monday 30th May. Nursery will re-open for these children on Monday 6th June.

The Pink Cottage Sport's Day

We have decided it would be nice to hold our own traditional Sports Day this year. Races such as the egg and spoon, the sack race, the beanbag race and the good old running race will all feature in our sports day! This special event will be for our pre-school children and more details will follow soon.

School Leavers Graduation

It is hard to believe the time is fast approaching again when we will soon be saying goodbye to many of our pre-school children as they embark on an exciting new chapter in their lives. As we do every year, we will be organising a special leavers ceremony to say well done and good luck to all our school leavers. Parents and carers will of course be invited too. The scheduled date for this event is Wednesday 13th July at nursery. We will give some more details nearer the time for all families concerned.

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We would really value your comments on our nursery as we are constantly seeking to improve our practice. Your ideas and suggestions, any concerns and even any compliments would be very much appreciated. **Please post your reply slips in the Post Box in the entrance hall or hand them to your child's key person. Thank you.**
