

NEWSLETTER

18th September 2020



This week started with an impromptu trip to the fire station. When the children arrived on Monday morning one of them asked “what’s that red thing on the wall for?” It was a fire extinguisher, this led to a discussion about what we do in preschool if there is a fire, what the children should do if they ever discovered a fire and what the telephone number is to call the emergency services. After enjoying the story book “Emergency” we decided that we needed to visit the fire station to see the emergency vehicles for ourselves. Each trip out of preschool gives us the opportunity to teach the children road safety and to increase their knowledge and understanding of their surroundings.

The children are learning the rhyme to help them learn to cross the road safely.

Stop! Look and listen,
Before you cross the street.
Use your eyes, use your ears.
Before you use your feet.

An Appeal from the Preschool Management Committee

Would you like to have a part in making our lovely preschool the best that it can be?

Would you like to get involved in making decisions that will affect your children?
Would you like to help in raising funds for new equipment that your children will be able to enjoy?

Long Buckby Preschool is a not-for-profit organisation and without a committee, the preschool would be unable to open up its doors.

We are looking for new volunteers to join our committee this September. We need to fill the following roles:- Chair, Secretary and general committee members.

If you are interested in joining us or if you would like more information then please do get in touch.

Preschool Uniform

We shall be placing an order for Preschool uniform shortly. If you would like to order either the preschool polo shirts or sweatshirts please complete the form at the end of this newsletter and return it to the office by Wednesday 30th September.

Amazon Smile

Calling all Amazon shoppers. Did you know that you that every little brown box delivered to your door by Amazon can now support preschool? As a registered charity we are eligible to join the Amazon Smile scheme, this means by selecting Long Buckby Pre-school as your selected charity we can received 0.5% of any purchases you make. And if you need any suggestions for making Amazon purchases don't forget that preschool also has an Amazon wishlist!!



Children's Data Collection Sheets

Each year we confirm with parents the data we hold for your child. As we are trying to reduce the paperwork passing between home and Preschool this year they will be sent by email. The emails will be sent next week. Please reply to the email either confirming that there are no changes or to give us your updates. Any fields marked unknown need to be completed. Please return the forms by Friday 4th October.

Fundraising – Bags 2 School

The children have all been sent home with a Bags2School donation bag. If you have any items that you wish to donate to help raise funds for preschool please pop them in the bag and drop them to preschool after 3pm on Monday 28th September or before 9am Tuesday 29th September. For more information regarding what you can include in the bag please visit www.bags2school.com

Co-Op Current Total



Our current total is £546.44

Allison Piotrowski, Preschool Manager

Hayleigh Butler, Chairperson

Dates for the Diary

Term 1

Tues 29 th Sept	Bags2School
Thu 22 nd Oct	Preschool Closes

Term 2

Mon 2 nd Nov	Preschool Opens
Fri 18 th Dec	Preschool Closes

Term 3

Tues 5 th Jan	Preschool Opens
Fri 12 th Feb	Preschool Closes

Term 4

Mon 22 nd Feb	Preschool Opens
Fri 26 th Mar	Preschool Closes

Term 5

Mon 12 th April	Preschool Opens
Fri 30 th April	Teacher Training Day
Mon 3 rd May	Preschool Closed – Bank Holiday
Fri 28 th May	Preschool Closes

Term 6

Mon 7 th June	Preschool Opens
Tues 20 th July	Preschool Closes

Preschool Uniform Order Form

Available to buy in preschool now



Child's Name	
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	Qty	Please circle size required	Individual Cost	Total Cost
Polo Shirt		3-4yrs 5-6yrs	£11	
Sweatshirt		XS, S	£12.50	
Total order cost				