

# CHOLSEY PRE-SCHOOL

Newsletter 6  
November 8th 2019

## This week we have.....

Been getting back into Pre-School and going over our rules.

We have been doing some lovely paintings of Fireworks using a selection of colours and tools to complete the pictures.

We had a wonderful time learning about Forces with Lucy from Mini Professors, she taught us about pushing and pulling and we made fans to try and get a ball to move!

We had a lovely relaxation session on Wednesday afternoon, we are getting very good at relaxing and breathing whilst being jellyfish.



## Petition News

We received a shock email on Wednesday saying that our petition to increase Early Years Funding would be closing early, a petition that should have run until April was now being closed at 00.01 on Thursday! Luckily with a big push we managed to get it over the 10,000 mark so will now wait and see what happens.

Also, the meeting with Ed Vaisey that should have happened today was cancelled as he has announced his resignation. Even though this is all disappointing it will not stop us from pushing this forward, however we may wait until the Election is over. It has however highlighted how important this is for not only us but for all Early Years providers.

I am very proud of what we were able to achieve in a short space of time, thank you everyone who helped with this.

## Early Years Conference

This is always an important date in our diary as it enables us to keep up to date and relevant in our training.

We listened to some amazing Speakers, took part in some wonderful workshops and met fellow Early Years workers.

We look forward to implementing some of what we have learnt into Pre-School over the next year.

You will see some gradual changes occurring, progressing our Pre-School whilst keeping the Children the main focus is what is important.

**Dates for your Diary (please check Newsletters, Notice boards and Website regularly for updates)**

**Children in Need**

15<sup>th</sup> November, Dress up in Yellow or Spots

**Pre-School Photos**

21<sup>st</sup> November, schedule on notice board

**Reindeer Run**

24<sup>th</sup> November 2pm Laurence Hall

**Christmas Fair with Pre-Schools grotto**

29<sup>th</sup> November 5.30 – 8pm

**Tempest Christmas Photos (Change of date)**

Group photos December 3<sup>rd</sup>

**Pre-School Christmas Songs**

17<sup>th</sup> December 8.15

**Last Day of Term**

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December

**Term Starts**

January 6<sup>th</sup>

## This Week's Highlights

**Monday**

Music and movement

**Tuesday**

Playing in the rain

**Wednesday**

Mini Professors

**Thursday**

Closed

**Friday**

Tales toolkit-Story telling

## November/December

Children in need, please come in dressed in yellow or spots or both! Donations for Children in Need will be welcome.

Pre-School photos on the 21<sup>st</sup> November, if your child is already in Pre-School that morning you **DO NOT** need to write their name on the schedule on the notice board. If they are not in and you would like them to have their photo taken you **DO** need to pop their name on the schedule. If your child is in on this morning and you **DO NOT** want them to have their photo taken please inform their Key Person.

A change of date has occurred for the Christmas group photo, they will now be on the 3<sup>rd</sup> December, the same guidelines as above will need to be followed.

The Children will be performing some Christmas songs for you on the 17<sup>th</sup> of December. If you could drop them off at normal time so we can get them ready then come to the School Hall at 9.15. Children who **ARE NOT** in on the 17<sup>th</sup> but would like to join us are more than welcome. Please bring them into Pre-School but you will need to collect them once the concert has finished.

December the 18<sup>th</sup>, last Day of Term. School finishes at 3.30pm. From 12.30 we will be having a Christmas party, if your child **DOES NOT** come in for the afternoon session but you would like them to attend the party please let their Key Person know. There will be **NO** lunches on that day as we will be having a party tea. A list will go up for food donations.