



What's Happening Autumn Term 2017

ISSUE 2

Welcome to our newsletter

Welcome back, we hope you all had an enjoyable break.

Starting School

If your child was born between **1 September 2013 and 31 August 2014**, you are required to apply for an infant/primary school place by 15 January 2018. You will shortly be receiving a letter from Luton Borough Council regarding your application. If you need any assistance completing your form please see our Family Worker Emma Green.



Expressive Art and Design Day

Tuesday 7 November 2017

The nursery will be running activities for parents and children so they can explore their creative side. There will be a variety of activities for all to try. There is an invitation in your child's drawer with more information.

Children in Need

Friday 17 November 2017

We will be holding a cake sale to raise money for all children in need around the world. Staff will be wearing their pyjamas, so we are hoping the children will also wear their PJ's for Pudsey!



Play @ Rothesay

Stay and play sessions are for children aged 0-3 and are run every Tuesday (1.00pm-3.00pm) and Thursday (9.00am-11.00am).

Come and play at Rothesay for 50p per family!



Bake and Take

Emma Green our Family Worker, will be running Bake and Take sessions with parents and their child at nursery. The sessions will take place on the following dates:

Weds 29 Nov - 1.30pm - Christmas Cheese Puffs

Fri 8 Dec - 9.30am - Christmas Biscuits

Mon 11 Dec - 1.30pm - Christmas Fairy Cakes

Fri 15 Dec - 9.30am - Apple Pie Bites

Please book your place at the office, spaces are limited so be quick!



Nursery session times are from 8:30am-11:30am or 12:45pm-3:45pm, please do your best to arrive on time for the drop off and collection of your child/children.

Important Dates

November 2016

- 7 - Expressive Art & Design Day
- 17 - Children in Need
- 29 - Bake & Take starts

December 2016

- 12 - Christmas Songs & Rhymes
- 19 - Children's Christmas Party
- 20 - School Closes

January 2017

- 8 - School Reopens
- 15 - Deadline for submitting Starting School applications

February 2017

- 9 - School Closes
- 19 - School Reopens

March 2017

- 29 - School Closes

April 2017

- 18 - School Reopens

May 2017

- 7 - Bank Holiday
- 25 - School Closes

June 2017

- 4 - School Reopens



Reading Together

At Rothesay we run a weekly 'Reading Together' scheme to encourage the children to choose a book to take home and share with their family.

Please feel free to come and collect your child 15 minutes before the end of the Tuesday session to read and choose a new book with your child.

Governor Vacancies

There is currently a vacancy to join our hard working governing body. If you are interested in helping the school meet its statutory obligations, to ensure the best outcomes for all our children, then please speak to Mrs Brownjohn or Teresa Moss.



Cleaner Vacancies

We are looking for 2 cleaners to join our team. Duties include all aspects of general cleaning.

This position is for 10 hours per week, 4.00pm-6.00pm each day, 52 weeks of the year, with flexible working hours during the school holidays.

Please speak to Teresa Moss in the office for more information.

If you are interested in any parenting courses, please see Emma Green for a referral to the children's centre.

Christmas at Rothesay

There are only 7 more Friday's until Christmas and the nursery will soon be getting the tinsel and glitter out. December will be an exciting month for the children as we get ready for the celebrations.

On Tuesday 12 December, family and friends will be treated to the children's Christmas songs and rhymes with refreshments afterwards.

On Tuesday 19 December we will be holding a Christmas party for the children (sorry no adults allowed). There will be songs, games and stories, as well as a visit from a very special person.



Invitations will be in your child's drawer soon



Important Safety Reminders

Do not let any child other than your own enter through the internal or external door to reception. Please ensure that you shut and bolt the gate when coming into and leaving nursery.

Please park considerately outside when dropping off or collecting your child.

