



BROADWAY & TOWERVIEW PLAYSCHOOL NEWSLETTER & REMINDERS

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Summer term No. 1 2016

Welcome back to the summer term 2016. Our theme this half term is 'mini beasts'; we will be exploring what they are, where they live and how they travel around. The activities on offer to the children are always on the 'parents' copy of the weekly planning on the hallway notice board.

Parent meetings – If you would like to meet with your child's key worker to further discuss their 'individual education plan' (IEP), please check the desk for the sign-up sheet. Meetings will be held from Tuesday 3rd May – one time slot per child.

Staff training – at the moment the team are busy learning and updating their knowledge – we will be attending 'Numicon' training; how to use it to encourage maths development with the children. Sign language to use within the settings and staff have been visiting 'The Vale of Evesham School' to update their knowledge of additional needs (SEND).

Zoo Lab visit on Tuesday 10th May at 9.30 – to link in with our theme of 'mini beasts'. Any children **not** in that day but would like to come in **at 9.30 until 10.30 for the visit** please let Jude or Alison know.

Queen's 90th Birthday celebrations in the week starting 9th of May – we hope to celebrate this momentous occasion by having 'QUEEN' themed week and a lunchtime 'street party'.

School Transition – We have commenced our transition visits to Broadway First School, allowing the children to familiarise themselves with the classroom, playground and school staff. We will also continue our weekly P.E. sessions in the school hall.

Parents forest school social evening – date for your diary - 16th June, join us for a social evening, cooking over an open fire and learning a bit more about forest school and the experience your child has whilst visiting the forest.

Snack – if you could please remember to bring in one piece of fruit or vegetable every week, this will allow us to give variety to your child at snack times. We provide apples so something different would be great. Thanks.

Named items – can you ensure your child's coat, hat and bags are all named please.

Fees – if you pay by cheque, please note cheques are now payable to 'Broadway & Towerview Playschool' thank you.

Food in bags – please do not leave any food/medicines in your child's bag hanging on the pegs, these bags are accessible to all the children – we have to be very careful with allergies etc.

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Lunchboxes at Towerview – please remember to put all fridge items in a separate named bag, we provide drinking water for all the children. Please be mindful of the quantity and healthier options you put in your child's lunchbox.

Contact numbers – for emergency purposes please keep us up-to-date, **it's vitally important.**

Weekly blog – check it out on our website – see what the children have been doing.

Fees – This half term is 6 or 7 weeks depending on which day of the week you attend, as we have a bank holiday. (If you are unsure please ask). Cheques payable to 'Broadway & Towerview Playschool'.

Playschool closes at 3pm on Friday 27th May 2016 and children should return at 9am on Monday 6th June 2016.



Opening hours: 9am-3pm

Contact numbers: Towerview PS – 07922025902 Broadway PS - 07922025903