



Southborough Pre-school

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Term 4 Newsletter 2017

Spring is hopefully just around the corner and we have lots to look forward to this term. Last term we sadly said goodbye to Jane A but we hope to have a new member of the team to introduce you to very soon. Our theme for Term 4 will be 'Living Things' and we will be focusing on all living things, animals and plants. If you have a suitable pet that you would like to bring in to show the children, please speak to Debbie or Kim about organising a date to come in. We look forward to the week of World Book Day to see the children dressed up as their favorite book character and to our Easter Parade to see the children's Easter bonnets. Please make these at home with your children.

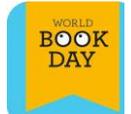
TERM DATES for 2017

Mon 20th Feb.....Term 4 Begins
Fri 31st March.....Term 4 Ends
Tues 18th April.....Term 5 Begins
Mon 1st May.....BANK HOLIDAY
Thurs 4th May.....POLLING DAY
Fri 5th May.....INSET DAY
Fri 26th May.....Term 5 Ends
Mon 5th June.....Term 6 Begins
Thurs 20th July.....Term 6 Ends
Fri 21st July.....INSET DAY

We are currently working with Kent High Weald Partnership to organise some Forest School sessions for the children. This will hopefully take place some-time in September 2017. More details to follow soon.



World Book Day



To celebrate World Book Day, (Thursday 2nd March) the children can dress up throughout the week as a favorite book character. We will also be visiting the library, making book worms, watching special story book videos and learning about rhymes. If the children would like to bring in their favorite book this week we would love to see them.



Thank You!

A huge thank you to Karen Steer for her generous donations of toys and resources. The children are loving the new items.

Thank you also to Southborough Town Council who donated some lovely pink paper to us.



On the afternoon of Thursday 30th March we will be having our annual Sponsored Easter Egg Hunt. This is fun for all the family and you are invited to join us on our walk to look for eggs followed by snacks and fun in the garden back at pre-school! There will be Easter cakes on sale too.

Parent/Grandparent Volunteers

Would you like to help at pre-school? Have you always wondered what happens during a session at pre-school? Do you have a skill you'd like to share with the children? Would you like to come in and do a craft or cooking with the children? We'd like to invite you to come in to a session and have some fun with us!

Please continue to donate snack if you can. Items such as bread - sticks, raisins, fruit, vegetables and yoghurts are very popular.

Thank you!

Eco News

Thank you for the toilet rolls you sent in, the children enjoyed making binoculars for our Big Schools Birdwatch. It was a lovely event, and your little 'Birdwatchers' saw lots of birds in our garden during the week.

At our AGM in January we welcomed some new Committee Members. It is the committee who employs the staff, sets pay and issues contracts. They approve policies and fees and help organise and run fund raising.

If you shop on-line please set up an account with Easyfunding.org.uk Look for Southborough Pre-school in Tunbridge Wells and register so that we can raise money from retailers for the pre-school, while you shop.



Sainsbury's

We are currently collecting Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers, please help if you can.



Southborough Pre-school - Run for the Community, by the Community