

Child's Name:

**Longvernal Nursery  
Newsletter  
Term 6  
June- July 2018**

Key person:

Dear Parents / Carers,

Welcome back to the last term of the year. It's going to be a busy term with lots of things planned. We will continue looking at keeping ourselves healthy through exercise when we practise for sports day. Practising counting to 10 and beyond and recap on shapes and their properties. Making a Father's Day card and gift. Taking part in extra school transition work alongside the dates that have already been set to ensure children have a smooth and easy transition into school. As well as all these planned activities we will plan activities around the children's interests.

### **Snack / Lunch time**

We like to encourage children to make healthy choices. At snack time we provide children with a drink of water or milk and some fruit. This is alongside a healthy carbohydrate such as wraps with cheese, breadsticks or cereal. In order to keep our nursery fees down we would like to ask parents if once a week they can provide a piece of fruit that can be shared at snack time. Please can we kindly ask that if you bring any fruit or food in lunch boxes such as grapes or sausages that they are cut length ways as this reduces the risk of choking. Can we remind you not to provide sweets in your child's lunch box.

### **Sickness**

Due to nursery grant conditions we would like to ask parents to please phone/ text us on 07764357373 or call the school office on 01761412777 if your child will not be in nursery, as we have to keep a written record of absences. If you know your child is going to be off in advance for holidays/ appointments to let us know. If your child is sick or has diarrhoea they must not return to nursery until they are 48 hours clear. This helps to stop it spreading to other children /parents and staff. Please can we also ask you not to send your child to nursery with a high temperature, as we cannot look after sick children

### **Nursery Hours**

We would like to remind you that nursery session hours are 9am-12pm or 12pm -3pm. We kindly ask that children are picked up promptly ensuring that we keep to our staff ratios and for you not to incur any additional charges.

### **Toys and Bags**

Please can we remind you NOT to send your child in with any toys (apart from a comforter) as we cannot be responsible if they get lost or broken. Due to the children using the toilet area independently, please can we ask you not to send your child in with drawstring or plastic carrier bags as they are a choking hazard to children.

### **Nappies**

A polite reminder for parents of children who attend nursery in nappies/ pull-ups please can you ensure that you supply nappies, wipes and nappy bags.

### **Sun cream**

Now that the summer weather is upon us can you please ensure that your child comes into nursery with sun cream on. Please keep a spare labelled bottle in their bag which nursery staff will apply in the afternoon. It's important that children come dressed appropriately with shoulders covered and labelled sun hats so they can enjoy outside play safely without burning.

### **Important Dates**

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June- Start of term**

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> June- 1:45-3:00**

**Forest session for children attending school without parents.**

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> June- 1:45- 3:00**

**Messy play session for children attending school with parents.**

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> June 1:45- 3:00**

**Play in Holly Class for children attending school without parents.**

**Monday 9<sup>th</sup> July 9:15-11:15**

**Nursery Sports day followed by open morning. Please try to bring your child along as they would have done lots of practising this term. We ask that if it is not your child's normal day that you stay and accompany them.**

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July – End of term**

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July – Inset Day**

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July – Inset Day**

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September – Inset Day**

**Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> September – Inset Day**

**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup>- Start of term**