

NEWSLETTER Term 4 June 2019  
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Thank you to all families for supporting us by returning your booking forms on time. As we were successful in getting extra space within the school and increasing our capacity to meet the demand for next year, we are pleased to announce that everyone has been allocated the days requested so far. If you need to change your days, please let us know asap.

#### **Staff**

Erin has settled in well to HLP. Kelly has maintained our connection with Westerton Care Home by organising visits on a fortnightly basis. This will continue after the holidays when we hope that more children will get involved.

We are currently in the process of recruiting additional, qualified staff to meet the demands of the service in August.

Do you have a special skill you could share? If you wouldn't mind volunteering an hour or two of your time, please don't hesitate to let us know. We always welcome new experiences and information.

#### **SHANARRI**

**Active** As the milder weather approaches, we are continuing to enjoy outdoor activities, particularly the trim trail. The children asked for new equipment and were excited to get to open all the parcels that arrived over the past week.

#### **Celebrations**

In June we celebrate Father's Day and are counting down the days to the summer break!

A full list of celebrations and dates are displayed within the unit.

#### **Upcoming Events**

We are continuing our tradition at HLP by throwing our annual water fun day on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June. In order to support this can we please ask for donations of empty plastic bottles. Parents, your child **WILL** get wet so can you please ensure that your child arrives that day with a full change of clothes and shoes, a towel and a water gun (only if you already have one). Please do not be disheartened if your child misses this, there will be plenty of fun things happening all week.

#### **All Weather Play**

Please remember as the weather is unpredictable at this time of year and temperatures can still be low, we will continue to play outdoors. We encourage child development through free play which can often involve children getting dirty. Our daily outings can also include trips to the woods or play park where it may be muddy. We encourage you to send your child to ASC with a full change of clothing/wellies/sun hat. Also, if you prefer your child to use their own sunscreen please send it in and we will put their name on it.

#### **Training**

All current and new staff have updated their basic training and will continue with personal development throughout the year. Staff recently attended ACEs training (Adverse Childhood Experiences).

#### **School Closure**

Summer break Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June – after school care will open at 1pm and close at the earlier time of 5pm. Please make arrangements to ensure your child is collected on time. We look forward to seeing you again on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> August.

The school is also closed on the following dates:

September weekend Friday 27<sup>th</sup> – Monday 30<sup>th</sup> inclusive. In-service day Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> October.

To book into the summer holiday club please see the manager or call 0141 950 2479 for more information.

#### **Fees**

Please refer to our fee policy ensuring fees are kept up to date and are 2 weeks in advance. Please do not hesitate to see the unit manager should you have any queries regarding fees.

Please remember to join us on FACEBOOK. Also check out our website on [www.happylittlepeopleafterschoolcare.org.uk](http://www.happylittlepeopleafterschoolcare.org.uk) where you can be kept up to date with all the latest information and dates for your diary.