



Broadbottom Pre-School Spring 1 Newsletter January 2024



HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!!

Welcome back to all of our existing families and a big warm hello to our new friends!! We hope you had a lovely Christmas break. We are looking forward to the learning and fabulous fun times we have planned for the new term.

Fundraising update

- Thank you to you all for coming to the Nativity, Christmas fair and wreath making, we raised just under £1000 so well done and thank you to you all.
- We had a stall at Lyme field winter festival where we raised £119.
- We were donated a signed Manchester city football which we auctioned off which raised an amazing £400.

We have a fundraising team made up of our fabulous parents who have some amazing ideas, please let Clare know if you would like to join the fundraising group.

Reports

Your child's key person will soon be writing a mid-year report about their progress and development. They will be shared with you before the end of the term. If you would like to book an appointment with you child's key person please get in touch.

Rain or Shine

At pre school we love to get out the local area in all weathers but due to ratios this has been limited over the autumn term, we would be grateful if you or any family member could volunteer for an hour or on a more regular basis please let us know.

Term Dates

Spring term 1-5th January 2024-9th February 2024
Spring term 2-19th February 2024- 28th March 2024
Summer term 1-15th April 2024- 24th May 2024
Summer term 2-10th June 2024- 19th July 2024

Events

29th January- Stay and Play 9.30am-10.30am

31st January-PJ day £1 donation

Feb-march- sponsored readathon (more details to follow)

The big garden clean up

At the back of pre school we have a great outdoor space, which unfortunately over time has become unsafe for use for our children due to uneven slabs, tree roots and rotten wood. Our committee would like to get a team of volunteers together throughout the spring in hope to get this area safe for use. This would involve pulling up and relaying slabs, digging up tree roots, etc. if this is something you think you can help please get in touch with Clare or a committee member.
Thanks

Funding

If you think you may be eligible for the new 2 year funding please apply as soon as possible and provide us with the code. If you would like to increase your child's hours please get in touch places are limited. Please can you ensure your 30 hours codes are updated when required.

Easyfundraising

We've registered Broadbottom Pre-School - Hyde with #easyfundraising, which means over 7,000 brands will now donate to us for FREE every time you use #easyfundraising to shop with them. These donations will help SO MUCH, so please sign up to support us - it's completely FREE and doesn't take

long. https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/cause/s/broadbottompresch/?utm_source=facebook&utm_medium=social&utm_campaign=pmc&utm_content=gs-fb1s

Personal care

Please can you ensure you're child has the appropriate clothes for this British weather; warm coat, hat, scarf, gloves.

We love to get messy at pre school so we advise you to not send your child dressed in their best clothes.

Please ensure your child has enough nappies and wipes to see them through the day.

Thank you

Polite reminders

- The collection times are 12pm for a morning session and 3.30 pm for a full day. Anything after this will be charged as per wraparound fees.
- There are double white lines outside the centre, please refrain from parking here where possible.
- Please avoid sending 'wet' dairy products in lunchboxes.

Consumables

As you are aware we are a charity run pre school, with limited funds. If you are able to support by purchasing needed items, we would really appreciate it.

Red- We really need supplies.

Orange- Supplies are running low.

Green- We have plenty.

A4 printer paper	Fruit	Washing up liquid	sand	Tissues
Scrap paper	Nitrile gloves	Nappy sacks	Baby wipe	Dettol spray
Laminating pouches	Baking ingredients	Pens	chalk	Bread