

## WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2019

Three weeks to go until the end of term and it's a busy three weeks, so please be reminded below of dates for your diary including sports day and our leavers party.

**This week** we are continuing our theme of Under the Sea. We will continue making all things fishy including a large group collage, fish mobiles and jellyfish pictures. Last week we were lucky enough to see a puffa fish and baby shark skeleton. Like with any of our topics if you have anything to show the children that you think would interest them then please let Jo know.

**Hospice in the Weald Garden Safari:** We hosted our garden for Hospice in the Weald yesterday, (Sunday 30th June). We had 150 visitors to the garden who were all extremely complimentary of the beautiful efforts of the children, even the sunflowers and holly hock came out in time for the day and it looked amazing. A big thankyou is extended to everyone that came to help or to visit.

**Sun hats and sun cream and water bottles:** Could we remind parents that your children require sun hats and sun cream in setting, both to be names please. Your children should come into setting with sun cream already applied but with a top up bottle in their bag. Please be reminded to send your child with their named water bottle to each session. Your help with this is very much appreciated.

**Donations of pre-school clothing:** If you are having a clear out and would like to donate any unwanted 0-5yrs clothing to the pre-school we would be very grateful. Money raised from the clothing sale rail is invested in the children's pre-school experience, for the garden/forest area, for crafting, for baking etc. Many thanks for your support ☺

**Future Sessions for your Child(ren):** Sessions now and in the future are full or are filling up fast to the point there may have to be a waiting list, so if you are thinking of increasing your child's sessions for September and have not already spoken to Jo about which days you would like then please do so as sessions are now very limited.

If you have any queries/issues please make sure you speak to Jo Galloway in setting or on 01580 212777 / 07483 262753 or your child's key worker who will be able to help. As well as Jo Galloway, our Manager, your child's key worker and Zoe Bedford-Cooper, our Business Manager [zoeggvp@gmail.com](mailto:zoeggvp@gmail.com) I am always available should you wish to discuss any aspect of your pre-school experience 07766 553728 / [jaynegvp@gmail.com](mailto:jaynegvp@gmail.com) .

### **GENERAL NOTICES:**

**Sports Day:** Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July. More details to follow.

**Leavers Party:** This will be held on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July. More details will follow.

**End of summer term:** Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July – In line with tradition the day will be spent out somewhere locally and we will finish at 1pm. More details will follow.

**30 Hours Funding:** For anybody wanting 30 hours funding please look on the childcare choices website (<https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/>). We have limited places so please let Jo or Zoe know if you are considering this option. If you have any queries please contact Zoe on [zoeggvp@gmail.com](mailto:zoeggvp@gmail.com).

**Sick Days:** If your child is ill and has to take a sick day then please ring the setting asap to let us know: 01580 212777 / 07483 262753.

Photos of pre-school activities can be found on our Facebook page.

[www.goudhurstvillagepreschool.co.uk](http://www.goudhurstvillagepreschool.co.uk)

<https://www.facebook.com/GoudhurstVillagePreSchool>

Many thanks,

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