

Larkfield ELC

May'22

Newsletter



BUSY BEE'S

Grab a cuppa and get comfy, we have lots of information to share with you ...

Staffing

Our team is growing, we would like to introduce some new friendly faces ...

Demi-Lee Sorley – EYECO based within the 3-5 playroom

Ann Gibbons – EYECO based within the 2-3 playroom (room 2)

Louise McPherson – EYSA based within the 2-3 playroom (room 2)

The staff will be on the door at drop off and arrival times for you to familiarize yourselves with them.

Announcement ...

Mo McKinlay our Depute of Centre, will be retiring at the end term. Mo has worked in Early Years for 36 years and built up a wealth of happy memories along the way. May you be proud of the work you have achieved and the difference you have made.

Everyone at Larkfield ELC would like to thank you for your dedication and hard work over the years, we wish you the happiest of retirement. You may have reached the end of your Early Years journey, but it is only the beginning of your own adventures and travels.



Sun cream

MYTH: You don't have to wear sunscreen when it's cloudy

FACT: Clouds block as little as 20% of UV Rays – Wear sun cream everyday

We have recently set up a sun cream station at the main entrance, it is your responsibility to put cream on your child on arrival and we will top it up throughout the day if required. Sunhats and long sleeve t-shirts are advisable as the temperatures rise. Your child will not be able to participate in outdoor learning if they do not have cream on.



Transitions to School

We have started our transition visits to school and have P6 buddies visiting the nursery each week. Your child's keyworker will keep you updated with how they are getting on. These visits will allow your child to familiarize themselves with the school environment. All schools will be sending their teachers out to visit the nursery to meet the children and discuss transition information with staff. We will be having a transition evening for you to catch up with your child's keyworker, please refer to 'dates in the' diary section.



Admissions

HQ are working on allocating placements for next term. We will not have this information until nearer the end of May for children who have birthdays between March & October. If your child's birthday is November to February you will not receive this information about your child's placement until September.



National Numeracy Day is on the 18th May this year. Your child will have the opportunity to take part in a wide range of numeracy themed experiences. Keep an eye on Twitter to see what we get up to.

Up- Coming Events

Busy times, lie ahead but it's going to be a lot of fun

Throughout the month of June we are hosting a range of events for our Wee Yins

Please have a read of the information bellow, which will give you an overview...

SPORTS DAY



Wednesday 15th June

Each playroom will have the opportunity to take part in a variety of races/ fun obstacle courses.

CELEBRATION OF LEARNING



Wednesday 22nd June

The **3-5 Playroom** will be having a celebration ceremony which will include singing, dancing and opportunities to share their favourite memories.

END OF TERM CARNIVAL



Thursday 23rd June

To finish off a fabulous term in our forever new home, we will be having our very own Carnival Fun Day in the nursery car park (weather permitted) for all children.

More information will follow soon around the above dates. We are still awaiting latest Government Guidance and confirmation of possible venues/ times.

Dates for Diary

Parents Evening – 3-5 Playroom (Anti –Pre Children) – **18th May** – 3.30-5.30

Parents Evening (Transitions to School) – 3-5 Playroom (Pre- School) – **25th May** – 3.30 – 5.30

Parents Evening – 0-3 Playrooms – **31st May** – 3.30 – 5.30

There will be appointment times at the door at drop off/ collection times over the next few weeks.

Nursery closed for model 1 children – **27th May**

Nursery closed for everyone – **2nd & 3rd June**

Nursery closes for summer for model 1 children – **28th June**

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