



FEBRUARY/MARCH NEWSLETTER

OFSTED INSPECTION - As most of you are probably aware we had our first Ofsted inspection at the end of January. We were extremely pleased to get a good rating. Our inspector was very impressed and her parting comments were that we should be very proud. Our aim for the future is now to achieve outstanding on our next inspection which we are confident we can achieve. Like any new start business the first few months have been about getting to know our staff and working together. We put a great deal of time, effort and money into recruiting top quality staff to ensure that your child receives the care he or she deserves. Whilst it is always upsetting to lose staff, whether it be for their own family commitments, personal reasons or unsuitability to their role it has been necessary at certain times. We now have an excellent team of staff in place to provide the best childcare possible. Our Ofsted report is available to view online by visiting www.ofsted.gov.uk and typing in our registration number of EY395123. If anybody would like a hard copy just call into the office where we have copies available. **DONE**

CREDIT/DEBIT CARD MACHINE - We are now the proud owners of a credit/debit card machine. If you wish to pay by card just call into the office and we can process the payment for you, unfortunately we do not offer cashback!

UP TO DATE CONTACT DETAILS - If mobile phone numbers, address, home telephone numbers etc. for yourselves or emergency contacts have changed since registering with nursery please could you inform us if you have not already done so.

CHARITY FUNDRAISING - We are approached by many organisations to hold fund raising days, we have agreed to two and thought a donation of 50p for each day would help raise funds.

Sport Relief Day - Wednesday 17th March - Children to wear red clothes or fancy dress for the day, Pre-School children are to also complete an obstacle course on our Astroturf area.

Pyjama Fun Day - Wednesday 24th March - Children to wear pyjamas for the day. This day is to raise funds for Momentum which is a charity to support victims of major brain injuries.

More details about the days will be displayed around the nursery nearer the time.

EASTER BONNET PARADE - Wednesday 31st March - Purely for fun. The children will be making Easter Bonnets in Nursery but any child who wishes to be very creative at home (maybe with a little bit of help) can bring in their creation to take part in our parade.

SAINSBUYS ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS - We are registered for these vouchers, if anybody gets any when shopping could they please send them in.

LATE COLLECTION OF YOUR CHILD - In the event of you being late to collect your child could you please ring and let us know as we have to arrange staff members to stay with your child. There is a late collection payment of £10.00 which we try not to enforce but if a child is regularly collected late this would be charged.