

March 2021 Newsletter

What we have been doing

We celebrated world book day with some super heroes and princesses along with Snow White and her 3 dwarfs. The children loved looking at the Snow white book and reading along with the adults.

The children made a lovely tea light each and some shortbread for their lovely mum's, for Mother's Day, not that I expect mums got a look in with them.

The children will be bringing home some Easter Treats so look out for these.



DIARY DATES



- End of Spring term Thursday 1st April @ 1pm
- Easter break Friday 2nd April Friday 16th April 2021
- Start of Summer term Monday 19th April 2021
- May day Monday 3rd May 2021
- Half term Monday 31st May Friday 4th June2021
- End of term Friday 23rd July 2021 @ 1pm

For further term dates please refer to the <u>Burghclere Pre-School Website</u>



FUNDRAISING EVENTS & UPDATES



Sponsored Scavenger Hunt

We are going to do a sponsored scavenger hunt after the Easter Break this year instead of a Bug Hunt. Sponsor forms and more details will follow.

Amazon Smile

I expect lots of you are now using on line sites for your shopping like myself, if like me you are using Amazon more do you know you can change this to Amazon smile and get the same benefits as you do now, the added bonus is that you can add the pre-school on to receive a percentage of your spending. Please have a go and swap over with us as your chosen charity.

We are really struggling to do any fundraising, this does put pressure on the pre school.

Please share this with you friends and familys.

Download or **update** to the latest version of the **Amazon** Shopping app on your phone. You can find it in the App Store for iOS or Google Play for Android. Open the app and find 'Settings' in the main menu (\equiv). Tap on '**AmazonSmile**' and follow the on-screen instructions to turn on **AmazonSmile** on your phone.

AmazonSmile Mobile App Instructions - Amazon.co.uk

GENERAL INFORMATION

FEES

Can ALL outstanding fees be paid by the start of next term as I cannot carry them forward.

30 hours funding

If you are new to the funding next term and have applied for the 30 hours can I have your code before the 6th April as this is when I have to put the funding claim in for the Summer Term.

End of Spring Term

Please remember the pre-school shuts at 1pm on Thursday 1st April.

Home to school correspondence

Thank you to those that have replied to our new system it makes communication so much easier.

Appropriate clothing

The weather will hopefully change for the better after Easter so can you ensure that the children have sun hats, sun cream on (we do have some here to top up after lunch) and the appropriate footwear.

School sweatshirts and t-shirts

We have a lovely selection of pre-school sweatshirts and t-shirts. The sizes are 3-4 & 5-6, the sweatshirts are £9.00 and the t-shirts are £6.50. This is a fantastic way of protecting your child's favourite clothes, we do have messy play and at some point they may get paint, mud etc on their clothes.

Have a lovely Easter Break.

Hayley, Clare, Juliann, Lesley and Leanne