



## Newsletter 6 - February 2016

Dear Parents and Carers,

We would like to welcome you all back after the half term and hope you all had a fantastic break. This term we will be starting by learning about life cycles and Spring. We will then move on to explore Easter. After Easter, we will be learning about occupations and 'people who help us', and we hope to arrange the police, fire services and a dentist to come and visit.

### **World Book Day**

We look forward to receiving your 'book bags/boxes' in the week beginning 14<sup>th</sup> March to celebrate World Book Day. Please remember, this is entirely optional, but we hope to receive as many as possible!

### **'Open morning'**

On Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March there will be an opportunity for parents to spend time viewing their children's portfolios in the hall after drop off. If your child does not usually attend a Thursday session you can arrange with your key worker to view your child's folder during another session. We will not be holding a parents' evening this term, but should you wish to meet with your child's key worker to discuss your child's progress your key worker will be very happy to arrange an appointment after a session at your convenience. There will be another parents' evening in term 6 (June/July 2016).

### **September 2016 sessions**

Shortly we will be sending out 'Session request forms' to the parents of all children returning in September 2016. Please can these forms be returned **as soon as possible**. Please note down the sessions you would like to book for the **whole year** so they can be reserved before the new intake is made. Extra sessions may not be available later in the year if not reserved now. Spare forms are available on request.

Please speak to Vicki if you have any questions or concerns.

### **End of term – Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March**

On the last day of term, parents of children attending on a Thursday are welcome to come at 11.45 to listen to the children sing an Easter song and listen to Pippa tell us about the meaning of Easter. The pre-school will close after this session for the Easter break and re-open on **Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> April**.

As always we welcome parents (and grandparents!) to come and join in the fun at any time – you could even pop in for part of a session if you prefer. We really value your input.

Thank you for your continued support, the Little Fishes Team