



Hello to all our children and parents, we're looking forward to a very busy second half of the summer term at Happy Hours.



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

### Spring Term

Polling Day – 4<sup>th</sup> July – NO SESSIONS

Farm Trip – 12<sup>th</sup> July – NO SESSIONS

End of Year Party – 17<sup>th</sup> July – more info to follow

Summer Holidays Begin – 17<sup>th</sup> July

New Term Begins – 3<sup>rd</sup> September



Please bring a bag with spare clothes for your child, making sure that every item has your child's name on it. We like to spend time outside in all weathers, so we ask that all children bring a sun hat, coat and wellington boots. If your child comes into preschool wearing their wellies, please make sure to pack a pair of trainers for them to change into.



## End of Year Party

We are looking forward to our end of year parties. As usual, we will be holding 2 separate parties.

Children leaving to start reception at school

**9:30am - 11:30am**

Parents of those children starting reception are able to come in at 11.15 for the graduation ceremony

Children staying or going to a new nursery (including school nurseries)

**12:30pm - 2:30pm**

## Snack Time

At Happy hours we encourage healthy eating. Could we please ask for a weekly donation of fruit or dried snacks (bread sticks, cereal, etc) for the children to share at snack time

### Farm Trip

**THE DATE ON THE PREVIOUS NEWSLETTER WAS WRONG, PLEASE MAKE A NOTE OF THE CORRECT DATE**

On 12<sup>th</sup> July we are visiting

Godstone's Farm.

This a parent and child activity.

We will be doing farmed based games and

activities with the children in the week before and after the trip.

### September 2024

As some of you may know we are currently unable to accept 2yr children with means tested funding, we are waiting for a visit from OFSTED. With this in mind we have decided to hold off on raising the prices for fee paying children until January when, hopefully, we will be able to accept LA funding again. Fees are £5.00 per hour

### FEES IN PRESCHOOL

FEES ARE DUE IN PRESCHOOL WEEKLY IN ADVANCE – PAYMENTS CAN BE MADE VIA BACS. OUR BANK DETAILS ARE: HAPPY HOURS PLAYGROUP - 090151 46939301 (PLEASE USE YOUR CHILDS NAME AS REFERENCE AND TELL KAREN YOU ARE USING THIS METHOD.

**(Failure to pay fees may result in loss of sessions for your child)**

***As a committee led preschool, we ask that you come to as many committee meetings as you possibly can. Without you the preschool will not legally be able to run. The date of our next meeting is...***

***Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> September***

***The date is to be confirmed and a letter will be sent closer to the time***