Jumblies Newsletter October 2017



Our themes for this half term are: Light,
Dark and Bonfire Night, followed by People
who help us, Shapes and Measuring and
finally Christmas for the last two weeks.
Keep an eye on our blackboard outside and
our facebook updates, which you can also
access from our website,
www.jumbliesdaynursery.co.uk

Need more childcare?? We currently have places available for 2, 3 and 4 year old children. Talk to Sabine, Cath or Maddi if you or your friends are interested.

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Unfortunately this is out of our control. If you have any ideas how to alleviate this problem, please come and see us. In the meantime, how about joining forces with other parents, meet in the car park and one person drops off both children? Or for just £1.20 you can book an extra 15 minutes, to allow you to drop off at 8.45 or pick up at 3.15. Just let us know so we can staff accordingly.

Attached are:

- Songs for our Nativity to practise at home.
- Bonfire Night advice sheet.
- Shared Learning: Personal, Social and Emotional Development.
- Makaton sign of the term.
- 'My News' slip

CHOKING

Please cut up grapes, little tomatoes, olives etc as they pose a choking risk.

Bit'n'bobs

- Do you have a morning or afternoon spare, let Maddi know, she's always looking for volunteers to help take children on a little walk or visit to the library etc.
- -Have a look at Tanya's Courage Trust Shop in Penryn. The children made the beautiful Halloween decorations on show.
- -Nativity and raffle: we are looking for donations for our annual raffle and bottle bola. All proceeds go towards new toys and resources. Raffle tickets to follow.
- -The closing date for school applications, for children who have their 4^{th} birthday on or before 31^{st} August, is 15^{th} January 2018.
- -Why not join us for a 'Stay and Play' session in the preschool room? See Sabine, Cath and Maddi for more details.
- -Check if you're eligible for 30hours or tax free childcare on:

https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk

or the childcare calculator at

https://www.gov.uk/childcare-calculator.

Dates for your diary

- Children in Need Cake Sale: 16th and 17th November, donations welcome, make sure you bring your pennies, Pyjama dress-up Fri 17th
- Nativity: Thursday 7th December, 1pm in the Zed Shed. All families and friends welcome.
- Christmas Holiday (JUMBLIES WILL BE CLOSED): last day is Friday 15th December, Jumblies re-opening Tuesday 2nd January for ALL children.
- Spring half term for funded children: last day for funded children Friday 9th February, returning Monday 19th February. Non funded children attend as usual.
- > Jumblies will be closed for Good Friday 30th
 March and Easter Monday 2nd April.
- Easter holidays for funded children: last day for funded children Thursday 29th March, returning Monday 16th April. Non funded children attend as usual.
- Summer holidays: the last day for funded children is Friday 20th July.

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