## **Apple Tree Pre-School**

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## Apple Tree Pre-School aims to:

- provide high quality care and education for children below statutory school age;
- work in partnership with parents to help children to learn and develop;
- add to the life and well-being of the local community; and
- offer children and their parents a service that promotes equality and values diversity.

#### Welcome

Welcome to our new children and their families.

The children are all settling in well into their new routines and we hope they enjoy their time with us.

We would also like to welcome our new member of staff, Kerrie, who joined us at the beginning of term.

## World's Biggest Coffee Morning 2018

We are hosting a coffee morning this Friday (28<sup>th</sup>) in aid of the Macmillan Cancer Support.

You are invited to join us 10.30am to 11.45am for tea/coffee and cake. Any cake donations gratefully received.

# Concept Photography

Our photographer will be visiting us Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> Oct.

If it is not your childs normal session and you would like their photograph taken then please arrive at 9am.

Siblings are welcome and should also arrive at 9am.

#### **Parent Share**

We will share observations of your childs learning at the end of each month. An invitation has been emailed to all our new parents asking for you to confirm your participation. Please can you do this by clicking on the link provided.

#### Packed Lunch

For safety reasons could we ask that all small items of fruit or vegetables, ie grapes, in your childs packed lunch are cut in half length ways to eliminate the risk of choking.

## **Pick Up Times**

Due to demand we offer the additional pick up time of 2.40pm should you wish to pick up your child prior to the end of the session.

If you wish to collect at this time please can you let a member of staff know when you drop off.

# Reading is a Blast

Library books are available to borrow in the foyer prior to morning and afternoon registration.

Please feel free to borrow a book which you can read with your child and return at your leisure.

#### **UNIFORM SHOP**

Please speak to Rachel if you wish to place an order for uniform:

T-Shirt £4.50

Polo Shirt £9.00

Sweatshirt £10.30

Fleece £13.80

(Sizes 1-2yrs, 3-4yrs, 5-6yrs & 7-8yrs)

# Term Dates & Inset Days 2018/19

Term 1	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September 2018	Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> October2018
Term 2	Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> November 2018	Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> December 2018
Term 3	Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> January 2019	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> February 2019
Term 4	Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> February 2019	Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> April 2019
Term 5	Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April 2019	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May 2019
Term 6	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2019	Tuesday 23rd July 2019
Inset Day 1	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September 2018	AM and PM SESSION
Inset Day 2		
Inset Day 3		
Inset Day 4		

This newsletter is put together by Rachel Watts and staff team. It is your newsletter and therefore if you have any news or interesting information that you would like to share then please see us at any time. Thank you