



# Kids Club Newsletter May 2016



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## Fundraising

Kids Club & Nursery Children will be holding several fundraising events over the next few weeks. Raising funds for Libbie Mae's Little Angels Charity we would greatly appreciate your support, the children will be having lots of fun taking part. We will be doing a sponsored spelling bee, loom band sales and the children can choose to do their own sponsored activity should they wish. Mrs Spindlow will be doing a sponsored silence for a day whilst Mrs Pullen is completing an eating competition! Also our play day on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May is a wear it pink day with a £1 donation towards this charity.

**We will be selling coffee/ muffins/ cakes bacon sandwiches on the morning of Thursday 26.05.16 prices from 50p so please bring some funds to join in!**



We are now taking bookings for the Play Day covering the schools inset day on the 27<sup>th</sup> May and May half term from the 31<sup>st</sup> May - 3<sup>rd</sup> June.

We will be visiting Tamworth castle, Café Ceramica, The Donkey Sanctuary and the Empire Cinema.

We are also now taking bookings for the summer holidays, we are open for the first two weeks of the summer break.



## Kids Club registration forms

With the new academic year fast approaching, we understand parents will be eager to book next years. For new families, new registration packs will be given out at the Early Years Induction evening on 22 June. Forms will also be available from the office from this date. New registration forms for sessions will be issued to current families the first weeks of the next half term. Places are accepted on a first come first serve basis so please be quick. We look forward to seeing you next year!

## Open Day!

Nursery are holding an open day on **Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> June**

We would love to see you and any friends there will be lots of fun things to do!

## Hot Weather

Can you please remember to put sun cream on your child and a hat in their bag for our lovely sunny days. Children in Kids Club spend a lot of time outside and now the sun is finally here we need to protect ourselves against the sun!



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As a Green Tree & Forest School it is extremely important to review ways to become more eco-friendly.

After lots of consideration we have decided to go paperless, all Kids Club information, including newsletters from now on will be downloadable from our web site.

We are also looking to send invoices by email. If you could email [karengordon@holycross-preschool.com](mailto:karengordon@holycross-preschool.com) with any specific requirements we will email your invoices too.

Many Thanks!

## New resources

We have some lovely new resources in Kids Club, we have invested in some new sports equipment, bikes, scooters, ICT equipment such as tablets and remote control toys. We are encouraging the children to take great care of these resources. Please can you encourage your child to put their toys away when you are collecting them.

We also have a "children's voices" book, if your child would like to change anything or if we are not doing something we are not doing for the children please encourage them to write it in the book or come and talk to us and we will do our best to get it.

## SAFEGUARDING



We have had a number of safeguarding incidents where children have opened the school gate for their parents. Please could you talk to your child about how dangerous this is as children are not allowed to open the gate under any circumstances. Younger children can easily observe this and see that it is "okay" to open the gate, all children are required to model safeguarding practice. The gate **MUST** only be opened by a member of staff. Can we please also remind all parents and carers not to use mobile phones on the premises.

