

Blue Bell Woods Newsletter

January 2020

Nerys and the staff wish you a Happy New Year! We hope you all had a restful Christmas break. Many thanks to the families that joined in our festive Stay and Play sessions, for all the lovely cards and presents we received, and thank you for the donations on Christmas Jumper day- we raised £27.25 for our charity- Friends of Messef.

Over the Christmas season we enjoyed party games, a traditional Christmas dinner, songs and music and a violin performance by Agnes' daughter, Laura.



Parent Evening

Wednesday 15th January, 6pm-7.30pm

We will be holding an informal Parent Evening this month. You will have the opportunity to talk to the staff, look at your child's Learning Journey and enjoy refreshments with other families.

If you would like to make an individual appointment with your child's Key Person, please ask a member of staff to direct you to the booking form. If you are unable to attend on the evening, we are happy to arrange a mutually convenient appointment at a different time.

We ask that children do not attend this event please.



Family Stay and Play!
Friday 24th January 2020
10.00am-10.45am
Join us for Chinese New Year themed activities.
Please let us know if you can attend.

Supporting Learning at Home

We have included lots of useful links on your child's Autumn Termly Review, with ideas for supporting learning at home.

Supporting Speech and Language-: Julie is our Time to Talk Champion; she is extremely experienced in working with children and their families to support language and communication skills. Julie has access to lots of useful literature and strategies, so please ask if you would like more information.



Happy Birthday to children celebrating in January!



David (1)



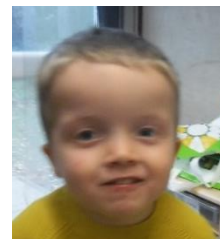
Abigail (2)



Chloe (3)



Matilda (4)



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Safeguarding Reminders:

- ✓ Please sign your child in and out everyday in the Entrance Hall (over twos).
- ✓ Please DO NOT use your mobile phone in the nursery.
- ✓ Please inform us if your child will not be attending nursery (e.g. due to illness/holiday).
- ✓ Please talk to Nerys or Julie (our Designated Safeguarding Leads) if you have any concerns of a safeguarding nature.
- ✓ Please do not let any other Parents/ Carers/ Visitors in or out of the premises.



Dates for your Diary

- Parent Evening- Wednesday 15th January 2020- 6pm-7.30pm
- Family Stay and Play- Friday 24th January 2020- 10am-10.45am
- Half Term: w/b 17th February 2020 - term dates can be viewed on our [website](#).