**Newsletter April 2019**

**Term Activities**

**Term 5**

**Week 1:** St George’s Day & Princesses and Knights

**Week 2:**

**Week 3:**

**Week 4:**

**Week 5:**

**Week 6**:

**Term Dates 2018-2019**

Term 1: 4th September - 19th October 2018

Term 2: 29th October - 20th December 2018

Term 3: 8th January - 15th February 2019

Term 4: 25th February - 5th April 2019

Term 5: 23rd April - 24th May 2019

Term 6: 3rd June - 19th July 2019

**PE Sessions**

The children will be going to the sports hall on the following dates.

**April**

Tuesday 23rd

**May**

Wednesday 1st

Thursday 9th

Friday 17th

**Welcomes and Goodbyes**

**Good bye to:**  Jacob W, Chester & Logan HS and Zoe

**Welcomes:** Charlie, Noah, Gabriel, Evelyn, Juben,

Jenson, Grace, Finley R, Brooke

**New opening hours**

 As you may be aware, we have extended our opening hours. Our new hours are from 08.00am-17.30hrs. Term time only to start with.

We are offering breakfast at 08.15. This will be included in our usual cost of £3.90 per hour.

The breakfast sessions are popular as is the sessions until 4pm. We would like a few more children to add the extra hour until 17.00 or 17.30hrs. We really want this to work but obviously it will need to be viable.

We are hoping that this will support working parents within our setting.

In addition to these extended hours our usual session times will still be an option.

**Small group activities**

Each day a staff member takes a small group of children to a quiet area to participate in small group activities. This enhances the children’s individual skills. For example: turn taking, sharing, next steps, listening and development in all areas across the early year’s foundation stage.

Week 1: Rebecca – Physical development

Week 2: Jo – Understanding the World

Week 3: Sara – Personal, Social & Emotional Development

Week 4: Claire - Mathematics

Week 5: Carolyn – Communication & Language

**Fees reminder**

Please can we remind you that fees are due in by the 5th of the month.

We will add a £10 fine if late payment has not been authorised by the manager.

egiment between 15-21 March.

**A set of spare clothes**

It would be very useful if you could supply your child with a spare set of clothes. We only have a few and these are sometimes not returned.

Thank you.

**Training**

Freya and Rebecca are attending a SENCO conference which will focus on Social Communication in Autism.

Freya is also attending Autism in children-Managing behaviour