

# Bradwell Pre School

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**Welcome back!** We hope everyone has had a lovely Christmas & New Year. We would like to welcome William, Arthur & Gracie this term and hope they enjoy their time at Preschool.

This term we will be looking at Winter, and the changes in the weather, what we do in winter to keep warm, and how we can look after animals in the winter. We will be looking at how we keep ourselves warm by moving around and exercising and the importance of exercise in a healthy lifestyle. We will continue our walks up Jeffrey Lane on Mondays and Fridays, so please ensure your child comes with waterproof clothing and extra layers now the weather is colder.

We will be looking at how other countries celebrate the New Year, in particular China. We will look at how their country is different to ours, and hopefully get a chance to make and eat some Chinese food.

If anyone is wanting any extra hours please speak to me as we don't have much availability now until September.

**If your child starts school in September 2019, you need to apply for your child's school place by 15<sup>th</sup> January 2019.**

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**Safeguarding** - *You should be aware that preschool is legally required to take any reasonable action to ensure the safety of its pupils. In cases where we have reason to be concerned that a child may be subject to ill-treatment, neglect or other forms of abuse, the Preschool designated coordinator is obliged to follow Safeguarding procedures established by Preschool Learning Alliance and inform Social Services of the concern. Preschool's Safeguarding Coordinator is Mrs Paula Grant & the Safeguarding Officer is Mrs J Nunn.*

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**\*\*No nuts & sesame \*\*** - we have a child who has a severe nut allergy on site therefore we are now a strictly 'no nuts' premises.

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**15<sup>th</sup> January 2019 - last day for Infant School admission applications for pupils starting school in September 2019.**

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### Our Committee

Chair - Sally Newman  
Secretary - Caroline Morley  
Treasurer - Debra Clyde  
Safeguarding - Joy Nunn  
Data Protection - Alan Nunn  
Fundraising - Dan Plevy  
Committee member - Lauren Hill

If you are interested in joining the committee please speak to Paula or one of the members above.



Do not forget to check out the website

<http://www.bradwellinfantschool.co.uk/pre-school> - for the latest information, policies & photographs. In addition, keep up to date with all our activities on our Facebook page, if you need adding to the group speak to Paula.

Please don't be offended if staff don't accept friend requests on social media. We are all encouraged to keep our social media life & our preschool life separate! Thank you for your understanding.

### HILL BILLY - Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2019

Our annual Hill Billy will take place on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2019. This is a charity bike ride with all funds made going directly to preschool. Which is used to buy new toys & resources, trips out and parties. If you think you could help in anyway, either with advertising, marshalling the race on the day, or even cycling it!?

Please speak to Dan Plevy (Daisy P's dad).

**Reminders** - All children need a named water bottle for every session, this must only contain water. Children need suitable clothes and footwear for the weather and activity days. We play out whatever the weather! If un-sure, speak to your child's key worker

**Home-preschool Diaries** - Please continue to use the home-preschool diaries. They are a great line of communication and can help us all get the 'whole picture' of your child's learning. If you need a new one, speak to your child's key worker

**Safety** - Please remember, for the safety of children, dogs are not allowed in the school playground at any time, and vehicles should not use the driveway to drop-off or collect children. There is an arrangement with the Shoulder of Mutton, which allows you to park for preschool arrivals, and departures, however please do not block the back entrance to the pub.

**Preschool closes on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2019 and re opens on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2019.**



#### Reminders

##### Contact Details

If you change your contact details i.e. address, telephone numbers please remember to let us know asap.

##### Mondays + Friday morning

If your child attends these sessions, please ensure they have wellies, waterproofs & warm clothing, hat and gloves as we are mainly outdoors

##### Holiday Dates

~~5<sup>th</sup> September - 25<sup>th</sup> October 2018~~

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8<sup>th</sup> January 2019 - 15<sup>th</sup> February 2019

25<sup>th</sup> February 2019 - 12<sup>th</sup> April 2019

29<sup>th</sup> April 2019 - 24<sup>th</sup> May 2019

3<sup>rd</sup> June 2019 - 19<sup>th</sup> July 2019

Inset days - 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sept, 26<sup>th</sup> Oct, 7<sup>th</sup> Jan & 22<sup>nd</sup> July

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