



# Little Blossoms Newsletter

Welcome to the Spring edition of Little Blossoms newsletter.



## Little Blossoms Team

We have recently had some changes to our team, due to our increase of children, and would like to give them a warm welcome to these members of our team.

- Kalina  
Will be working between all rooms in nursery.
- Little Flowers  
Courtney Early years practitioner will be going on Maternity leave in April
- Little Buds  
Jennifer had a baby girl in January

## Parent Feedback

We recently gained your feedback during our parent's evenings, which we appreciate your time in completing. This has been summarised and provided us with some areas of development, that we are working on to put in place. For further information please see summary displayed.

We would really appreciate your feedback. Please can we ask you to leave a review/feedback on the following:

Facebook - @littleblossomsnurseryblackpool  
Instagram - littleblossomsnurseryblackpool  
Google – Little Blossoms Nursery Blackpool

## Facebook

We have recently introduced a Little Blossoms nursery group, which is designed for the families of our children to allow us to share their experiences with you, along with any nursery news. Please request to be added to the group and answer relevant questions.

## Parking

Please can we remind parents when dropping off or collecting your child, please do not park your car over the white lines, as the delivery vans cannot turn around.

## Head Lice

We have recently had some cases of headlice in nursery, please can you ensure you regularly check your child's hair and treat as required to prevent from spreading

## Donations

We are collecting various items for our gardens, if you could please donate any old welly boots, empty pop bottles, old spoons, pots, pans and Tupperware for us to re-use please.

## World Book Day – Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March

For this year's world book day we are focusing on the story 'Peace at last', and therefore celebrating by having a nursery pyjama day. If your child is in nursery this day, they are able to attend in their pyjamas and bring in their favourite teddy.

## Dates of you Diary

### Term Dates

Non funded dates –  
Week commencing 6<sup>th</sup> April 2020  
Week commencing 13<sup>th</sup> April 2020  
Week commencing 25<sup>th</sup> May 2020

If you wish your child to attend during this period that currently are not booked to please discuss with Leanne or Lisa.

Bank Holidays -  
Friday 10<sup>th</sup> April  
Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April  
Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May  
Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May  
Nursery will be closed on Bank Holidays

## Themes

Each month in nursery we will be concentrating on specific themes and significant events, where the children will take part in a range of activities

March – Mini Beasts

April - Spring

May – Transport

### Activities

Please talk to the practitioners in your child's room to find out the exciting activities that will be available for your child, and how you can share these interests with your child at home.

## Photographs

### **Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2020**

Lou Humpries will be attending nursery, to capture natural images of your child during their play. Places will be booked via the office. Further information will be provided nearer the time.

## Fee Increase

Increase in nursery fees from 30<sup>th</sup> March 2020

Nursery fees have recently been reviewed, in line with the 6.4% national minimum wage increase and it has been decided to increase nursery fees from 30<sup>th</sup> March 2020.

We have tried to keep our fee increases as low as possible; however rising costs such as increased wages costs due to an increase in National living wages, heating, lighting and other general inflationary costs have necessitated the increase. However, our fees continue to be cheaper than most other providers in our local area.

## Down Syndrome Day – Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> March

We will be raising awareness of this on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March, where we would like the children to wear odd socks to nursery.

*Thank you as ever for your support .....*

*Leanne & the Little Blossoms Team x*