CHUF First Half Autumn Term 2019



Term Dates:

Welcome back, to all our existing CHUF children and a big welcome to all our new children. We do hope you have all had a good summer holiday. We return for the Autumn term on Monday 9th September, and break up for half term on Friday 25th October. Copies of CHUF's term dates for the whole academic year were placed in your child's tray or in new starter packs at the end of the Summer Term. Dates can also be viewed or downloaded from our website: http://www.chuf.co.uk

New Starters

We welcome 28 new children to CHUF. A special hello and welcome to Jack Dixon, Charles Hull, Thea Hartley, Aldous Jessup, Montana Eatson, Bibi Bowley, Arlo Dawson, Emma James, Sienna Pierre, Freya Staiano, Imogen Emmett, Harry Betts, Madeleine Tupper, Summer Francis, Elodie Strachan, Sorley Scales, Feryal Taourit, Isaac Over, Rex Fairweather, Teddy Willis, Lucas Fernandez-Wynburne, Lydia Presley, Frederick Swann, Pearl Giorgi, Willoughby Loveland, Kevin Kowalski, Ava Way and Alice Goodenough. We do hope you will all enjoy your time with us at CHUF.

Thank You

A massive thank you from all the staff to everyone who so kindly gave the CHUF ladies presents at the end of Summer term. We greatly appreciate your kindness.

CHUF Photographs

Our photographer Veronica Stewart will be visiting the settings on Monday 7th October (At Haddenham from 9.10am to 10.30am and Chearsley from 11.00am to 12.30pm). Veronica will take pictures of the children in the setting, which can be viewed and purchased at a

later date. The photos make fantastic Christmas presents, and by purchasing any of your child's photographs you will be helping to raise funds for CHUF. If your child does not normally attend CHUF on the day that Veronica is visiting the setting then you are welcome to bring your child into the setting during the allotted time and wait with them until their photograph has been taken.

Nut Free Zone

As we are at the beginning of the year please can we take this opportunity to remind you that CHUF is a NUT Free Zone, as we have several children with severe nut allergies. Please can you ensure that your child's lunch does not contain any nuts, or items with nuts as an ingredient. Please note that this includes items such as pesto etc. Your co-operation is very much appreciated.

CHUF Facebook Page

A reminder that we have a Facebook page, please do like and follow our page, as we love to share information and some of the things that we have been up to in both of our settings: https://www.facebook.com/ChearsleyandHaddenhamUnderFives.

The Winter Months

As the Winter months are fast approaching could parents please bring either wellies or indoor shoes to CHUF to try to prevent the spread of mud and dirt around the settings. Please can you ensure that these wellies/shoes are all named! Many Thanks.

Parent Rota

We will be continuing our parental rota at both Chearsley and Haddenham this term. Please watch out for details on each setting's noticeboards and sign up to help. Thank you.

Healthy Snack Donations

The children enjoy sharing a piece of fruit or veg at snack time each day and we would like to continue this practice. Please would you continue to bring a piece of fruit or veg or any other healthy snack item such as breadsticks or rice cakes to CHUF during the early part of the week, which will then be shared amongst the children. The more imaginative and challenging the better!

Contact Details

Please can you make sure that we are kept up to date with any of your contact details that might have changed over the summer, such as mobile numbers etc. This will enable us to maintain accurate records and ensure that we can contact you in the event of an emergency.

Fantastic Fundraising at CHUF

For our new parents and carers we run a number of fundraising activities throughout the year which help to fund additional items for both settings. We rely on parent support in attending them or with the co-ordination of the events themselves. Keep an eye on our website (www.chuf.co.uk) and parent emails for details of future events.

Sessions Available at CHUF

We are pleased to let you know that we have some extra sessions available at both our settings for both funded and non-funded children. If you are interested in any extra sessions for your child please do let us know by emailing: info@chufpreschool.co.uk, or speak to any of the Supervisors in your child's setting.

Cheque Payments to CHUF

We have been advised by our bank that they will no longer accept cheques made payable to an acronym such as CHUF. Therefore, if at all possible can any future cheques for fee's etc be made payable to: **Chearsley & Haddenham Under 5's** which is our full account name. Payments can also be made in cash or by bank transfer (Please see the bottom segment of this newsletter which details how to make an online payment), we also accept a variety of Childcare Voucher Schemes, to use one of these to make payment please email: info@chufpreschool.co.uk to check that it is a scheme we are registered with and we will be able to give you our unique reference code which you will need to quote when making payment.

Feedback

If you wish to speak to your child's key worker for feedback at any stage, please contact them to make an appointment to discuss your child's progress. Feedback is most welcome via our email address for the attention of our Manager Anne Barker (info@chufpreschool.co.uk). We would also welcome any feedback as the academic year progresses on your child's setting so that we can continue to develop our fantastic pre- school settings.

Payment of Fees

Payment of Fee monies are welcome in cash, cheque (Made payable to Chearsley & Haddenham Under 5's) or internet payment into our Lloyds account as follows:

Sort code: 30-98-56

Account Number: 00503068

Account Name: Chearsley & Haddenham Under 5's

Please can we remind you that payments should be annotated, in the space provided to quote what and whom the payment is in respect of, e.g. Joe Bloggs Fees 1st Half Autumn. Without these details it is exceptionally hard to match up payments with monies outstanding, and leads to people being chased for payment unnecessarily. Payments should be made within two weeks of being billed.

The Staff at CHUF

Anne Barker- Manager, Child Protection Officer, Sally Smith- Administrator Cheri Mackey- Supervisor (Ch), Debbie Fleetwood- Supervisor (H), Karen Elder- Supervisor (Ch), Kasia Kowalska- Supervisor (H), Nikki Lucas- Supervisor & SENCO (H), Debbie Turvery- (CH), Su Smith- (Ch), Karen Ford- (Ch), Fiona Distin- (H), Jen Akehurst- (H), Emma Deere- Child Protection Officer, Behaviour Co-ordinator & SENCO (Ch), Sara Heap- SENCO (H), Sarah Wassall (H), Laura Stockwell (H).







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