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Term Dates:

Welcome back! This is a 5 week and 3 day half term. With term recommencing on Wednesday 8th January, and we break up for half term on Friday 14th February. Copies of CHUF's term dates for the whole academic year can be viewed at our website: <http://www.chuf.co.uk> . This term we are pleased to welcome 24 new starters to CHUF Henry Harrison, Lola Miles, Joshua Davis, Monty Lewis, Ella Thorne, Piper Teggart, Aria Delnevo, Monty Linley-Brooke, Max Dyer, Cooper Rattray, Lacey O'Neil, Amelie Hill, Charlie Andrew, Olivia Goldswain, Benjamin Medicott, Nancy Boulton, Rosie Holt, Abigail Fyfe, Edward Massey, Evelyn Plastow, Tilda Noy, Sapphire McDonald, Anaya Smith, and Zach Heath.

A Big Thank You

The CHUF Ladies would like to say a huge thank you for all the lovely cards and Christmas presents you so kindly gave them at the end of last term. They were all hugely appreciated!

CHUF Christmas Hamper Raffle & Other Fundraising

A big thank you to everyone who bought tickets for our Christmas Hamper Raffle, and for purchasing your child's Christmas cards and mugs, as well as supporting our refreshment stalls at both our Christmas services. We are very pleased to let you know that these fundraising activities raised £436.41 in total, which is fantastic! All proceeds from these

activities will go towards new equipment at both settings for your children to enjoy. Thank you so much for your continued support! We can also confirm that an amazing amount of £225.00 was raised by the purchasing of the children's photographs taken earlier in the term by Veronica Stewart. A list of new equipment bought from your fantastic fundraising will be in our next newsletter, watch this space!

Can You Help CHUF???

A number of our current Committee have had to step down due to other commitments. Therefore, we are looking for some Parent helpers who are able to help us with our fundraising events such as our Summer Party and future raffles etc going forward. If you feel that you could spare CHUF a couple of hours of our time on an adhoc basis, please email: info@chufpreschool.co.uk. It would be great to have you on board. Thank you!

Chearsley Car Park Reminder

The start of a new term seems timely to remind both old and new CHUF Parents and Carers to please park with consideration for others when dropping off and picking up from Chearsley CHUF. Please do not park blocking either the gates/driveway or any cars in the car park. Unfortunately, we have had reports in the past of Parents and Carers being blocked in by other cars in the car park by Parents arriving after them to drop off/collect their child, as well as reports of Parents parking dangerously in the road outside CHUF. Those who have been blocked in have to wait for other Parents and Carers to return before being able to leave the car park, which has made them late for other commitments such as work and appointments etc. We appreciate that there is not always enough parking spaces for everyone, but if you are able to either wait safely on the road outside (At a reasonable and safe distance) until a space becomes available and someone leaves the car park, or ideally if you are able to park away from the Village Hall and walk then that would be much appreciated. Thank you for your co-operation, understanding and patience. The safety of you and your children are of paramount importance to us at CHUF.

Healthy Snack Time at CHUF

At CHUF we aim to promote healthy eating from an early age, and we like to reflect this in what we offer at snack times. We ask for donations to enable the children to try as many different types of food as possible, and also by asking for donations we are able to keep our session fee's lower. We buy as much as we can but very much welcome donations of any of the following: Oat Cakes, Rice Cakes, Crackers, Crumpets, Breadsticks, Cereals such as Cheerios, any Fruit or Veg, Dips such as Houmous, or anything else healthy that

you can think of. Alternatively, there is a donation pot on the signing in tables in both settings for you to contribute a small amount of money towards snack if you are unable to bring any items in but would still like to contribute to snack time.

Vale Lottery Supporting CHUF

Aylesbury Vale District Council, set up the Vale Lottery a couple of years ago. The lottery supports good causes in the Aylesbury Vale community. Tickets cost £1.00 each, and it's estimated that there is a 1 in 50 chance of winning a prize in the weekly draw. The top prize is £20,000 for anyone who gets a matching sequence of 6 numbers. There is also a chance to win smaller prizes.

We joined Vale Lottery just over 3 years ago and since then have benefited from being one of the charities supported by the Lottery. If you would like to support CHUF (We receive 50% of all the ticket sales if you buy weekly tickets supporting CHUF) then please follow the link below:

<https://www.valelottery.co.uk/support/chearsley-haddenham-under-fives-pre-school>

Your support is greatly appreciated!

Payment of Fee's

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), Lauren Godfrey (Ch).





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