



FIRST STEP PRE-SCHOOL

CTK Newsletter—Term 6 (Afternoons)

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Sun safety—Now summer has arrived, I would like to remind you to send your child with a hat (named please) and ensure you apply sunscreen to protect them when playing outside. Pre-school staff are unable to apply sunscreen but protective wipes and roll-ons are quite easy for a child to apply themselves, if you think they are capable.



Reports of Progress—The children's Keywork files and Sharing and Celebrating forms will be sent home in the second week for you to look at. We would ask that you make a comment in the box marked Comments from Home and return everything to us as quickly as you can, so we can continue to update them. If you would like to discuss your child's progress with their keyworker, we would be happy to arrange this at a mutually convenient time. Please arrange this with the keyworker or write in the Notes from Home book.

End of Year Parties—We will be having a party during the last session of the term, so the 2.5's will be on Wednesday 14th July and the 3's will be on Thursday 15th July. We will play games and provide simple party food and drinks and ask you to let us know if your child has any particular dietary requirements.



World Cup—The Football World Cup is fast approaching and will provide the children with lots of learning opportunities. We will talk about the countries taking part, their kits and flags. Please let us know which team you are supporting and why. Of course everyone will be encouraged to wear their football shirts if they have one.

Open Day—This site is holding an Open Day jointly with Christ the King School on Thursday 24th June from 9.30-11.30am and 1.45-2.45pm, so if you have any friends/neighbours with young children, please send them along to see us in action. This is also an opportunity for you to look around the school before you have to make up your mind about a school for your child. We would very much appreciate it if a few parents could volunteer to show visitors from the school Reception to the pre-school. If you can help please speak to Jenny.

Committee—First Step Pre-school is a charitable organisation run by a committee and without a committee we would not be able to operate. Our Treasurer stepped down recently for personal reasons and it is imperative that we recruit someone to fill this role. Most of the finances are done by the Administrator, but the Treasurer is a position that checks and oversees the payroll and accounts. If any parents or grandparents feel they could fill this role or would like more information, please speak to Jenny or e-mail the pre-school.

Moving to Mornings—Parents whose children will be moving on to the mornings will be invited to an information meeting to give you more details about what we do in the morning sessions, the library system, P.E., Lunch Club and much more. An invitation will be sent to you when the date has been arranged.

Theme for Term 6
Moving

Dates for Your Diary

18.06.10 : Summer Trip to Cattle Country
24.06.10 : Open Day
01.07.10 : Fashion Show
03.07.10 : Thornbury Carnival
07.07.10 : Committee Meeting
14.07.10 : 2.5s End of Year Party
15.07.10 : 3s End of Year Party