

# NEWSLETTER

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## Happy New Year!

*Welcome back to all our families following the Christmas break - and "Hello!" to our new families*



The planning for this half term has been set around the children's own interests and the information provided by families about their children has contributed to this planning.



Both year groups will be taking part in a treasure hunt around the village, looking for pictures of different types of vehicles, which will be a fun learning experience for all the children.



May we remind all parents/carers that we ask for 50p per week towards the snack that we provide during each session.



Preschool sweatshirts and T-shirts are available to buy in a variety of colours. Please see the full list on the Parents' Table.

### Thursday Afternoons

We are pleased to be able to extend our service to include Thursday afternoons from this term. This will allow us to increase the number of Year 1 sessions to Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday mornings. Year 2 sessions will be Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons, and Tuesday mornings.

There are vacancies for Tuesday Lunch Club from 12.00-1.00pm at a cost of £3.00 per session. If you would like to book a place, please speak to a member of staff.

Thank you

### Notes from Last Half Term:

A heartfelt thanks goes out to all of those who helped at the Christmas Grotto and Fair, and to all those who supported and attended the event. It was a great success.



The photographs taken just before Christmas were well received by parents, not surprising considering how beautiful they were! The funds raised from these, together with those from the Grotto and Fair will be used to buy resources for Preschool.



The Year 2 garden centre visit was a great success and the staff and children enjoyed the bus trip. Staff received positive comments about how nicely the children behaved.

### Consultations

Consultations are short meetings with parents/carers, Preschool Managers and your child's Key Person in order for you to discuss your child's progress and how well they have settled in to Preschool. Consultations for Year 1 families will take place during this half term and an appointment sheet will be available for you to book a place.

We will be giving the new starters time to settle in before they have their consultations.

Help!

Is there anybody out there who is any good at upholstery? We have two small sofas which need urgent attention and would be very grateful for any help from our families.

Parents are invited to join us for a session - a Parent Rota list can be found on the Parent Table