

WESTWOOD FARM COMMUNITY PRE-SCHOOL

(Registered Charity No. 294802)

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Autumn Term 2008 News letter for the Westwood Farm Community Pre-school.

Calendar

17 th September	Wednesday evening at 8pm Committee meeting.
20 th November	Yearly Christmas Shopping evening, starts at 7pm.
November	The school photographer will come. Exact date will follow.
1 st December	DRESSING UP WEEK.

Welcome

First of all. We would like to welcome all the new children and parents to the Westwood farm Community Pre-school. We hope that everybody had a good summer holiday. Hopefully all the new children will settle in quickly. The staff will do everything to help this process to go smoothly.

Also welcome back to the older children and parents. Hope they will help the younger children to join in with the fun and learning.

We have an open door policy , so if you have any questions about the Pre-school or how your child is doing just ask one of the staff members.

Committee meeting on Wednesday evening 17th September at 8pm.

The first committee meeting in the new school year will be held in the Pre-school building.

We are currently looking for enthusiastic people to join us, so you can help your child even more with organising fun - and fundraising activities.

A few facts about the committee.

- Don't panic. We have a well run committee for the coming school year.
- The Pre-school can't open without a committee. This means "no committee no Pre-school".
- To help out is not a hard job.
- Any parent can join in
- You will meet lots of friendly people and might make new friends in the mean time.
- You will not be left on your own to organise activities.
- If you would like more information don't hesitate to ask any of the committee members.(A list with names will be at the bottom of the newsletter.)

T-shirts

We have t-shirts with the school logo for sale. It is a very bright and colourful t-shirt and the children enjoy wearing it.

They come in blue and pink and cost £5,00 each.

Just ask one of the staff members.

Recycle, Reuse, and save money.

A collection will be started in the near future. To make some extra money to pay for new toys.

You can help us by bringing in old milk bottle tops and old mobile phones.

There will be boxes in the hall shortly to put you items in.

Thank you.

Interest table

The interest table is a very important part of the our pre-school . It gives the children a chance to show something from home and link the preschool with their life at home.

It is a good way to build their confidence when they are asked to tell a little bit about their item.

So please do help your child to pick something that he/she can relate to and contribute to the theme of the pre-school.

School photographer

In November the school photographer will visit the pre-school to take photos of your child. There will be more information following soon.

Christmas Shopping evening 20th November 2008.

Please put this evening on your Calendar. The Pre-school will be open in the evening for some blissful Christmas shopping, there will be lots to buy. More information will follow later.

Fundraising

In the week starting the 1st December the Pre-school will organise a DRESSING UP WEEK.

For £0.50 per session the children can dress up in their favourite costume for every day they come to pre-school.

We hope everybody will join in.

If you would like more information about this newsletter please speak to the committee.

Chairperson – Sally Plevey

Vice-Chair - Antoinette Marshall

Secretary – Janette Wallace

Treasurer – Faye James

Minutes Secretary – Clair Gowing

Wages – Juliette Gorman

WFCR Representative – vacant

Refreshments – Sally Plevey

Publicity - Laura Powell

Fundraiser – Vacant

Under 3's Rep –vacant

General Members

Helen Lord:

Lisa Gardner

Clare Bowyer

Joanne Nixon