



**STOP PRESS**  
**SPORTS DAY 2018**  
**TUESDAY 17<sup>th</sup> JULY @ 1pm**

**Welcome to our July Newsletter!**

As before please make sure your child comes in with sun-cream already applied and a labelled bottle for us to reapply after lunch! Over the rest of this term children will be exploring a range of different experiments and new activities as well as practicing for Sports Day so don't forget to ask them what they have been up to!

**Important Dates!**

**Kingsham Reception Teacher Visiting**  
 11<sup>th</sup> July @ 11.30  
 18<sup>th</sup> July @ 11.30  
**Sports Day!**  
 17<sup>th</sup> July @ 1pm  
**End of Term**  
 19<sup>th</sup> July  
**Leavers Party & Graduation Ceremony**  
 20<sup>th</sup> July @ 10.30 (children)  
 12.30 (parents)  
**Autumn Term Starts**  
 Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> September

**Worries or concerns...**

If you are worried, concerned or not happy about something, please do let me (Liz) know. This can be done either verbally in private or in writing, which gives me an opportunity to discuss them with you, to see if I need to make changes or to reassure you of our practice.

**Reminders:**

- **Fees – If you pay for your child to attend please make sure you do this on time!**
- Lunchboxes and water bottles must be labelled with child's name (nail varnish works well)
- Healthy lunch box with a majority of savoury items (no nuts or sweets please)
- Lunchboxes must be cleaned on a weekly basis to prevent mould (pop them in the washing machine)
- Coat, labelled bag with nappies & wipes (if applicable), a spare set of clothes
- Dummies/soothers/comforters if used
- Parents must tell us if their child is going to be absent from nursery and why (illness, headlice etc)
- Parents must tell us if their child has had an accident at home and has a mark/bruise and complete a form
- Parents must tell us if they have moved or changed your phone number to ensure we have the correct contact details
- Parents must tell us if someone we haven't seen before is collecting their child, providing us with a name/description

**Parents accessing 30 hours Extended FE funding:**

If you are thinking of applying for this then you need to do so as soon as possible otherwise you may not get a code in time for the funding to start in September. If you are already accessing this then please remember to update and confirm your eligibility and income details when you are requested to do so by the Government, which should be around 4 weeks prior to your grace period ending. If you do not confirm these details or give false information then the extended funding cannot continue and you may incur a fine, in addition to receiving an invoice from us to recover any sessions or hours not covered by the FE Funding.

**2 Year FE Funding:** If you think that you are entitled to access this funding then please do talk to Liz who will guide you through the process

**Healthy Eating & Lifestyle Useful Links/Apps!**

We promote healthy eating and lifestyles at Busy Lizzie's, encouraging children to eat healthy foods and to run around outside in the fresh air. Therefore if your child has an imbalance of savoury/sweet items in their lunchbox we will politely ask you to reconsider what items you are putting in to help avoid obesity. More information can be found at the links/apps listed below:

The Children and Family Centre and Chichester District Wellbeing provide 'Cook & Eat' groups – contact them on 01243 521041  
 NHS 'Eatwell Guide' <http://www.nhs.uk/Livewell/Goodfood/Pages/the-eatwell-guide.aspx>

Westsussexwellbeing.org.Uk, Nhs.uk/change4life, www.firststepsnutrition.org



**Did you know.....**

- We have a new stock of Busy Lizzie's uniform if you wish to purchase any as this saves other clothes getting covered in paint and glue etc! If you don't want to buy uniform, that's okay! Just dress your child in clothes you don't mind being covered in playdoh, paint, glue etc!
- You can write a review about us on our website and our Facebook page!
- We like parents to stay and play if they wish to
- We like to let you know how your child has been, ask your child's Key Person-they will be very happy to let you know!
- We like parents to give us photos of what their child may have been doing - it encourages chatter which we love to hear!
- We have a copy of all our policies and procedures on our website. and a mastercopy on the desk

Please remember **NOT** to use your mobile phone whilst you are within Busy Lizzie's. If you need to take a call, please wait until you have left the setting. This is necessary to ensure the safety of the children in our care.

**Graduation Portraits**

Hannah is currently processing orders she has received and these will be distributed before the end of term, if you wish to order and haven't yet then please do so by the 6<sup>th</sup> July to ensure you receive them by the end of term! Any orders after this date may not be processed in time and you will need to make arrangements with Hannah for collection.

**Graduation Party & Ceremony**

These will both start fairly promptly so please ensure your child arrives at 10.30 as the party will be underway! The ceremony starts at 12.30 and you are reminded to be respectful of others children when they are called up and talked about by their Key Person. All family members and friends of children leaving us are welcome to attend!