

## The Sue Hedley Nursery School

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# Newsletter for The Sue Hedley Nursery Spring Term 2016

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have lots of exciting things happening over the next few weeks that we would like to share with you.

#### **Half Term**

The Sue Hedley Nursery will be closed for half term week beginning 15<sup>th</sup> February. Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February the school will be closed for teacher training. The school will resume on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> February.

#### **Forest School**

After half term there will be some slight changes to Forest School.

All Green and Yellow group children will attend Forest School on Tuesdays.

All Red and Purple group children will attend Forest School on Thursdays.

#### **Library Visit**

We will be visiting Hebburn Library week beginning 29<sup>th</sup> February. The children will walk to the library from the Nursery and then back. We encourage each child to have an adult present to attend the library with them. We will give library application forms prior to the visit to those that wish to register; therefore membership will be ready for the day of the visit. There will be a group story in the Library and children will have the opportunity to take a book home (depending on membership). We will aim to leave the nursery by 9:30 for morning children and by 1:30 for afternoon children.

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> February – Green and Yellow group Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> March – Red and Purple group

## World Book day

We will celebrate World Book day on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March by giving all children the opportunity to dress up as their favourite character. We will be exploring stories throughout the session and we will have a special visit from our friend 'Clifford'. We welcome Parents/Carers to join us for a large story time session.

The morning story will run from 9:15am – 9:45am and the afternoon session will run from 2:30pm – 3:00pm.









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## **Parent Progress Chats**

Although all members of staff are available to speak to at any time, we all enjoy having parent chats to discuss your child's progress. We will be holding parent chats **week beginning 7**<sup>th</sup> **March**. This will give yourself and your child's key worker the chance to share any important information or news. It will also allow time for any questions or concerns that you may have.

Chats will last around 15 minutes. Time slots will be available in your key workers area closer to the time.

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March – Brenda Caswell (Green Group)
Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> March – Kate Birtles (Purple Group) Linda McGow (Purple Group)
Friday 11<sup>th</sup> March – Christina Sweeney (Yellow Group)
Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March – Victoria Gardner (Red Group)

#### **Easter**

This Easter we will be holding a 'sing along' and 'play and stay' session. This will be held on **Monday 21st March**.

We break up for Easter on Wednesday 23rd March and will resume on Monday 11th April.

Kind Regards,

Christina Sweeney Lead Teacher





