



# NEWSLETTER

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## WELCOME new starters

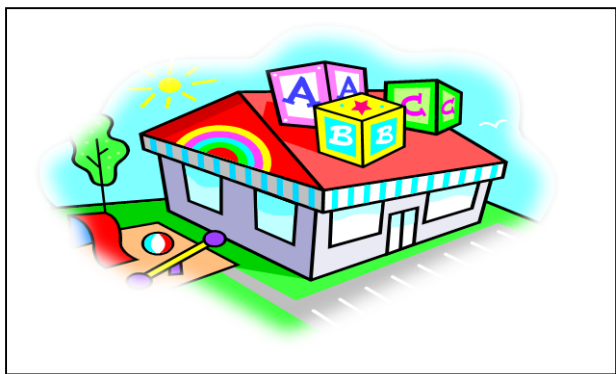
**Dates:** .....

Harvest festival: 10<sup>th</sup> October 9pm

Halloween disco: 17<sup>th</sup> October 5-7pm

End of term: Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October

New term: Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November



### Tuesday's Forest Skills sessions:

After popular demand Lynzi and the team will continue Tuesday's forest sessions. Here is the Forest session overview:

- 9<sup>th</sup> Sept: introduction to Forest School
- 16<sup>th</sup> Sept: art with nature
- 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept: natural painting
- 30<sup>th</sup> Sept: wooden picture frames
- 7<sup>th</sup> Oct: nature's mobile
- 14<sup>th</sup> Oct: smelly cocktails
- 21<sup>st</sup> Oct: leaf crowns

We are always happy to have any parent volunteers at our forest sessions please see Lynzi if you are willing to help and join in the fun!

If you are interested in your child joining our Forest Skills session please speak to Lynzi or Vicky.



We'd like to take this opportunity to welcome our new children and their families to Hilmarton Preschool. We hope you have settled into our Preschool and we look forward to working together to help care, develop and prepare your child ready for school on this exciting journey! If you have any questions please feel free to speak to any of the staff: Steph, Lynzi, Vicky and Catherine.

We'd also like thank everyone for bringing in the Sainsbury's vouchers last term! We now have some very fancy new cups, bowls and cutlery for the children.





## THURSDAY'S TENNIS

**SESSION:** THANKS TO THE DEDICATED FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE, WE ARE ABLE TO CONTINUE OUR SPORTS SESSIONS AT PRESCHOOL. **PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR CHILD HAS APPROPRIATE FOOTWEAR FOR THIS DAY.**

## HARVEST FESTIVAL 10<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 9AM

This year we will be representing the preschool at the harvest festival. We would be very grateful if you could bring in any unwanted tins of food lurking in your cupboards that we could present at the festival. Please could you bring these in the week commencing 6<sup>th</sup> October?



## Friday's Gardening Club

The children have shown an interest in living things and nature so we will be starting up a gardening club. We will be looking at seeds and observing how things grow. We will also be making various home for visiting creatures. If you have any unwanted gardening tools and pots please see Catherine.



## HALLOWEEN DISCO

## FRIDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER

We will be holding a Halloween disco open to all preschool and keystage 1 children and their parents at Hilmarton.

The cost will be £1.50 a ticket and can be bought from Preschool.

There will be music and party games, apple bobbing, face paints, glow sticks, hot dogs, ice-creams and much, much more...

Please see the preschool staff if you have any questions about this event.



A few quick reminders:



Please make sure all clothing at preschool is **named** as we want to prevent items going missing!! As much as we love the ease of croc shoes, these are not appropriate for outside walks and running games so could you also provide a pair of trainers or **wellies**. Sometimes wet accidents happen, especially when busy playing, so it is best if you bring in a **spare set of clothes** for your child.



**Collection times.**

Please ensure you collect your child on time, if there is a problem or change of collector please contact the staff on the Preschool phone.

AM pick up: 11.45am

Lunch pick up: 12.45pm

PM pick up: 2.45pm

**Parent Committee...**

Please join us, we are looking for new members! As a Committee run setting, we as parents influence what things we want to see happening in the preschool, for our children and their Early Years journey. If you would like to get involved we would love to have you on our team.

NEXT MEETING AGM – .....7.30pm @ Preschool  
Everyone Welcome.....

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