



## Newsletter: March 2017

### **Easter Fair:**

You may have noticed that we have **cancelled** our Toy sale on the 11<sup>th</sup> March, this is because we are instead holding an **Easter Fair at Ladybirds on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> April From 12pm until 3pm**. We will have a raffle of Fantastic prizes, a bouncy castle, BBQ/Buffer, games and many other activities as well as our toy sale. So please come and join us on this fun day!

Proceeds will be going to the Ronald McDonald house Charity. We hold this cause close to our hearts; we have children who attend the nursery who have unfortunately had to use Bristol Children's hospital and this Charity has supported those families by providing them a place to stay to take that extra stress away ,however, the service is not always available as they are limited to rooms and how many nights they can provide, this is why we would appreciate as much help as possible to support them.

### **Farewell Bonnie:**

We would like say a fond farewell to Bonnie, she is an asset to our nursery and we will be sad to see her leave. Bonnie has been with us for 5 years since she was 19 and is now looking to an exciting new career in hairdressing. Rhian will be taking on the Big Bugs position and is in the midst of planning the Easter Holidays. We wish Bonnie all the best, she wanted to also pass on a personal message to everyone too:

### **Bonnie's Message:**

I'm Sorry to inform you all that I am leaving on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March, in order to follow a new career ambition. I would like to say thank you to all of you for giving me the opportunity to work with your children and watch them grow and learn. I have really enjoyed my time at Ladybirds and would like to thank the team for the support and friendships I have made over my time here.

**Mothers Day Afternoon Tea:**

This will be held on **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March between 1pm and 3pm** for parents or special people of children in Pre-school. If your child is in that day then feel free to come along and join them, and if they aren't in then you and your child are more than welcome to join us too. If you are able to make it then please do let one of Pre-school staff know.

**Parking:**

Please note that the double yellow lines outside the nursery are being monitored. We understand that it is much easier to drop children off and collect them by parking there but it is not safe for you or other road users.

**Head Lice:**

Please be aware that there has been headlice in the setting and be vigilant with checking your child's hair regularly to avoid serious cases and infestation of others. For more advice please go to the web page below:

<http://www.nhs.uk/Conditions/Head-lice/Pages/Treatment.aspx>

**Early Years Funding:**

**Spring Term Part 2:** 20<sup>th</sup> February- 31<sup>st</sup> March

**Easter Holidays:** 3<sup>rd</sup> April - 17<sup>th</sup> April

**Summer Term Part 1:** 18<sup>th</sup> April- 26<sup>th</sup> May

**Bank Holidays : CLOSED**

**14<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> April**

**1<sup>st</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> May**