



## St Paulinus Pre-School

### Newsletter Term 6

#### Summer 2023



Dear Parents

Welcome back, we hope you had a good week off and enjoyed the sun.

#### **News from last half term**

*Last term felt like it was full of bank holidays! The children enjoyed our Coronation party, which unfortunately had to be held indoors due to the weather. The children all brought home a sunflower seed that they have planted. Please encourage them to water it and send any pictures of how they are growing or put them on our facebook page - the link is at the bottom of the letter.*

*We said goodbye to Louis last term. He has gone to live with his new adoptive family, whilst we will miss him dearly we wish him all the best for his happy future.*

#### **The half term ahead**

The last term of the academic year has arrived, it's always a hard one as we know we will be saying goodbye to our school leavers - Alvin, Esma, Daisy, Jessica, Ethan and Rebekah, we will wish them the best of luck in their journey to primary school. We will also be saying goodbye to Apolinariia who will be moving to Edenbridge Nursey from September.

We have lots planned for the last term, Sports day will be on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July at 11am. Parents, Grandparents, Auntie, Uncles etc are all invited to come and watch at 11.00. We hold the races in the hall and then all go into the garden to have a big picnic, so come along with your food and blankets.

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July (the last day of term) is our end of term party. ALL children are invited to attend both sports day and the party from 9.15 to 12.15. There will be NO lunch club on either of those days.

The week commencing 12<sup>th</sup> June we will be holding parent consultations. There will be times put up on the board by the entrance for parents to sign up to meet their child's keyworker to discuss their progress.

- Week 1 Father's day
- Week 2 Father's Day and Parent Consultations
- Week 3 School Ready
- Week 4 Water Play
- Week 5 Gardening
- Week 6 Sport

We will be using the garden as much as possible this term so please make sure children have warm clothes if it's chilly or applied suncream and sun hat if it's hot.

Lunch club is up and running, it is from 12.15 to 1.15, children bring their own packed lunch. You can use any remaining funding to pay for it or we can invoice you for £5 per lunch club. If anyone would like to stay for lunch please speak to Lee.

If your child is off for any reason, please call the pre-school or text on the morning of absence on 07796 795811. The pre-school email is not checked until the afternoon or evening as we have no internet at pre-school, but you can email us on [info@stpaulinuspreschool.co.uk](mailto:info@stpaulinuspreschool.co.uk) if you have any queries, or message the Facebook page [St. Paulinus pre school - parents group](#), this is a closed group so you will need to request to join.

Unfortunately we are having to increase fees from September 2023, please read the letter that was sent with this one so you are aware of what to expect from September. If you have any questions or concerns please speak to Lee.

#### **Pre School-Uniform**

We have uniform for the children who would like to wear one, it is a blue sweatshirt and t-shirt. These can now be ordered direct from [www.wainwrightscreenprint.co.uk](http://www.wainwrightscreenprint.co.uk), tel: 01258 837364 or email [info@wainwrightscreenprint.co.uk](mailto:info@wainwrightscreenprint.co.uk).

Useful website [www.kentcht.nhs.uk/childrens-therapies-the-pod](http://www.kentcht.nhs.uk/childrens-therapies-the-pod) it has some great information on speech and language, mealtimes, sensory processing, speech sounds etc

Thank you all once again for supporting us in these very strange times.

**Term dates**      Monday 05<sup>th</sup> June to Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July  
2023 - 2024 term dates are attached

Any questions please drop us an email at [info@stpaulinuspreschool.co.uk](mailto:info@stpaulinuspreschool.co.uk)

Regards,

Lee, Ruth, Sue, Lorna, Emma and Sophie