St Paul's Extra Club Newsletter

Summer 2022 Issue



Welcome to the Summer Term

The Extra Club welcomed all our children back for the Summer Term. Always a joy to think that we have lighter, brighter and warmer evenings to enjoy together. It is that wonderful time of year when we are out making the most of the weather with picnics, games and outdoor play with friends from all year groups.

At the end of the Spring Term the Extra Club purchased some new equipment for the rooms including a pool table, magnetic dart board, table football, a wooden kitchen, café and shop, new dolls and construction toys.

During the height of Covid, our rooms were bubbled as best we could, for both children and staff. Although this is much freer now, we are still tending to register our children in age groups for practical reasons.

Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 register in the Poppy Room. Year 3 & 4 register in the Daffodil Room and Year 5 & 6 in the Bluebell Room. On a Monday and Friday however, Year 2 & Year3 register together (Daffodil) and Year 4, 5 & 6 register together (Bluebell). This is due to the top-heavy numbers in KS1 on those days.

We are running half termly competitions in addition to our regular drawing competitions. This is where myself, Miss Hatton and our student staff watch and listen closely to the children. Last term we focussed on 'Manners'. The children who were recognised by staff for displaying impeccable manners were Isabela Di Pino Biggs, Lara Coles, Teddy Hale and Vheer Vaswani. This half term we will be looking for children consistently showing 'Kindness'.

Most of our sessions operate at full capacity, with some days carrying quite long waiting lists. Friday mornings and afternoons are the only sessions we currently have available.

Places

In the event you require an adhoc space for any day, please email me to see if this is possible.

Timings

Please can you make sure that your child arrives at breakfast club by 8:20am at the latest if they need to be fed. I know that some children do eat at home, but please be aware we start clearing everything away after breakfast at 8:30am.

Invoicing and Payments

Invoices should have now be paid for April. I will be sending out the invoices for May at the end of this week. Please note that all sessions are paid for a month in advanced. Late fees will apply if payment has not been received by the time the invoices for the new month are emailed to you.

Please also remember that it is a month's notice if you wish to cancel your child's place.

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Late Pick Up's

Please remember Extra Club finishes at 5:45pm. If you are running late, please make alternative arrangements for child's collection and notify the school office by telephone. Please note there a £5 late fee for every five minutes after closing time.

Please remember to notify us if somebody else is collecting your child.

Please label all your child's belongings! So many lost items lately! If your child is not attending their session, please let us know.

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