

# THE LENCHES PRE-SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



FEBRUARY 2009

## FUNDRAISING FRENZY!!!

Unfortunately the credit crunch is beginning to affect our Pre School and Toddler Group, so we are going to make a big effort to raise some much needed funds to secure the future of the Pre School. We know times are hard for most at the moment, but please could everybody help out in one way or another... Below are some dates for planned fundraising events, make sure to put them in your diaries and bring friends and families along!

### TABLE TOP SALE

CHURCH LENCH VILLAGE HALL  
Sunday 15th March  
11am-2pm

ADVANCE BOOKING ESSENTIAL

TABLES £7

OUTSIDE TABLES AND CAR BOOTS  
MAY BE AVAILABLE ON THE DAY  
WEATHER PERMITTING

CALL SHARON TO RESERVE YOUR  
SPACE 01386 793629

### EASTER CHICK MEAL

ROUS LENCH VILLAGE HALL  
Saturday 28th March  
7.30pm for 8pm

Tickets £12.50

CALL SHARON 01386 793629

### CAKE SALE

CHURCH LENCH VILLAGE HALL  
Friday 13th February  
(at Pre School pick up time)

Please bake a cake, bring it, and buy another!

### DO YOU SHOP ONLINE?

Would you like to raise funds for the Pre School and Toddler Group at no extra cost to yourself?

If the answer's yes please register at [www.easyfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk) and choose **THE LENCHES PRE-SCHOOL** as the cause you wish to support.

Over 600 retailers to choose from including Next, John Lewis, Amazon and Toys R Us plus special offers added all the time you might even save yourself some money.

### JUMBLE SALE

CHURCH LENCH VILLAGE HALL  
Saturday 25th April  
2pm-4pm

DONATIONS GRATEFULLY RECEIVED

CALL SHARON TO ARRANGE  
COLLECTION ON 01386 793629

OR DROP OFF AT THE HALL ON THE  
MORNING OF THE SALE

## FARM VISIT

On Monday 16th March we will be visiting Angela's farm to see the sheep and lambs. Please pick your child up from Pre School at 11am and come to the farm in Rous Lench (with wellies and warm clothes!) More details to follow.

## Dates for your Diary

### FEBRUARY

13th February	Cake Sale
16-20th February	Half Term
23rd February	No Pre School - Training Day

### MARCH

15th March	Table Top Sale
16th March	Farm Visit
18th March	Visit to the Life Bus
28th March	Easter Chick Meal
30th March	Last day of Term

### APRIL

20th April	Pre School Summer Term starts
25th April	Jumble Sale

## MULTI CULTURES

If anybody has any multicultural toys, books or dressing up clothes, please could they donate them to the Pre School to help us promote an understanding of different cultures with the children.

## LIFE BUS VISIT

On Wednesday 18th March the Life Bus will be visiting the Lenches. The aim of the Life Bus is to help children make healthy choices. The Pre School will be visiting the bus in the morning.

More details to follow.

## DONATIONS PLEASE

Please could all parents make a donation of either baby wipes, boxes of tissues, kitchen rolls or 'child friendly' handsoap. Thank you.

## Forest School



The older children are really enjoying their trips to Forest School. Please ensure that they come well equipped for the sessions with waterproofs, wellies and a change of clothes. Please could all bags and items of clothing be labelled with your child's name.

## TODDLER GROUP

Is held on a Thursday morning at Church Lench Village Hall between 9 and 11 am.

If anybody knows other people with young children please persuade them to come along, which will ensure the group can continue. The Toddler Group is an excellent introduction to the Pre School, and it would be a terrible shame if it had to close.

Don't forget our website for more information about The Lenches Pre School:

[www.lenchespreschool.org.uk](http://www.lenchespreschool.org.uk)

The Lenches Pre School telephone number is: 07933 779918