

THE LENCHES PRE-SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



SEPTEMBER 2008

WELCOME BACK!

We hope you all had a good, summer holiday. We'd like to welcome you back to our new venue at the Village Hall, and to our new member of staff, Kerry Bullas, who is joining us as Joint Supervisor along with Bev Churchill.

Please note the new telephone number for the Pre School is 07933 779918.

AGM

The Lenches Preschool Annual General Meeting will be held at the Village Hall on the 6th October. Everybody is welcome to come along and meet the Committee.

We are looking for volunteers to join the Preschool Committee. The Committee meets once or twice a term, generally on a weekday evening at 8.00pm, where we discuss issues relating to the running of the Pre School, including fundraising events.

If you have any spare time available and would like to join the Committee, please contact Nicky Burt on 01789 773468 or 07967 191882 or by e-mail: nickyandjason.burt@yahoo.co.uk and let her know which one of the following positions you would be interested and able to help us with:

Chairperson
Secretary
Treasurer
Further committee members.

Please understand that without a committee, the Pre School cannot function. Thank you!

Harvest Supper

This is a fantastic fundraiser for the Pre School and is a lot of fun for all involved. If you would like tickets for a sit down meal at Rous Lench Village Hall on the 27th September, please speak to Angela. Tickets are priced at £12.50 per person.

Alternatively, if you could help out in any way, by volunteering to help lay the tables, waitress or even helping with the washing up on the evening, it would be very much appreciated.

Please ensure all items your child brings to Pre School are named, including uniform, lunch boxes and water bottles.

On Wednesday 17th September the Pre School will be visited by Peter Luff, MP for Mid Worcestershire.

He will be unveiling a plaque marking the new Pre School venue, and the local press will be here taking photographs. Please could all children be looking very smart and wearing their uniforms on that day!

Dates for your diary

SEPTEMBER

11th September	Toddler Group starts
17th September	Visit by Peter Luff
24th September	Forest School starts
27th September	Harvest Supper

OCTOBER

14th October	Pre School Open Day
27-31st October	Half Term

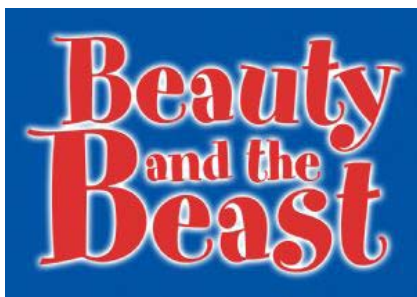
DECEMBER

3rd December	Pantomime Visit
12th December	Term Ends

FOREST SCHOOL

Will start again on Wednesday September 24th for the older children, weather permitting!

Please bring a backpack for your child to carry which includes waterproof clothing, wellies and a change of clothes in case of a mishap!



CHRISTMAS PANTOMIME

This year we are planning to take the children to see 'Beauty and the Beast' at the Roses Theatre, Tewkesbury on Wednesday 3rd December.

This is a parent accompanied event so please try to make the time to join us as the children always enjoy it.

Please return your booking slips with payment by Monday 6th October 2008.

OPEN DAY

We are going to hold an Open Day on Tuesday 14th October. This will be advertised in the local papers and parish magazine and will hopefully encourage some new parents to bring their children to our toddler group and Pre School.

More information to follow.

TODDLER GROUP

Toddler Group starts again this Thursday 11th September at Church Lench Village Hall between 9 and 11 am. It is run by Cynthia and Angela. If anybody knows other people with young children in the surrounding villages, please persuade them to come along. The Toddler Group is an excellent introduction to the Pre School, and all children from birth to Pre School age are welcome. Cost £2.50 per child.

PLEASE NOTE:

**New Pre School number:
07933 779918**