CHUF Second Half Summer Term 2016

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Term Dates:

Welcome back, we hope you all had a great half term holiday. This is a six week half term. We returned on Monday **6th June** and break up for the Summer holidays on **Friday 15th July at 12.10pm**. Please note there will be no afternoon session in Haddenham on the last day. Adhoc Lunch Bunch in Chearsley will also not be available on the last day of term. Chearsley will be closed as advised previously on **Thursday 23rd June** due to the Village Hall being used for elections.

Goodbye and Good Luck!

As the academic year comes to an end, we would like to say goodbye and good luck to all the CHUF children leaving this summer to start at big school in September. We hope you have enjoyed your time at CHUF, and we will miss you all! We wish you all the very best in your new school, and if you ever want to pop back to say 'Hello' we would love to see you!

The Last Week of term:

Please find detailed below our arrangements for the last week of term before the summer holidays (W/c 11th July 2016). Please note that further information will be

issued to you all nearer the time:

Haddenham

Monday- Normal Am/Pm Sessions, **Tuesday-** Normal Am/Pm Sessions, **Wednesday-** Am Party- Open to all children (Letter to Follow), Normal Pm Session, **Thursday-** Normal Am/Pm Sessions, **Friday-** Am Session- to include Leavers Assembly, parents to accompany (Letter to Follow), Finishing at 12:10pm, No Pm Session.

Chearsley

Monday- Normal Am/Pm Sessions, **Tuesday-** Normal Am Session and Lunch Bunch, **Wednesday-** Normal Am/Pm Sessions, **Thursday-**Am Party- Kings and Queens Street Party, Open to all children (Letter to Follow), Normal Pm session, **Friday-** Normal Am Session (No Lunch Bunch) Finishing at 12:10pm.

Term Dates 2016/17

Term dates for the coming academic year 2016/17 have been placed in your child's tray/basket before half term for those children not leaving to start school in September. Please note that term dates can also be viewed on our website: www.chuf.co.uk, should you misplace your paper copy at any stage. We recommence for the Autumn term on Wednesday 7th September 2016. Please note that letters confirming sessions allocated for the Autumn term 2016 will be issued W/c 6th June.

The CHUF Committee & AGM

Our Annual General Meeting will be held on Monday 4th July 2016 at Chearsley Village Hall at 8pm, and all are welcome to attend. The years events will be reviewed and it's an opportunity for those standing down from the committee to be thanked and new committee members for the next year nominated.

Further to our last Newsletter, we are still looking for a couple of new members to join the CHUF committee, in particular we would love to hear from anyone with HR experience, and someone who would like to take on the role of helping CHUF to apply for and obtain any available grants for Pre-schools. If you think that you could help with either of these areas or the committee in general please do let us know by emailing: info@chufpreschool.co.uk.

eyLog

We hope that you have all enjoyed the observations you have received throughout the academic year of your child, and have found the eyLog a great tool in tracking your child's progress. We welcome your comments on the observations made by the CHUF ladies and please do feel free to upload any observations you make at home. Your comments and home observations all add to your child's learning journey. However, please can we remind parents that general messages should not be sent via the eyLog system. Please can all general messages either be emailed to: info@chufpreschool.co.uk, or please contact your child's setting on (01844) 208868 (Chearsley) (01844) 299123 (Haddenham). Many Thanks.

Thame 10Km and CHUF Summer Party Sunday 26th June 2016

Hopefully you will have all received an email just before half term letting you know about our Summer BBQ and Party. Just in case you missed any of the details they are as follows: This year's CHUF Summer BBQ and party will be held at Chearsley CHUF on Sunday 26th June at 12.00pm until 2.30pm.

Along with a BBQ serving delicous locally sourced burgers and hot dogs from The Egg House Charcuterie in Haddenham, there will be lots of fun activities on the day including a bouncy castle and soft play area, face painting, children's tombola, games (welly wanging/ guess the number of balloons in the car etc) and music.

All ages including siblings and friends are welcome to join us. Tickets are £5.00 per participating child which will include use of the bouncy castle and all soft play, children's drinks, a pot of strawberries and a party bag. Ticket forms will be dropped in the children's tray's/baskets shortly, and all monies raised on the day will go into investing in more fantastic resources for CHUF.

We will also be welcoming back our 20 strong team of runners who that morning will have completed the Thame 10K raising funds for CHUF and Helen and Douglas House Hospice.

Payment of Fees

Payment of Fee monies are welcome in cash, cheque (made payable to CHUF) or internet payment into our Lloyds account as follows:

Sort code: 30-98-56

Account Number: 00503068

Account Name: Chearsley and Haddenham Under Fives

Please can we remind you that payments should be annotated, in the space provided, to quote what and whom the payment is in respect of, e.g. Joe Bloggs Fees 1st Half Autumn. Without these details it is exceptionally hard to match up payments with monies outstanding, and leads to people being chased for payment unnecessarily. Payment should be made within two weeks of being billed.

Feedback

If you wish to speak to your child's Keyworker for feedback at any stage, please contact them to make an appointment to discuss your child's progress. Feedback is also welcome via email to our usual address for the attention of our Manager Anne Barker (<u>info@chufpreschool.co.uk</u>). We would also welcome any feedback as we approach the end of the academic year you have on your child's setting so that we can continue to develop our fantastic pre-school settings.

The Staff at CHUF

Anne Barker - Child Protection Officer & Manager, Sally Smith - Administrator

Cheri Mackey - Supervisor (Ch), Debbie Fleetwood - Supervisor (H), Kirsty Johnson - Supervisor (H), Karen Elder - Supervisor (Ch), Nikki Lucas (*SENCO) (H), Debbie Turvey (Ch), Kasia Kowalski (H), Su Smith (H/Ch), Karen Ford (Ch), Fiona Distin (H), Ashley Hackett (H), Emma Deere (*SENCO) (CH), Claire Ryan (Ch), Sara Heap (*SENCO) (H).

> Ch- Chearsley Setting H - Haddenham Setting * Special Educational Needs Coordinator

The settings can be contacted on the following numbers: Chearsley - 01844 208868 Haddenham - 01844 299123 The settings can be contacted on the following numbers: Chearsley - 01844 208868 and Haddenham - 01844 299123



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