



# Newsletter February 2022

Please take few moments to read this Newsletter. It **contains some very important updates.**

## Hello!

We would like to welcome three new Little Sunbeams; Eric, Erin and Jack, we hope they thoroughly enjoy their preschool experience with us.

## Car Seats

Just a reminder that all children must normally use a child car seat until they are 12 years old or 135cm tall. All seats must be suitable for their height. Please check [www.gov.uk/child-car-seats-the-rules](http://www.gov.uk/child-car-seats-the-rules) . Please also remember winter coats should not be worn when in a car seat. In an impact the fluffy padding of a coat immediately flattens out leaving extra space under the harness and a child can slip out.

## Water Bottles

Just a reminder we are asking that all children now bring in water only. Other drinks should only be included as part of their packed lunch

## Lunch Boxes.

Just a reminder that lunch boxes should not include sweets or chocolate bars. Please also remember to cut any round foods that could be a choking hazard (grapes, sausages etc) into quarters.

## Tapestry Observations

We still love to see your observations from home. If you wish to add one but are not sure how please view the attached YouTube video

<https://youtu.be/espJ96TJHV8>

## We are currently on the lookout for.....

As we develop our preschool we may put out lists of items we are looking for. We are currently looking for; Table Salt and Flour (We currently make our own play dough every day so go through quite a lot of this), Please speak to a member of staff if you think you can help.

## Committee Meeting

Our next Committee meeting takes place next Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> February at 8pm in the preschool room. All parents are welcome to attend.

## **Smile Amazon**

If you are a regular Amazon user please remember to use <https://smile.amazon.co.uk/ch/1173913-0> for your online shopping. Amazon then donates to Little Sunbeams Preschool (Fareham) at no cost to you.

## **Dates for your diary**

Committee Meeting – Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2022

Spring Term Holiday – Monday 21<sup>st</sup> February – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> February

Easter Holiday – Monday 11<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> April

Notification Date for Year R places – 19<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Summer Term Starts – Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April

May Day Bank holiday – Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May

Summer Half Term Holiday – Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June

Last day of term Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2022

Leavers Party (TBC) Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2022