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# Newsletter January 2018

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back to everyone and a very Happy New Year to you all. A big welcome to all the new children who are joining us this term and the children moving up in to pre-school, we hope you enjoy your time here with us.

#### Fundraising

A big thank you to all who attended our photo day we raised  $\pm 35.00$  for the nursery, well done.

We will send out our letter informing you of what is going on in the year later in the month.

## Policies

All policies remain the same. Please see the policy files in individual rooms if you wish to take a look at any of these.

Please note that from now on if your nursery fees are not cleared for the month by the date specified then a £10.00 late charge will be added to your bill.

## Staff Training and Development

All staff appraisals have now been completed and plans put into place, staff will be accessing necessary training as and when we can. Linzee Carr will be updating her Level 2 safeguarding and Ann is attending Paediatric First Aid.

## Holidays

Our February half term letter will be out later this term.

#### News

Linzee has settled well into nursery life here at Pathways and is becoming familiar with her new job role. Linzee has many new ideas for the nursery and we have all been busy trying to get the nursery ready for the new term, making some changes to the rooms and the planning.

Please remember you can contribute to your child's learning by sharing and passing on information and photos from home to be included in your child's folder.

We are currently looking for new trustee members. If you are interested in becoming a trustee for Pathways please speak to Becci and I can explain more about this vital role. Our next meeting is  $30^{th}$  January at 5.30 if anybody would like to come along and meet our current trustees and have a chat. At this meeting there will be new trustees attending so this is an ideal opportunity to come along to see what you can contribute to the setting.

## **Important Dates**

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> January - Funding begins Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February - Funding ends Monday 19<sup>th</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> February - Half Term Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February - Funding begins Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> April - Funding ends Friday 30<sup>th</sup> April - Closed - Bank Holiday