



Rockwood Nursery School

NOVEMBER 2018

Newsletter



Ofsted Inspection - Thursday 18th October

We are delighted to announce that we received an 'outstanding' rating again after our school inspection.

We would like to thank those of you that completed the online feedback form and/or spoke to the inspector for your contributions.

We are extremely happy with the outcome. The inspector appreciated the skills and knowledge of the school team and she had a lovely time chatting with the children.

Friday 16th November 2018 Children in Need Fundraising



Dress up in your PJs Day in return for a donation towards Children in Need.

We will also be selling some yummy biscuits baked by the children. These will be on sale all week for 50p each and all the money raised will go towards Children In Need.

Tiny Pixels Photos...

Your children are having their individual photos taken at nursery on



Wednesday 14th November 2018

Have you chosen your child's Primary School?

If your child is starting Primary School in September 2019 then you need to apply for their school place online www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools or you can ring on 01772 532189



Do you have a child starting primary or secondary school in September 2019 and live in Lancashire?

Apply for their school place online at www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools or give us a call on 01254 220742

Closing date for applications:
• 31 October 2018 for secondary
• 15 January 2019 for primary

You still need to apply, even if a brother or sister is already at the school

Between 1 October and 31 January schools are consulting with you to make sure admission arrangements meet future needs. To find out more visit www.lancashire.gov.uk and search 'School admission policies'.



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CLOSING DATE: 15th Jan 2019

wear it
pink

Thank You...We raised £28.90 for 'Wear it Pink Day' on 19th October 2018. This will be sent off to Breast Cancer Research.



We close for the Christmas Holidays after school on Wednesday 19th December and we re-open Monday 7th January 2019

Early finish at 10.30am and 2.15pm depending on usual session time.





Hot chocolate in Forest School



Wear it Pink

STORY SACKS



We are excited to tell you that our Story Sacks are now up and running again. Every Wednesday you can choose a story sack with your child and take it home. Please bring it back the following Wednesday and swap for another.



PLEASE REMEMBER...



- ◇ Take care and slow down on approaching the school when travelling by car.
- ◇ Do not block our neighbours' driveways and vehicles, please try to park further away and give your children a chance to walk part way to school.
- ◇ Why not park on Todmorden Road where there is more space and walk round?
- ◇ Please ensure you close and lock all gates and doors when entering and leaving the nursery.
- ◇ Mobile phones must **NOT** be used on the school site.
- ◇ Once you have collected your child they are your responsibility, please monitor them as you leave and please put back all equipment so that it is ready for the next session.



Before half-term the older children enjoyed an Autumnal walk through Towneley Park...



Nursery School Unavoidable Closures

Any unavoidable Nursery Closures, for example due to bad weather conditions will be displayed on Lancashire County Council's website at www.lancashire.gov.uk/education/school_closures or parents can listen to Radio Lancashire - 103.9FM, 95.5FM, 104.5FM or 2BR - 99.8 FM.

Parents will also receive a text message from school as soon as we know we are closing. Information updates will show on our website: www.rockwoodnursery.com and on Twitter & Facebook.