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# Summer Newsletter

## Pre-School holiday dates

The pre-school will be closed for the following dates:  
Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July- Friday 30<sup>th</sup> August the children will  
return on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September.

### Transition Meetings

For the children who are moving onto school we are currently completing our transition records to send onto their new schools. We would therefore like to invite you in for a meeting to discuss your children's learning and development ready for their transition. Please see Sophie or Becks to arrange a suitable time.

The funding for children moving onto school will finish on the 30<sup>th</sup> August however if parents need any additional sessions before school starts in September then please let me know. Fees will be £4.80 an hour.

### Show and tell

Due to the possibility of items being mislaid, lost or unsuitable for younger children we would like to ask that children do not bring toys into pre-school however we will have a 'show and tell' day on Thursdays. Please ensure items are labelled clearly.

### Spare clothes

Now that the weather is becoming warmer, we will not be wearing puddle suits in the garden. Please therefore ensure your child has plenty of spare clothes in the event of water play and all items are labeled clearly.

### Summer holidays

As the summer holidays are such a long period it would be nice for the children to meet up. We will plan some days in the holiday where we will meet at St Helens Duver / park. If you have access to Facebook then please follow our page to suggest / find out days and times.



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## **Healthy eating policy**

We have been focusing lots on healthy eating with the children and will be introducing our healthy eating policy when we return to pre-school after half term. This compliments the PEACH healthy eating and exercise initiative that Island schools are implementing. We would like to ask that children do not bring any sweet treats such as cakes / chocolates / biscuits or juice / smoothies in their lunch boxes. We provide water to drink regularly throughout the day.

We also ask that no products containing nuts are brought in due to allergies.

Thank you for your support.

## **Parent Workshops**

In order to continue working together to support the children we would like to offer some parents workshops. Please indicate which workshops you would be most interested and when would suit you best and return this section us.

Times (please delete): Saturday daytime / evenings

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| * Story sharing / story sacks | * Beach craft         |
| * Model making                | * Music and movement  |
| * Den building                | * Speech and language |
| * Cooking                     | * Mathematics         |