

NEWSLETTER



SKETCHLEY HILL MENPHYS NURSERY NEWSLETTER - MAY 2016

Hello once again. The Nursery has just experienced a very busy few weeks, with the run up to the Spring Fair, and will soon be even more hectic as we head towards the end of the school year. The staff and children have been making the most of the occasional nice weather and there have been 'Out and About' trips to the park. We hope you enjoy catching up on what the Nursery has been up to.



A big Happy Birthday to Joshua, Olivia, Zack, Marie, Emily, Evie, Karl and Kara who have celebrated their birthdays in April, we hope you had a lovely day. We would also like to wish Declan, Riley, Keian and Barnaby, those children who are celebrating in May, a very happy birthday.

SPRING FAIR 2016



After much preparation and lots of hard work the Spring Fair finally arrived. Thankfully the weather was amazing and we had a fantastic turnout. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves and it is always lovely to see ex-pupils and their families. We appreciate the continued support more than we can say.. The current total for the day stands at over £3,000!!!

This amount would not have been possible without the amazing support of our children's families, the staff and the Friends of Menphys. We would like to thank everyone who contributed items and their time (especially those parents who helped with the Friday preparations), the Shelby Stars, Jeanette Faulkner (Face Painting), the Sweetie Cabin, the fantastic Pig Racers and many more. Thank you also to family members who helped to make the day extra special. We would also like to thank all those companies that donated a prize to the Raffle, your support is greatly appreciated.



Should you have any ideas about how the Spring Fair could be improved please do not hesitate to contact the Nursery with your ideas. If you would like to be more involved with fundraising for the Nursery you would be warmly welcomed at the next Friends of Menphys meeting on Thursday 5th May at 7.45pm, at the Nursery.

PARENTS OPEN EVENING - Tuesday 24th May 5.00-7.00pm

The Nursery will be holding an informal Open Evening at the Nursery on Tuesday the 24th of March. This will be an opportunity for you to look around the Nursery and learn more about the learning opportunities that we offer the children here.



Light refreshments will be available. The staff and Governors will be on hand should you have any questions or issues you would like to discuss. Please feel free to bring your children with you and stay for as little, or as long as you want!

You should have received a letter inviting you to this evening, via Parentmail or in your child's book bag. There is a reply slip for you to return to Nursery, we would appreciate it if you could do this. Thank you. We look forward to seeing you.

SPARE CHILDREN'S CLOTHES



Do you have any spare clothes that you could send into Nursery? If so, they would be greatly appreciated. We are particularly short of boys trousers in larger sizes!! E.g. 4/5yrs and 5/6yrs. Anything you could spare would be a real help. Thank you for your support.

CHARITY EVENING IN AID OF SKETCHLEY HILL MENPHYS NURSERY

'MALT 'N' ROCK' AND
GUESTS



ON: SATURDAY 4th JUNE - 7.30pm
onwards -£5 PER PERSON

AT: CONSTITUTIONAL CLUB,
BURBAGE, LE10 2DE.

A night of music featuring rock covers by
the band Malt 'n' Rock.

Contact Kev Knight on 07707681635 for
tickets.

HOLIDAY DATES—2016-17

Please see below the school holiday
dates for the new school year -
2016-17.



AUTUMN TERM

Nursery opens: Tues 30th August.

October Half Term: Mon 17th — Fri 21st Oct.

Nursery closes: Fri 16th December

SPRING TERM

Nursery opens: Thursday 5th January

February Half Term: Mon 13th to Fri 17th Feb

Nursery closes: Fri 7th April

SUMMER TERM

Nursery opens: Mon 24th April

May Day Bank Holiday: Mon 1st May

Half Term: Mon 29th May to Fri 2nd June

Nursery closes (Summer Holiday): Fri 14th July.

COFFEE MORNING

The next Coffee Morning will
be on Friday 13th May from
9.30-11.30am. This will be a
Sensory Play session, we hope
you can join us.

