



# Newsletter



Summer Term 2024

*'Children at Oasis are learners for life'*

Dear families,

## Staffing

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome Paula Yates to the Oasis team. Paula is currently working towards a Level 3 Apprenticeship in Early Years. Paula is working in the toddler room, and we wish her all the best with her studies!



We would also like to take this opportunity to congratulate Hannah Capstick and her family on the birth of their little boy.

We would also like to take this opportunity to wish Hannah Stafford all the best for her maternity leave at the end of the month. She will be missed by children and staff alike!

## Eco Friendly Oasis

**We are continuing to work towards an Eco-Friendly Oasis and doing our bit to protect the earth.**

**Waste and Recycling** - Oasis children continue to take up the challenge of recycling paper, card, plastic, and reusable materials. This helps us to reduce 50% of the waste we produce each week!



We save our leftover fruit from snack and vegetables from lunch to feed our rabbits Bluebell, Penguin, Lotus and Raya, and our Guinea pig Black.

This term the Pre-school children have also been learning our Eco Code (rap song): -



### Oasis Eco Code

Eco Friendly Oasis,  
We recycle on a regular basis.  
Save energy, turn off lights,  
Find more tips on our website.

Put litter in the bin,  
Save water it's a win.  
Plant herbs, feed the birds,  
Your actions speak louder than words!



## Oasis British Values Star of the Week



### Toddler Room

- Delilah Best - Delilah always shows kindness towards her peers.
- Isaac Nicholas - Isaac is building relationships with new friends and joins them into his play.
- Ava Lenney - Ava is kind and caring and her confidence shines through when making new friends.
- Archie Warren - Archie enjoys helping his friends settle into the new environment.

### Pre-School

- Maisie-Grace Beadle - Maisie-Grace is always polite and uses good manners when communicating with staff and peers.
- Albert Allen - Albert uses his creativity to support his peers with a range of construction activities, demonstrating good turn taking skills.
- Aaliyah-Grace Buckingham - Aaliyah-Grace includes peers in her play using back and forth communication to share and develop ideas.
- Mina Kirby-Burrows - Mina demonstrates fantastic listening skills and demonstrates confidence during play with peers at small group activities.

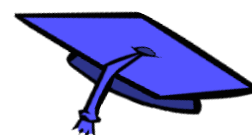
### Parent Consultations

We will be holding parent consultations on Thursday 27.06.24 between 1.30pm-5pm and 6.15pm-8.30pm to give you the opportunity to talk to your child's key person and to discuss your child's progress. Please speak to the office to book an afternoon appointment or to your child's key person to book an evening appointment.

### ★ SAVE THE DATE ★

#### Graduation - Pre-School

We are very excited to announce that this year's graduation ceremony for the pre-school children, who will be leaving us to start their new schools in September, will be held in Ludgvan Community Centre on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> of July at 1:30pm. More information is due to follow in the next few weeks.



### Sun Hats and Suncream



Now that we are in the summer term could we please ask all parents to provide a named sun hat and suncream of at least factor 30 for your child. We would really appreciate parents applying the first application of suncream before their child comes to nursery. Thank you.

### Ludgvan School Sports Day

This term, the Pre-School children will have the opportunity to participate in the Pre-School Race at Ludgvan School Sports Day! Keep your eyes and ears peeled for further information.



## MADE - Music and Dance Education

You will be pleased to hear that MADE are continuing to support the staff and children across the age ranges to explore weekly opportunities of dancing, singing, acting and expressing their thoughts and ideas through media.

## Forest School

Once again, this year the pre-school children and staff will have the opportunity to attend forest school sessions led by Heart of the Woods based in Cubit Woods in Carbis Bay. All activities will link to the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS) Framework, with a focus on nature-based learning, developing life skills, making choices and child-led play and exploration. The children will be given endless opportunities to participate in real-life experiences such as campfire cooking, creating hobbit houses, little gnome homes and fairy grottos. They will also encounter wildlife, such as exploring bugs, insects, tadpoles, and their habitats, which will provide inspirational learning opportunities for all involved! Dates and further information to follow.



## Oasis Tadpoles and Fish

The children in the toddler room have had great excitement the past few weeks in following the life cycle of their tadpoles, from tiny, wiggly tadpoles to fully developed little frogs. They have closely observed and followed their daily changes as they slowly grew legs, lost their tails and finally transformed into fully developed little frogs jumping around their tank. The adults then supported the children to release the frogs into the stream at the bottom of the forest school area, where the children were able to see the animals venture off into their natural habitat.



The babies and toddlers have also welcomed the arrival of their new fish tanks with several little fish to observe each day. The children are learning about how to care for their fish, which supports them to develop empathy and understanding for other creatures and enables them to begin to develop a sense of responsibility. The babies are mesmerized by their little fish!



## Parents Policy Board

This month the staff have reviewed the Child Protection/Safeguarding Children Policy, Recruitment Policy, Manual Handling Policy and Funding Policy. If you would like to receive an emailed copy of these policies, please email or telephone the Office.

## Designated Safeguarding Team

As part of our safeguarding procedures, we have a Designated Safeguarding Lead who is **Lorna Trudgeon**, Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads who are **Juliette George** and **Briony Sedgeman** and Assistant Designated Safeguarding Leads who are **Lindsay Roberts** and **Hollie Empson**. **Mark Fletcher** is currently the Designated Safeguarding Lead on the Management Committee. More information is available in our policies and procedures, which are displayed in the reception area or on our website.

## Funded Sessions/Hot Lunches - Summer Holidays

The last funded day before the Summer holidays is Friday 19.07.24. However, if you have banked funded hours, these can be used until 30.08.24. Funded sessions resume on Monday 09.09.24.

Hot lunches will not be available from Monday 22.07.24 to Tuesday 03.09.24 inclusive, as Ludgvan School will be closed for the summer holidays. Hot lunches will resume on Wednesday 04.09.24.

### August Closure

Our annual closure will be Monday 12.08.24 to Tuesday 27.08.24 inclusive. This incorporates the August Bank Holiday and our annual training/cleaning day. Ludgvan Oasis will reopen on Wednesday 28.08.24, refreshed and ready for the autumn term.

### Diary Dates

#### **Parent Consultations**

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#### **Pre-School Graduation Ceremony**

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**Thank you for your continued support.**

**Lorna Trudgeon**

