



# Broadlands Pre-School Centre Summer 2 Newsletter 2020

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## A message from Barbara, Pre-School Manager

This wasn't quite the ending we were expecting to have to our year!! It has been such a shame not to be able to continue sessions to the end of the academic year for the majority of you, and missing out on the lovely activities that round the year off. But, most importantly, keeping everyone healthy and safe has been the priority.

Hopefully, if restrictions allow we may have an opportunity for a big get-together before the new academic year to say 'hello' and 'goodbye' but in the meantime, thank you for all your support this year and:

pre-school – good luck as you move on to school  
rising 3's – have a lovely summer and we look forward to seeing you in September.



## A message from Tiz Cowen—Committee Chair



Firstly, I would like to thank you all for your patience and support over the last few months as the committee has worked to implement government advice and guidance and make difficult decisions about closing and opening Broadlands. With some of the children now returning to shorter and quieter sessions, we are thankful to Barbara and her team for working hard to ensure the children are safe and happy.

This is my last newsletter as Chair of the Broadlands committee as I am handing over the role, now that my youngest is moving up to reception. Our preschool is in very safe hands with Jamie Gaskarth taking on the role of Chair and a few new members joining the committee. Broadlands is a really special place and I know that my three children will all look back on their time at preschool with very fond memories.

# SEE YOU IN SEPTEMBER!





### **Fundraising:**

Many of you will be starting to think about buying school uniform for September, and labels for clothing and belongings are a must. If you purchase these through 'My Nametags' and quote our ID number – 13886 – Broadlands receives a percentage from the order. Likewise, when you are shopping online, if you sign up free of charge at [www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/broadlandspresch](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/broadlandspresch) and use the links on EASYFUNDRAISING to take you to the retailer's website, a percentage of your spend comes to Broadlands at no extra cost to yourself.

### **Dates for your Diary:**

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#### **Summer term ends:**

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July 2020

#### **Autumn term (provisional dates):**

Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> September – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2020

#### **Autumn half term (provisional dates):**

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October 2020

**NB.** Due to uncertainty re: COVID19, we cannot at this time be 100% sure of term dates or session times for next term; we will keep you updated with these as soon as we have clearer government guidance for September onwards.

### **Marketing**



As always, please spread the word and let people know about Broadlands, either face-to-face, or virtually, by sharing our Facebook and Instagram marketing posts on your timeline or to local groups. It would also help if parents could leave a review on our Netmums page, our Facebook page, or Google reviews. Or if you attend a local children's group or activity that would display a poster or let you hand out leaflets, please drop Barbara a line.



### **Social media**

Our website, [broadlandspreschool.org.uk](http://broadlandspreschool.org.uk), has useful information for parents. We also have Facebook and Instagram pages where we share pictures and updates, so please follow us.

