

# Christmas 2023

## Newsletter



# Our Annual Christmas Fair

We had a wonderful morning for our annual Christmas fair. There was the opportunity to make reindeer food, a snowman biscuit and a sock snowman, along with exploring our snowy train sensory tray, reading Christmas stories and playing with the festive playdough. All this before a visit to see Father Christmas, and finished off with some festive refreshments.

Thank you to all the families who joined us.



## Welcome to the team

We would like to welcome Miranda and Danielle who have joined our supply team over the autumn term. Miranda joins us with lots of experience in early years along with SEN experience, and Danielle comes to us with experience within the care sector. They will be working throughout the nursery, and we're pleased to have both of them join our team.

## Employee of the Year

Congratulations to Beth on winning the 2023 Employee of the Year.



Beth has been a steady and valued member of the team and pear room over recent years. Beth provides fun and stimulating activities for the children, and is always contributing new ideas. Within the staff team Beth is reliable and thoughtful, and her humour keeps us entertained!

Congratulations!

Well done Beth, a deserving winner.

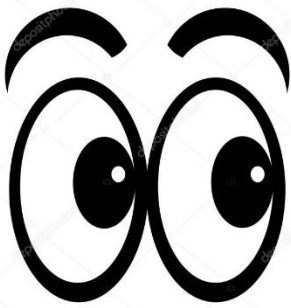
## Christmas closure

- The nursery closes at 6pm on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December, and re opens on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2024.
- Children on Education Grant contracts return to nursery week commencing 8<sup>th</sup> January 2024.

## Have you applied for your school place?



If your child was born between 1st September 2019 and 31st August 2020 then they will be due to start school in September 2024. Applications for primary school places close on 15th January 2024. Please ensure you have completed your application by then. If you have any queries, then please speak to a pre-school or office member of the team.



### Look out for important dates coming in 2024!

This will include dates for our events throughout the year. These will be published in our first 2024 newsletter. As always, we look forward to these events and hope to see you there.

We would like to thank all our families for their continued support throughout what has been a very busy year.

We hope you all have a wonderful break and we look forward to welcoming our current and new families back in the new year.





From Katie, Michaela and the team at  
Ringwood Day Nursery

