

Over the next few weeks we have several events happening. Please see below for further details.

### **5<sup>th</sup> December – Rhyme time**

Come and join our Christmas rhyme time 2 – 2:45pm for some festive singing, dancing and refreshments. Please invite your friends along too. The more the merrier.

£1.50 per family.

### **9<sup>th</sup> December - St Nicholas Day**

Mikolaj (Father Christmas) will be joining us to celebrate St Nicholas Day, which is a Polish celebration where, Mikolaj pronounced Mikowakeey, visits children to encourage them to be good to ensure that their name goes onto the 'nice' list instead of the 'naughty' list. After he has spoken to the children, he leaves them with a candy cane and says "Goodbye".

Mikolaj will be here...

9:30-11:00am to see the children who attend our Monday morning sessions as usual. Parents are welcome to stay.

Then

12:30-14:00pm the session will be open to all the children and their parents who attend pre-school to come and see Mikilaj. Parents are welcome to stay. However, please note, if your child does not normally attend this session parents MUST stay with their child.

### **11<sup>th</sup> December**

Please dress your child in their Christmas jumper for pre-school. Just because it's Christmas.

### **12<sup>th</sup> December – Rhyme time**

Come and join our Christmas rhyme time 2 – 2:45pm for some festive singing, dancing and refreshments. Please invite your friends along too. The more the merrier.

£1.50 per family.

### **16<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Jumper Day**

We will be raising money for Crackerjacks Children's trust by wearing our Christmas jumpers to pre-school. Please dress your child in their Christmas Jumper and donate to Crackerjacks. <https://www.crackerjacks.org.uk/>

**17th December – Shooting Stars Christmas Party**

Our Christmas parties will be full of exciting activities, music, games and of course Father Christmas will be joining us.

We will be holding two parties. The first one at **9-11am** and the second one at **12:30-14:30pm**. We would like to invite parents to come along and join in the festive fun.

Please note children are to attend their normal Tuesday sessions for the parties. If your child does not attend normally on Tuesdays, then please come along to our afternoon party. Thank you

**18th December 2019 – 5th January 2020 Pre-school Closed**

Pre-school closed for the Christmas holidays

**6th January 2020 - Pre-school open**

Pre-school re-opens for the Spring 2020 term