



# Newsletter



Summer Term 2023

*'Children at Oasis are learners for life'*

Dear families,

## Staffing

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome Kim Williams to the Oasis team. Kim has joined the team as an Early Years Assistant and is working in the baby room. Kim previously worked as a Baby Room Leader at a local nursery and as a Teaching Assistant in local primary schools, and she has experience working with young children across the different age ranges.

We would also like to take this opportunity to wish Kate all the best for her maternity leave. 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.**

**Healthy Living** - Our gardening project has supported the children's understanding of making healthy lifestyle choices. The children have taken on the responsibility to nurture and harvest their own carrots, peas, and potatoes. Fingers crossed for a good crop!

All children currently take part in a daily physical focus which promotes moving in different ways and learning about the benefits of regular exercise!

**Waste and Recycling** - Oasis children continue to take up the challenge of recycling paper, card, plastic and reusable materials. This has helped 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.



**Saving Water** - We have explored ways to save water at Oasis. Each learning room has its own water butt. The children independently access this water to feed their plants daily and in all aspects of outside water play activities.



## Oasis British Values Star of the Week

### Toddler Room

- Amelie Spurgeon - Sharing her toys and being kind to peers.
- Molly Fisher-Fudge - Always helpful towards adults and peers.
- Albie Trevail - Helping adults and friends with daily tasks, tidying toys, brushing up and cleaning mark-making equipment.
- Emily Tilly - Joining in with singing and action songs at physical focus time.
- Sofia Little - Always being helpful and demonstrating sharing with her peers.
- Isaac Nicholas - Joining in with physical focus by singing songs.
- Ruebyn Wigham - Showing great enthusiasm during MADE music and dance sessions.
- Kerela Lucien - Always being helpful at tidy up time.
- Finley Edwards - Sharing toys and being kind to peers.
- Bryn Chapman - Helping adults and friends during daily tasks.

### Pre-School

- Mason Wildman - Mason uses brilliant turn taking skills with his peers when exploring small world activities.
- Gareth Payne - Gareth demonstrates fantastic listening skills at circle time.
- Heidi Sampson - Heidi demonstrates a good understanding of following two-part instructions and helping adults with small tasks.
- Theo Bhandari - Theo includes peers in his play to develop ideas and stories around small world activities.
- Florence Stone - Florence thrives during role play activities where she delegates roles and demonstrates good listening skills.
- Archie Triggs - Archie uses his creativity to support his peers at a range of construction activities, demonstrating good turn taking skills.
- Jack Lawrey - Jack demonstrates fantastic listening skills and has grown in confidence playing with his peers during small group activities.

## Parent Consultations

We will be holding parent consultations on Wednesday 28.06.23 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.

## 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 13<sup>th</sup> of July at 1:30pm. More information is due to follow in the next few weeks.



## Parents Policy Board

This month the staff have reviewed the Menopause Policy, Promoting positive well-being Policy, Fire Policy, Whistleblowing Policy and Sun Protection 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 **Emily Wallis** and **Lindsay Roberts**.

**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 21.07.23. Funded sessions resume on Monday 04.09.23.

Hot lunches will not be available from Monday 24.07.23 to Friday 01.09.23 inclusive, as Ludgvan School will be closed for the summer holidays. Hot lunches will resume on Monday 04.09.23.

### August Closure

Our annual closure will be Monday 14.08.23 to Tuesday 29.08.23 inclusive. This incorporates the August Bank Holiday and our annual training/cleaning day. Ludgvan Oasis will reopen on Wednesday 30.08.23, 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**

