



## NEWSLETTER

March 2026

Dear Parents & Carers,

WELCOME BACK everyone. We hope you enjoyed the half term break and with Spring in the air, we hope you are bouncing back to playgroup full of energy and enthusiasm.

**IMPORTANT DATES** - Please pop these into your diary.....

End of this term	Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April
Start of term 5	Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> April
Bank holiday (Playgroup is CLOSED)	Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> May
Playgroup photographer	Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> May

### AGM

We had our annual AGM last term and would like to thank those of you that attended. As you may be aware we are a committee run playgroup and without the support of committee members, playgroup would not be able to run. We urgently need new general committee members, if you are interested in joining the committee please speak to Sara.

### COATS AND SPARE CLOTHES

Please can you ensure your child's coat is named as it helps us make sure they have the right one. If a coat is not named, we will write their names on the label.

We would be grateful if you could pop a spare set of clothes in your child's bog as they may have so much fun that they are too wet and/or muddy to remain in the clothes you sent them in! **Remember to make sure everything they wear or bring to Playgroup is named.**

### DONATIONS

We are running short of spare clothes for the children to be changed into if needed. If you have any trousers, leggings, underwear or socks your child has grown out of that you are willing to donate to playgroup they would be much appreciated, thank you.

### PHOTOGRAPHER

The playgroup photographer will be visiting playgroup on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> May to take individual, sibling and graduation photos. A letter with further information will be coming home in your child's bag after the Easter holidays.

## FACEBOOK



[www.facebook.com/BoughtonMonchelseaPlaygroup](http://www.facebook.com/BoughtonMonchelseaPlaygroup)

Please do come and visit our Facebook page. Keep up to date with announcements and we will update you with what the children have been getting up to whilst at Playgroup.



## PARENTS WHATSAPP GROUP

We have a parents WhatsApp group to help keep everyone up to date with important dates and information about playgroup. If you would like to be join the group please speak to Sara and she will arrange to have your number added.

## WEBSITE

Another useful resource is our website: [www.bmplaygroup.co.uk](http://www.bmplaygroup.co.uk).

## ABSENT FROM PLAYGROUP

### Sickness

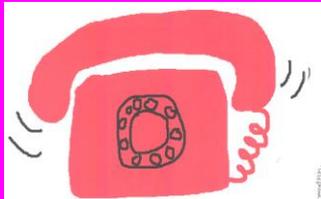


If your child is unwell please do not send them Playgroup! However, please let us know if your child is absent so that we can mark our records accordingly. Please note that children need to be kept at home until **48 hours** after the last episode of diarrhoea or vomiting. This is really important so that we do not make the other children unwell.



### Holidays

If you are lucky enough to be going away on holiday please let your child's keyperson, Sara or Karen know so that we do not worry about your child's absence. A phone call, text or email is fine.



Please note the Playgroup Emergency Number is  
**07999 824478**

Best wishes from your staff and committee

P.S. Our playgroup rules are:

**We speak QUIETLY**  
**We WALK when we are inside**  
**We play NICELY and SHARE**  
**We LOOK after EACH OTHER**

It would be helpful if you could remind your child of these so that they can learn to abide by them.