



DATES FOR THE DIARY

- Easter holiday club: 15th – 26th April- we will be based at St Joseph's and St Theresa's in Burntwood.
- Polling Day: 2nd May – the before and after school clubs will be closed
- May Day: 6th May – the before and after school clubs will be closed
- May Half term holiday club – 27th -31st May- we will be based at St Joseph's and St Theresa's in Burntwood.

ONLINE BOOKING

We are delighted that we are now on an online booking system, this system gives the parent more control over booking sessions and allows them to keep tabs on payments, alter booking and change information without having to contact the club.

If you have any problems with the new system please feel free to speak to a member of staff or contact the head office.

CONGRATULATIONS TO VICKI

We just wanted to send our congratulations to Vicki who had a little girl at the beginning of March, she is called Esmè and both mother and baby are doing well. We all look forward to a visit and a cuddle with her.



JOZONE KIDS CLUB COUNCIL

The children at Chadsmead asked whether, just like in school, we could have a council where they can come up with ideas for the club, we thought this was a fantastic idea so we have done just that, the children have taken control of the meetings and have started to come up with some fantastic ideas which we are going to look through and try to implement during the coming weeks.

The children have also made up an Eco club where they discuss any ideas they have for improving our outdoor area .

The children in both councils are taking their roles very seriously, they are wearing their Jozone council badges with pride and communicating their ideas to members of staff, checking if things are being done (such as the badges) they have already enjoyed the snack ideas they have come up with and have seen some of their ideas for the planning taking place.

LEARNING AT HOME IDEAS

Every newsletter we include some fun ideas for you to do at home with the family in order to help support your child's learning and development.

For this newsletter as it is approaching Easter we thought we would give you all sorts of Easter themed activity ideas



MATHEMATICAL DEVELOPMENT: Why not print off some Easter Eggs from

<https://www.livecrafteat.com/live/easter-egg-hunt-happy-easter/> and have an Easter egg hunt where the child who collect the most wins an actual Easter Egg, you could even print the templates off twice and the children only get an egg if they find the matching pair.

LITERACY: Get your children to write out a story about the Easter bunny, what sort of adventures does he go on when he hides the eggs, how does he find where to hide them.

EXPRESSIVE ART AND DESIGN: Have fun creating your own Easter bonnet or decorate a hard boiled egg.

STAFF



Vicki Cooke: Manager – currently on maternity

Emma Davis: Deputy Manager- covering manager during maternity leave

Helen James: Supporting Manager – supporting deputy manager during maternity leave

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