

Sunbeams Play

January 2016

A haven for children and young people with Autism

Newsletter

Welcome Back

We would like to welcome you back after the Christmas break, we hope all the children and young people enjoyed our Christmas festivities. We do have photos of all those who attended the Christmas parties, if you would like a copy please ask.

New Reward System

The staff and children have developed a new reward system for the older children (Monday and Tuesday groups). Those who attend will still have the opportunity to become star of the month, however the new system will incorporate a new reward; a £5 gift voucher for 'The Works'. After six months each child/young person who has achieved this will have their name put into a hat and if their name is selected they will receive a further £10 voucher.

Staff update

Chloe is back from her 3 month project in Ghana! She will be doing some bank work for us in between her travels as she flies out to Thailand at the beginning of February.

Arriane will be leaving us on the 28th January and we would like to welcome Sophie who will be taking over from Arriane on a Saturday morning, becoming key person to those children Arriane worked with.

A handover will be carried out in order for Arriane to introduce Sophie to her key children and parents.

We wish Arriane all the best in her new role.

To keep up our professional development and knowledge, all staff will be attending several training courses over the coming weeks.

Coming soon

Exciting new things happening at Sunbeams!

'Lego Club' starts Weds 24th Feb 5pm-8pm

'Stay and Play' starts Tues 1st March – open to ALL pre-school families

Sunbeams Play

(Pre-school)

Stay & Play Tuesdays

10am - 11.45am

Starting 1st March

Join us for fun and games meet other parents and make friends.

Messy play available, drinks and snacks provided.

£2.50 first child
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Under 1's free

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Dad's LEGO CLUB



Wednesdays 5-8pm

Join us for full or part sessions.

Starting February 24th

Is your family affected by Autism or related conditions? Dad's Lego Club is for all you dads, granddads and male carers who want to spend some time with their children having fun, sharing ideas and building confidence; along with the models.

Refreshments available

To join or for more information please contact us at:
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Unit 7, Enterprise Court, Gapton Hall Road
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07436 794967 or 01493 442181

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Dates for your Diary

Monday 8th Feb – we will be carrying out activities to celebrate Chinese New Year

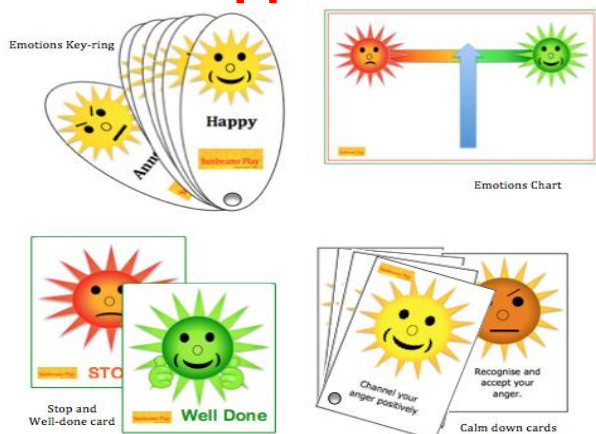
Feb half term – Mon 15th to Fri 19th

- Monday 15th – Monday children 9am-4pm
- Tuesday 16th – Tuesday children 9am-4pm
- Wednesday 17th – Saturday morning children 9am-4pm
- Thursday 18th – Siblings group 9am-4pm
- Friday 19th – 'Family fun session' 10am-12pm limited spaces please call Sue on 01493 442181 to book.

Can You Help Us?

WANTED: Tombola items for fundraising events for Sunbeams Play. Instead of putting those unwanted Xmas gifts at the back of a cupboard why not donate it to a good cause.

Visual Supports



50p Each

Coming Soon!

4 week Parenting Programme

1-2-3 Magic

Effective Discipline for Children 2 -12

1-2-3 Magic provides an easy-to-learn parenting programme, helping parents build strong, positive relationships with their children and overcome difficult behaviour. Developed by clinical psychologist, Thomas W. Phelan, Ph.D. and recommended by ADDiSS to support children with or without additional needs.

The 1-2-3 Magic programme runs for 2 hours a week for 4 weeks.

Thursday
9.30am-11.45am
3rd March
10th March
17th March
24th March

Evening dates possible if requested.

Cost

FREE for parents & carers of Sunbeams Play children and young people.

Professionals £25

For further information or to book a place contact us on:

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