

Parachute News



Welcome Back!!!!

After a fantastic summer we thought we would share with you all some of the fantastic days that we had.

There are some notices and important information about upcoming changes in here too so please have a read

Summer Holidays

Well what a brilliant summer we had, if you weren't here you missed out on some fantastic days both in and out of club. But not to worry we will fill you in with what you have missed out on.

Week One

We started off as we meant to go on with Lets Go Big!!!! Morning, we played with the giant football that Jenni had the great pleasure of trying to blow up. We got out the giant board games and we even go to see some diggers and big trucks that were going past while they were doing the roadworks on Church St.

Tuesday was our first trip day and along with Parachute tradition we headed off to Crocky Trail, While the children at club got out the Parachute and made some on the farm creations, the children all made cow masks and some piggy cupcakes.

We headed to Wingates Park, made flip flop magnets the children had loads of fun making these, Thursday brought inflatable day and the sun was shining so outside they went. The staff had so much fun they forgot to take any pictures, we had 2 bouncy castles, a big obstacle course and even a ball pit, it was fantastic until it poured down with rain so we headed inside to watch a film and relax. Friday followed with crazy sports and wacky painting.

Week Two

Week two and we were ready for another week jam packed full of activities, sports and trips out.

Our visitor of the week was the cheeky chimps fun bus and the children had fun our messy trip was off to Manley Mere we were all filthy by had a fantastic time.

Our activity programme was as busy as usual with choccywoccydodah, chalk pictures, construction morning, sports day, hair and beauty, whole club dance off WELL DONE!! To Amy Swainson who beat everyone to be our champion and Nicola took us all to America with lots of arts and crafts and her homemade burgers for snack

Week Three

Halfway there but we still had loads to pack in, our visit this week was a circus skills visit, the children tried their hand at loads of activities and did fantastically, they all tried really hard and were definitely better than the adults. Our trip on Tuesday saw us adventuring out into the maize maze at Applejacks.

With lots going on in club such as ready steady playdough, hand and foot art, we created a under the sea mural, escape rooms, Dinosaur dig and much much more.

Week Four

Were on the home stretch, time for the staff to start getting ready for September but not for the children we still had loads of things planned.

Trip of the week was our most popular trip of the holidays with 27 children heading off to Gulliver' world a fantastic day even if we were surrounded by wasps at lunch.

We didn't have a visitor to club this week but we did have water day, Jenni and Cy set everything up got all the children ready and we had been outside for about a hour and the rain began to pour, this didn't put everyone off some of us played out in the rain on the water slide and had a game of slippy rounders.

Our activity programme this week was all things sporty, love of pets, character count, into space and fruity Friday.

Week Five

Our last full week of the holidays, our trip of the week took us off to St Anne's, the children had a fantastic time they all got to take turns driving the boat on the boating lake, and had a tasty ice cream.

We didn't just have one visitor this week, we had a few and they brought Ranger Rob with them it was the bugs visit and he didn't just bring bugs either.

Our activity programme brought us target practice, unicorn creations, all things outdoor, it's all about skipping, we stepped into books and created our own Italian restaurant we made pizzas and Jenni made spaghetti Bolognese with garlic bread for snack.

Week Six

We started this week our last trip of the summer ☺ Knowsley Safari Park, we saw all sorts of animals and didn't leave any of the children with the monkeys. We did however leave with a little gift from one of the monkeys on the roof of the black car!!!!

No visitor this week but loads still to do, we did bubble craft (who knew bubbles could be so messy?) football part 2, activity marathon and for the love of marshmallows as well as party afternoon.

thank you ☺

To all the children, parents and staff that made this summer, truly one of our best ever.



To see some pictures of what we got upto head to our website

www.parachutechildcare.co.uk



OCTOBER HOLIDAY CARE

We have lots planned for the little devils this October, and of course it's all Halloween themed.

<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>
<i>Halloween team games</i>	<i>All club activity visitor</i>	<i>Black, cats, rats and bats crafts</i>	<i>Monster mash dance off</i>	<i>Creepy clay creations</i>
<i>Halloween baking</i>	<i>Inflatable sports day</i>	<i>Spooky sports</i>	<i>Witches and ghost crafts</i>	<i>Halloween party games</i>
			<i>Trip Day</i> <i>Best of Bolton.</i>	

For more information on the activities and trips

Please visit our website www.parachutechildcare.co.uk or

Ask for a holiday programme in club.

Full Day Care £19.50

Half Day Care £12.50

All children need to bring is a packed lunch..





We would like to welcome our new children and their families to Parachute, those of you with children in EYFS there is lots going on for your little ones at the moment and we try our very best to help them settle in as smoothly as possible.

In the coming weeks your child will have a keyworker. They will introduce themselves to you and introducing you to your child's learning journal. To enhance their time at Parachute we run our very own early years programme.

For the next few weeks the children will sit together and eat snack separately from the others, this helps the little ones settle in and create friends and get to know the staff. Children complete a small activity that is just for them and then they are allowed to go and play.

Once a term we will give you the opportunity to view your child's learning journal and see what they have been up to and your keyworker will ask you to fill in the progress report with them. Journals are then sent into schools so that teachers have the opportunity to see what children have been doing in club and can pass on their next steps for the children.

At the end of the school year the book will be filled with pictures, observations and pieces of your children's work and handed over to you to keep.

A massive Parachute Happy Birthday to....

September

Paige Sherrington
Joseph Haslam
Oscar Chung
Ellie Firth
Amber Foster
Lottie Harris
William Irish



October

Malika Banks
Joseph Moody
Hope Dursley
Lyndon Kelly
Reuban Southern
Sophia Myatt
Oliver Smith



Invoices and Payments

We invoice all parents via email at the beginning of every month, these will not take into account any changes that you make throughout the month.

Please also understand that although they try their hardest Jenni and Nicola are only childcare workers and not accountants, all the accounts and payments are done in house and when we can be spared off the floor caring for the children. That being said please do tell us if your invoice is incorrect and we will work to rectify it as soon as possible.

Nicola also understands that circumstances change and that sometimes paying your

Invoices can be a hard task, if you are struggling to pay, please ask to speak

Nicola or Jenni and they will work with you as much as possible to ease the stress of

Outstanding payments.

