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Certificates

In our assembly this week certificates were awarded to:

Zia Singh, Joe Symons, Zaynah Singh, Isabel Dapling, Peaches Forster, Tilly Rhodes, Cleo Parsons, Zacara Singh, Jacob Leonard, Connor Kellaway William Potter
and
Poppy Stevenson

Happy Birthday!

Summer Comer, James Fyers,
Martha Richardson, William Potter,
Zacara Singh and Alex Tucker.

Notices

The school now has a new email address adminb@gatewayfed.org.uk please use with immediate effect when contacting the school.

20th October 2016

Newsletter: 7

A Message from Mrs Denham

Well done to the Deer (red) House group who have collected the most reward tokens this half term. As a reward, any children who are in the Deer group are having a non-uniform day on Monday 31st October (1st day back after half term).

Parent conference evenings These will be held on Monday 7th and Tuesday 8th November, please sign up for your meeting with your child's class teacher by selecting a time, on the appointment forms in reception. Class Bray's will be in the classroom.



Well done to all the children who competed in the Stephen's Shield Cross Country Competition at Torrington on Wednesday. They all performed extremely well considering it was a very testing course with lots of hills and mud! We are very proud of you all!

Notices

Dates for your diary

Christmas Lunch	7/12/16 at 12.00
Christmas Extravaganza	12/12/16 at 1.30pm-3.00pm
Christmas Extravaganza	13/12/16 at 6.00pm-7.30pm
Christmas Extravaganza	14/12/16 at 3.30pm-5.00pm
Carol Service & Nativity	16/12/16 at 2.00pm



Our P.T.A

Club 59

Last weeks Club 59 winner was Sian Kemp, winning £22 with number 53 - congratulations Sian! Please see Sharon if you would like to take part, its only £1 a number.

Spooky Spectacular

Friday 21 October 2016

KS1 [5pm-6pm](#) KS2 [6.30pm-7.30pm](#)

In the school hall.

There are a few tickets left and they will be available to buy on the door. £3 per child.

Lots of fun to be had including 'Apple bopping', Disco & games, Donuts-on-a-string, fancy dress, refreshments inc hot dogs & creepy cauldron punch.

All children attending are invited to enter their own pumpkin into our competition. There will be prizes for the most creative KS1 & KS2 entry.

All entries will be used to decorate the hall so please leave in the shelter in the bottom playground on the last day of term, [Thursday 20th October](#) with names and key stage on so the judge can pick the best carved pumpkin from each key stage.

School Christmas Fayre

This will be held [on Friday 25th November 2.30pm-4.30pm](#), more details to follow soon.

A meeting for this will be held [on Friday 11th November 6.30pm](#) down at the Sports Club.

Bags2School

Bags2School will be coming home soon and will be collected on November 15th.

Have a great half term everyone!



Run Walk Chat - Beginners Running Group 9 am every Friday morning from the school gate. All welcome!

Fussy Eaters Workshop Ideas and Strategies to stop mealtimes being a battleground! Saturday, 5th November, 10 am to 1 pm in Bratton Fleming. £30 per person to include coffee, cake and a light lunch plus a Recipe Pack and Stop Fussy Eating Strategy Kit to take home! <http://www.twotartscookeryschool.co.uk/> 01598 710277

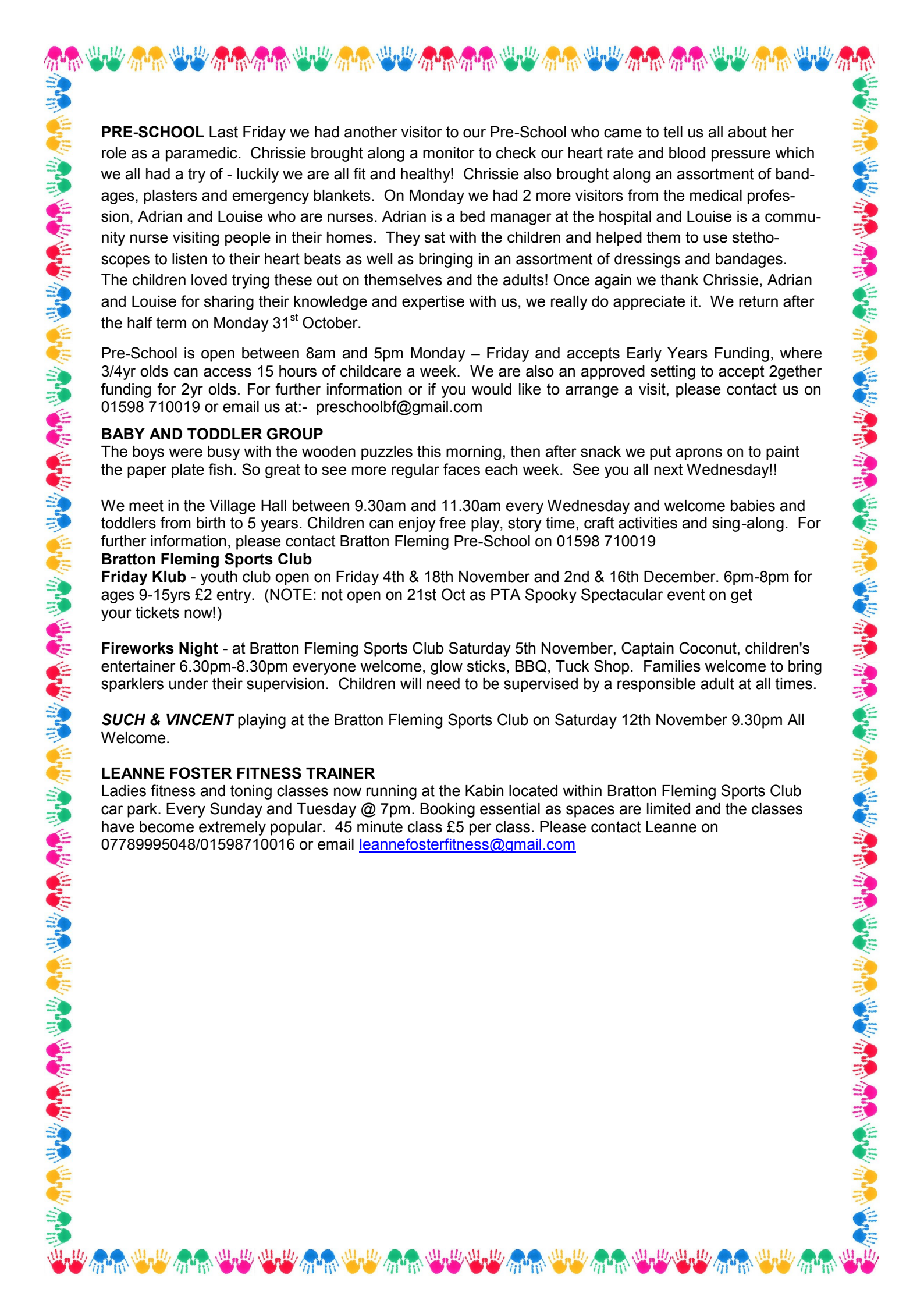
Bratton Fleming Baptist Church Calling all 4-11 year olds. You are warmly welcomed to a LIGHT PARTY on 31st October at 6pm. See you there!

Bring your friends and family to a free fireworks display and barbeque at Parsonage Farm Bratton Fleming on Wednesday 2nd November at 7pm

Food bank – Christmas Appeal

Sue Squire is collecting toys etc. for clients who use the food bank in the run up to Christmas: it may be colouring pencils and colouring book, jigsaws, cars, dolls, soft knitted toys or cuddly toys, balls, skipping ropes, books, in fact anything that children like and I'll be collecting items up to the end of November. It hasn't got to be massive, just some things that the children can open on Christmas day.

Sue is also collecting Christmas food so that the families can have the sort of Christmas that we enjoy ourselves. Any donation may be handed into the school office.



PRE-SCHOOL Last Friday we had another visitor to our Pre-School who came to tell us all about her role as a paramedic. Chrissie brought along a monitor to check our heart rate and blood pressure which we all had a try of - luckily we are all fit and healthy! Chrissie also brought along an assortment of band-aids, plasters and emergency blankets. On Monday we had 2 more visitors from the medical profession, Adrian and Louise who are nurses. Adrian is a bed manager at the hospital and Louise is a community nurse visiting people in their homes. They sat with the children and helped them to use stethoscopes to listen to their heart beats as well as bringing in an assortment of dressings and bandages. The children loved trying these out on themselves and the adults! Once again we thank Chrissie, Adrian and Louise for sharing their knowledge and expertise with us, we really do appreciate it. We return after the half term on Monday 31st October.

Pre-School is open between 8am and 5pm Monday – Friday and accepts Early Years Funding, where 3/4yr olds can access 15 hours of childcare a week. We are also an approved setting to accept 2gether funding for 2yr olds. For further information or if you would like to arrange a visit, please contact us on 01598 710019 or email us at:- preschoolbf@gmail.com

BABY AND TODDLER GROUP

The boys were busy with the wooden puzzles this morning, then after snack we put aprons on to paint the paper plate fish. So great to see more regular faces each week. See you all next Wednesday!!

We meet in the Village Hall between 9.30am and 11.30am every Wednesday and welcome babies and toddlers from birth to 5 years. Children can enjoy free play, story time, craft activities and sing-along. For further information, please contact Bratton Fleming Pre-School on 01598 710019

Bratton Fleming Sports Club

Friday Klub - youth club open on Friday 4th & 18th November and 2nd & 16th December. 6pm-8pm for ages 9-15yrs £2 entry. (NOTE: not open on 21st Oct as PTA Spooky Spectacular event on get your tickets now!)

Fireworks Night - at Bratton Fleming Sports Club Saturday 5th November, Captain Coconut, children's entertainer 6.30pm-8.30pm everyone welcome, glow sticks, BBQ, Tuck Shop. Families welcome to bring sparklers under their supervision. Children will need to be supervised by a responsible adult at all times.

SUCH & VINCENT playing at the Bratton Fleming Sports Club on Saturday 12th November 9.30pm All Welcome.

LEANNE FOSTER FITNESS TRAINER

Ladies fitness and toning classes now running at the Kabin located within Bratton Fleming Sports Club car park. Every Sunday and Tuesday @ 7pm. Booking essential as spaces are limited and the classes have become extremely popular. 45 minute class £5 per class. Please contact Leanne on 07789995048/01598710016 or email leannefoosterfitness@gmail.com