

Diary Dates: October to December 2018

This is always such a busy term, so please keep this list to hand.

October:

30th: Play Talk Read sessions start-if you have signed up this will be the first session, it will take place in the Fancy Fish room in the nursery.

31st: Halloween party- Come dressed up for some Halloween fun, all parties will take place in your child's usual session.

November:

1st: Edar Glinn Lunch- Thursday Lunch and wrap around children will be joining the residents for lunch.

5th: **First Atlantis session. Morning and Afternoon Group together.** Drop off at Atlantis main hall from 8.35am. Funky Fun Fit will start at 9am, snack 10.00am, Soft Play 10.30am. Pick up will be from the Cafe area 11.45am.

Password and signing in system will be in use us normal, so please make sure you give your password to anyone collecting.

Please ensure your child's name is on ALL of their belongings, including jackets, lunch boxes, jumpers etc. Swimming will take place throughout the session, children must bring their own swim aids if needed. Wrap Around/Lunch group: we will have Lunch in the Atlantis Café and lunch friends can be collected from there at the usual time. Wrap Around children can be collected from Nursery at 3.30pm.

6th: Play, Talk, Read Sessions

8th: Rag bag collection

12th: Atlantis

13th: Play, Talk, Read Session.

17th: **Argyll Animal Aid Table Top Sale**: Please remember we need donations of new toys, bottles, smelly sets or unwanted gifts etc for our Tombola stalls. We will also need volunteers to man the tables on the day.

19th: Atlantis

20th: Play. Talk Read Session.

26th: **This is an In-service day,** however, we will run our Atlantis session in the morning, but there will be no lunch club or Wrap Around available this day.

27th: Play, Talk, Read Session

December:

3rd: Atlantis

4th: Play, Talk Read Session

5^{th:} Childsmile Visit

6th: Rev. Chris. and friends coming to tell the story of Christmas

10th: Atlantis Last Session





11th: Play, Talk, Read Session

13th: Rev. Chris. Pastoral Visit and Christmas Jumper day, come to nursery wearing as much festive attire as you possibly can!

14th: Carol singing in Tesco. The Morning Group will just come to nursery as normal as we have a bus booked to take us to and from Tesco. Our singing will start at 9.45am and we will sing for an hour. The afternoon children are welcome to meet us at Tesco to join in with the singing. We would also like you to share with as many friends as possible so they all come to see us and help us raise lots of money for our friends at Edar Glinn. Please wear Nursery Jumpers and something festive on your head

17th: Nativity. The Nativity will take place in Glencruitten Church hall. Children should arrive at 9am. We aim to start at 9.30am, it is a short play, and you are invited to stay for coffee, tea and mince pies afterwards. We will be selling DVDs of the Nativity as a fundraiser, costing £3 each. You are most welcome to invite friends and family to come along too. We will have a donation tin at the door.

18th: **Christmas Jammie day!** Come to nursery in your Jammies, dressing gown and slippers, for a nice cosy day. Suggested donation of £1.00 towards our fundraising for Edar Glinn.

19th: St. Columba's Cathedral Hall, Rosie Cheeks day. (To be confirmed) FULL DAY

Drop off at the hall at 8.35am, please bring a healthy, child-sized packed lunch, 2 snacks will be provided. Collection will be from the hall at 3.30pm. Please ensure your child's name is on ALL of their belongings, including jackets, lunch boxes, jumpers etc. Password and sign in/out procedures will be in place.

20th: Cinema and Atlantis: FULL DAY.

Drop off inside the cinema 9.30am. Film still to be confirmed. We will walk from the cinema to Atlantis where we will have a packed lunch, followed by games and soft play. Collection will be from the back studio at 3.30pm.

Please ensure your child's name is on ALL of their belongings, including jackets, lunch boxes, jumpers etc. Please put children's lunches in a back pack as they will be carrying them themselves up to Atlantis and this keeps their hands free to hold their partners hand for the walk up. Password and sign in/out procedures will be in place.

21st: Christmas Party!

The party will take place in the Argyllshire Gathering Halls. It will start at 9.30am until 12noon, please do not arrive early, as staff are getting the hall ready, and there will not be access before this time. We have John's disco, a buffet and a visit form Mr, Clause! Tickets for the party will be on sale in December and cost £5.00 per child. Children MUST be accompanied by an adult for the duration of the party, as numbers would exceed safe staff to child ratios with all families being invited to attend.

The nursery will close after the party for the holidays and re-open on Monday 7th January 2019.

We hope you all have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!



