**FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER**

**Themes of the Month:** People who help us

**Colours of the Month:** **Purple**

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**Shape of the Month:** Heart

**Numbers of the Month:** 4

**Theme of the Month**

Talk to your child about the different people in who work in our community e.g.: Doctor, Nurse, Fireman, Police Officer, Shop Keeper and Dinner Lady.

**Parent Workshops**

Families First will be running a 6 week Parenting Course in our Primary School. The course will focus positive discipline, effective encouragement and aim to develop communication skills within the family. This will be a great opportunity to meet, grab a cuppa with other parents and share the strategies you already use and other families might benefit from.

The course will run every Tuesday morning in the Primary School from 9.15 – 11.15am starting on the 26th February. If you would like to attend please complete the attached leaflet before the Mid Term Break.

**Mid Term Break**

The school will close from Friday 15th February and will reopen on Monday 25th of February at 9.00.

**2 Simple**

Observations will be updated and emailed this month, please ensure you have forwarded your email address to your class teacher as soon as possible.

**Fitness Freddy**

Fitness Freddy will continue to visit our Nursery every week to keep us fit and get us moving!

**App of the Month**

Community Helpers – download for free from Android and Iplayer.

**Parent Meetings**

Parent meetings will take place next month, please keep watch for a signup sheet with dates and times over the coming weeks.

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Happy Birthday to Sean Michael, Jordan, Reemas and Carly Rose!!

**Reminder:**

* Please leave a pair of Welly boots for your child, as we still get outdoor play when its mucky!
* Take home all of your child’s art from their pigeon hole in the hall.
* Leave a change of clothes on your child’s peg in case of an accident.
* Please send all snack/dinner money on a **Monday morning** to facilitate banking.
* For Child Protection purposes - mobile phones should not be used on Nursery premises.
* Mrs McLogan is the Designated Teacher for Child Protection in the Nursery. If you have a worry or concern regarding your child please bring any concerns to her. In her absence please see

Mrs G. McCotter Vice Principal (based in St Paul’s Primary school) contact her on 90328968



