



## Lydiard Millicent After School Club

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Dear all,

I hope everybody has a great Easter break and look forward to seeing everyone after the holidays. Just a quick reminder that Caroline is on holiday until April 19<sup>th</sup> at 3pm and will not be able to access her email until this time. Cindy Humphries will be managing the club in her absence. If you need to contact Cindy to book or cancel sessions or for any other reason please ring 01793 772981 to speak to her as she will not be able to access Caroline's email.

### September bookings

As you may have noticed the club is exceptionally busy on some days. In July our year 6's are leaving to go to big school which will ease pressure on places for a while. If you need to book extra sessions from September let Caroline know as soon as possible so that she can book your sessions before the new reception children request places in June/ July.

### Staff changes

During the last newsletter I mentioned that we needed an extra member of staff as we needed to expand to more than 24 places per session. We have now recruited Amy Mutlow as our fourth person who some people will know from Pre-School. Additionally, we are in the process of recruiting Lisa French and Fereshteh Beiki who also both work at pre-school as bank staff for emergencies such as staff sickness or when staff need cover for training days or holidays.

### Clubs

Please can you let the club know if your child is going to be attending an after school club at the school in the new term. There are a few new clubs starting after Easter and we do not know which

children have been allocated spaces on which club.

### Chicks

The children have been enjoying the chick hatching and naming their eggs as well as holding them before they grew so big that they flapped away across the room. The chicks have now gone to live on a farm with one of the after school club children. We would like to undertake this activity again by popular request from the children. Do you know anyone who could home any sort of birds after we hatch them? If you do please let us know.

### Role play corner

During the May half term Caroline is hoping to build a dinosaur den. Do you have any dinosaurs, dinosaur material such as curtains or a duvet cover, dinosaur books or fake foliage such as shrubs, leaves, ivy or plants, the bigger the better, that you no longer want or need and could donate to the after school club?

### Committee meeting

Did you know that that the after school club is a registered charity and needs an elected committee to operate? Our next committee meeting is on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> April at 6pm. We would love to see more parents attend and everybody is welcome. The club is ran by parents for parents and this is when the decision making happens. If you would like to a part of this then come along..

### AOB

Please keep Caroline up to date with any changes to your email address so that you continue to receive ASC correspondence.

Have you changed your telephone number, either home or mobile or moved house recently? Please can you let the club know? We are not always able to contact parents on the emergency contact numbers that we are given. Could we get hold of you at all times if we needed to?

Kind regards

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