



Newsletter October 2018

Welcome

We are now well into our first term and we welcome you all to Begbroke Playgroup. After a glorious summer break the children have come back full of beans. We would also like to welcome Finley and Thomas to playgroup and hope they enjoy their time with us.

Caroline

A huge CONGRATULATIONS to Caroline for passing her driving test first time, we are very happy for her and hope it makes her life easier.

Annual General Meeting

I was extremely pleased to see so many of our lovely parents attending the A.G.M this week. Without your support we could not run. We now have a very enthusiastic committee and look forward to all the fun fundraising activities they will organise. Thank you for giving up your precious time to enrich your children's learning.

On that note please could the new committee members fill in the online EY2 form at this link

<https://online.ofsted.gov.uk/OnlineOfsted/Default.aspx> click on the orange box at the bottom of the link and follow the instructions, if you need a guidance for this please ask one of the staff and we will print off our guide. Please complete this by 1st of November to comply with Ofsted rules, thank you. Existing members do not need to do this.

Safeguarding

A reminder that Safeguarding is **everyone's** responsibility. Everyone involved with children and families has a responsibility to identify concerns early, provide help and prevent concerns escalating. Oxfordshire Safeguarding Children Board run free online courses to help identify any safeguarding issues, please click on this link and find out more information <http://www.oscb.org.uk> -they are updating their website so please be patient.

Notice board

We are in the process of updating our notice boards and website, please check these out for more important information.

Please fill in the questionnaire, at the back of this newsletter, and hand it to a member of staff when completed. Your child's keyperson board is on the wall as you go into playgroup's main room if you are unsure, thank you.