## END OF SUMMER

# MUDDY BOOTS news

#### AUTUMN TERM:

We hope you have all had a fantastic summer and we wish all of our school leavers all the luck in the world for their next big adventure!

As we head into the Autumn term you should be expecting your start of term assessments. These will be completed on Baby's Days by your kids key person. These assessments follow on from the end of term reports and will help us plan for the coming weeks.

Autumn is a fantastic term, full of colour, sparkling lights and cosy days. Please keep your eyes peeled for setting specific events that will be sent to you by the managers and room leaders.

Halloween Party dates for everyone: Pinhoe: October 27th The Farm: October 28th Tiverton: October 31st

Sparklers in the garden: November 4th for everyone, children already attending the setting on this day will be enjoying sparklers and hot chocolate before home time. If you'd like to come along please let us know.

Christmas week of activities: Monday 19th - Friday 23rd December



#### TERM DATES:

Start of term: September 5th

Half term: October 24th - 28th

Christmas holidays: Monday 19th - January 3rd

We will only be closed December 26th -January 3rd



### MUDDY BOOTS AT HOME:

After the summer break, Muddy Boots at Home will be back this month, to accompany the book of the month.

The below link will take you to Muddy Boots at Home.

You can find fun activity ideas, book of the month and very soon we will have fact sheets and support information for difficult subjects, such as biting and speech and language.

https://www.getyourbootsmuddy.com/muddy-boots-athome/

## THE ECO SHOP:

We believe in giving children the best possible start in life from the clothes they wear to their early education,

Our little shop allows parents to purchase nursery essentials that are Eco-friendly, sustainably sourced and designed to last. With outdoors education and little adventures at the heart of everything we loving curate.

https://www.getyourbootsmuddy.com/eco-shop/

10% discount: MUDDYBOOTSFAMILY

and collection is free

If you would like to see anything specific stocked, or if we can add anything at discounted prices to help you, let us know!



## **MUDDY BOOTS FREE-CYCLE:**

The free cycle bags are continuing to be a huge success!.

You can order a bag via the Muddy Boots teams or by email, let us know the age you are looking for, we will put together a pack and send it to you asap!

## **MUDDY BOOTS PARTY KIT:**

Our first party kit is now available to borrow, for Muddy Boots families and the wider community:

https://www.partykitnetwork.org/uk/

PROGRESS and ACHIEVEMENTS:

over the summer we have welcomed our Tiverton team into the Muddy Boots family, it is a really wonderful place to be, with fantastic children, passionate staff and incredibly welcoming families.

Whilst taking on this new project we have also completed the new building in Pinhoe and built a new 'Cocoon room' at the Farm in Newton St Cyres.

We are always looking to ensure our existing teams receive the same levels of investment as the new spaces and if you would like to come and view any of these areas or learn more please ask.

Over the Summer we have completed over 20 courses as a team, both in statutory and non-statutory topics. These have included, Autism Awareness, Speech and Language, Makaton, Prevent Duty, Paediatric First Aid and much more!

If you would like to discuss your key-persons qualifications, CPD plan or suggest any areas for development please contact the teams directly or email: hello@getyourbootsmuddy.com

We are very proud of the PINHOE team following their Ofsted inspection and we will release further details as soon as we are allowed.

# WE ARE WILDLIFE FRIENDLY:

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Well done to the farm team for receiving this award.



