



# Newsletter: 26th February 2018

*Rising Fives Pre-School Group, Whitchurch*

## **Snow Closure**

As the weather seems to have turned extremely wintery this week if we do have to close because of the snow we will post it on facebook, put it on the Hampshire County Council website and email parents. If you are unsure whether the preschool is open you can call our emergency mobile on 07563095756. Although we are very reluctant to close the preschool the safety of staff and children remain paramount.

## **Mother's Day**

We are opening a special 'shop' to celebrate Mother's Day next week. If you would like your child to take part, please can they bring in a £1 in a named envelope the week beginning Monday 5th March so they can purchase a special gift for a Mummy or someone special.

## **Helping your Child to Learn**

### Nursery Rhyme of the Week

Our rhyme this week is the 'Chick, chick, chick, chick chicken'.

A copy of the song is attached for you to practice and enjoy at home.

### Once Upon a Rhyme

We have a few places left on our Once Upon a Rhyme on Wednesday 7th March 2018 at Rising Fives from 1.45 to 2.45. The book for this session is "We're going on a bear hunt". The cost is £4 for the session and if you are interested please let us know.

### World Book Day - 1st March 2018

Each child will receive a World Day book token this week - please look out for them in your child's folder.

On Thursday 1st March, children are welcome to come dressed up as their favourite book character if they would like to and bring in a story to share.

## **Diary Dates**

1st March	World Book Day
7th March	Once Upon a Rhyme 1.45 - 2.45
14th and 24th March	Parents Afternoon
29th March - 13th April	Easter Event Easter holiday

## **Committee News**

Committee Help needed

We have a few fundraising events coming up in the next few weeks and would be extremely grateful for any help.

Firstly all the proceeds from the coffee morning at the Methodist chapel in Whitchurch is going to Rising Fives in March. We also have our Easter Event on the 24th March. If anyone is available to help or would like more information we would love to hear from you.

*All of the Rising Fives Team*