

Newsletter

18th May 2026



Sponsored Walk

Thursday 4th June

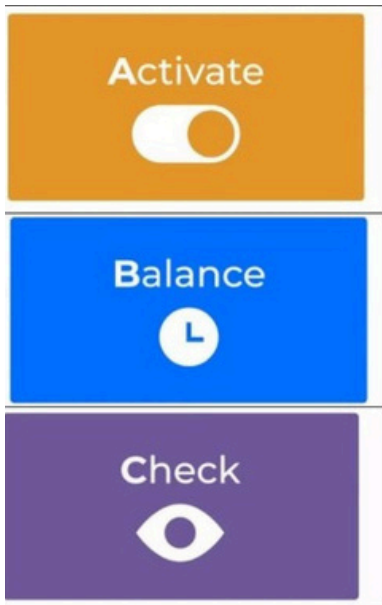
As part of the Alton Walking Festival, Walk with Wheels Week, the children will be doing their own sponsored walk. We aim to walk a combined 60 laps of Anstey Junior School Field.

If you or any of your family and/or friends are able to sponsor your child, we would be very grateful as we raise money to update our Lending Library.

Please pay any outstanding nursery or lunch club fees by Friday 22nd May.

Online ABC checklist for under 5's

We know that more and more children are using tablets or borrowing family devices to play games, explore apps, and watch their favourite shows. Here are some simple, practical tips to help you support your child in staying safe while they're online.



Set up child accounts on shared devices

Password protect on streaming services (e.g. Netflix)

Set parental controls on smart TVs

Create child profiles on platforms your child uses

Set timers to take regular breaks

Play, watch and discover together online

Focus on face-to-face interactions or apps that promote active play

Are apps right for the age and maturity level of your child?

Talk about how your child feels when they are watching things online

Talk about what to do if they see something they don't understand or that worries them - like talk to you or another adult

We are here to help!

OUR SAFEGUARDING TEAM

Becky, Tammy, Sarah, Amanda or Jess.

If you have any concerns about the health and safety of a child attending the centre, or feel something is troubling them, please share this information with a member of the safeguarding team.

OUR OFFICE TEAM

Tammy, Suzy and Emma.

Don't forget to let us know if your child is going to be absent for any reason.

Also, any information changes - telephone numbers, address.

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Dates for your Diary

Half Term

Nursery closed
25th - 29th May

Sponsored Walk
4th June

Nursery will be
closed

19th June 2026
for staff training

Summer Holidays

Our last day of term
is
Wednesday
22nd July



MAY HALF TERM STAY & PLAY

WED 27TH | 10-11.30AM
MAY | 1-2.30PM

Enjoy a session with our experienced team full of fun crafting activities, a wide range of toys and outdoor space for your child to play

**BABIES
TODDLERS
CHILDREN WITH SEND
AGED 0-5 ARE ALL
WELCOME**

These sessions must be booked in advance by 20th May to confirm your space. Please use the QR code to book

**Bushy Leaze
Family Support**

**COMMUNITY
FUND**

Bushy Leaze Children & Families Centre
Eastbrooke Road, Alton, HANTS, GU34 2DR
www.bushyleaze.co.uk
Registered Charity Number: 1195659



Too Many Cuddly Toys?

We need clean and cuddly soft toys for our tombolas. Please bring them to the office.

6th June - Alton Lions D-Day in the Park
28th June - Victorian Cricket
5th July - Thank You Alton Day

Change of Venue for Saturday Dads! - 6th June



Come and join us at Alton Public Gardens for Alton Lions Party in the Park.



SUMMER TERM WEEKLY GROUPS



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Saturday
You and Your Baby 10-11.30am	You and Your Toddler 9.30-11am	Bushy Tales 9.15-10.30am HV Drop-in Advice Clinic 11-12.30pm	You and Your Toddler 9.30-11am	Saturday Dads (1 st Sat of the month) 9.30-11am
Baby Massage (pre-booked spaces only) 1-2.30pm	Young Parents 1-2.30pm	You and Your Baby 1-2.30pm		Little Squirrels (3 rd Sat of the month) 9.30-11am

Governors Wanted!

If you feel like an exciting challenge and helping to shape the future of a unique setting, then why not become a governor at Bushy Leaze.

A Governing Body is designed to reflect the community in which the school is situated. Our Governors come from different backgrounds, but all with a common desire to take an active role in the life of the Centre. They encourage new ideas, support staff and act as critical friends to discuss issues relevant to the management of the nursery.

Governors are elected to serve for 4 years and meet six times a year at Bushy Leaze, as well as attend ad-hoc meetings (e.g. the Pay Committee), carry out visits and training.

**For more information, contact our Chair of Governors - Anne Davies
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