

# Newsletter

9th February 2026

## Safer Internet Day

10<sup>th</sup> February

The internet can be fun for young children, especially when you explore it together. Spending time online with your child helps you guide them and keep them safe.

Using parental controls on things like smart TVs or voice assistants can also protect them from unsuitable content.

Most importantly, let your child know they can always talk to you if something online worries them.

For more information visit

[www.saferinternetday.org](http://www.saferinternetday.org)

## This year's focus is on the growing impact of AI

We all know that it can affect our wellbeing, so here's a short video you may find helpful.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zwy4s82>

## We are here to help!

### OUR SAFEGUARDING TEAM

Becky, Tammy, Sarah 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.

## Play Today Sessions

**The Den - Monday**

**9th Feb - 11am and  
3pm**

(please could 30 hour parents try to attend the afternoon session)

**The Burrow - Tues**

**10th Feb - 11.30 and  
2.30**

**The Nest - Weds**

**11th Feb - 11am and  
3pm**

Sign up at the office.



**Cake  
Sale**

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February**

To raise funds for our allotment and wildlife garden.

### 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

**Nursery will be  
closed**

**Half Term**  
**Nursery closed**  
**16<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> February**

**13<sup>th</sup> April 2026**  
**19<sup>th</sup> June 2026**  
**for staff training**

**Easter Holidays**  
**Nursery closed**  
**30<sup>th</sup> March - 10<sup>th</sup> April**  
13<sup>th</sup> April INSET day



## Family Support Update



JOIN US FOR

# February Half Term Stay & Play

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

**MON 16TH | 10-11.30AM**  
**FEB 1-2.30PM**

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

These sessions must be booked in advance by 11th February to confirm your space. Please use the QR code to book

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www.bushyleaze.co.uk  
Registered Charity Number: 1195659

## Saturday Dads

**SATURDAY**  
**9.30 - 11 AM**

A stay and play session for all dads and male carers with children under 5 on the first Saturday of each month

A light breakfast is provided to all families

Spring Term 2026  
10<sup>th</sup> January

## Little Squirrels

**SATURDAY**  
**9.30 - 11 AM**

An inclusive SEND family stay and play group running every third Saturday of each month for families with children under 5

Experienced Practitioners  
Social Play  
Safe and Supportive Environment

Spring Term 2026

<b>Monday</b>	<b>You and Your Baby</b> 10 - 11.30am  <b>Baby Massage</b> (booking required) 1 - 2.30pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>You and Your Toddler</b> 9.30 - 11am  <b>Young Parents</b> 1 - 2.30pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Bushy Tales (SEND group)</b> 9.15 - 10.30am  <b>Health Visitor Clinic</b> 11 - 12.30pm  <b>You and Your Baby</b> 1 - 2.30pm
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>You and Your Toddler</b> 9.30 - 11am

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