



OSCARS March 2016

The last parents meeting was held on Tuesday 8th March but unfortunately for OSCARS no parents attended. Whilst we take this as a sign that you are satisfied with the service we provide, we have seen a decline in parental support over the last couple of years. We have 4 committee members leaving at the end of the school year and without a committee OSCARS cannot run. It is imperative we have parents join so that we can ensure OSCARS continues for us all. Our A.G.M. will be held on Tuesday 14th June at 7p.m. where we will elect the committee for the next year. Please consider if you could spare a couple of hours every 6 weeks to become a committee member. Please see Pam for more details.



19 out of 100 potential replies were received from the survey we sent out at the beginning of the year and this was one of the items due to

be shared at the Parents Meeting. All the results were discussed by the committee and we would like to share with you the following comments and thoughts:

What do you like most about OSCARS?

- Very friendly and nice and small, not too many children
- My children feel comfortable there. You open in the holidays allowing for continuity of care.
- I love how well you work as a team. I feel 100% confident when I leave my child with you no matter who is working that they will have consistent care.
- Efficient, well organised, trust my child in your care.

What do you like least about OSCARS?

- Less appealing for older children - so can we have some ideas please !
- 7.45 start. Wish it was 7.30 - we did survey for this 2 years ago and there was not enough take up to warrant the legal work we would have to do to extend.

All 19 respondents said they would recommend us. Thank you

Easter Playscheme is proving to be

very popular, we are now fully booked on 31st March, 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th April. There is still

time to book for our trip to Cattle Country on 30th March.

We have tried to keep the cost as low as possible and the

trip is being subsidised by OSCARS. You can book for a school day as we aim to have returned to OSCARS by 3.45pm.



May/June playscheme booking forms will be available from week beginning

11th April. The theme is Football and France with plenty of themed activities to keep your children



occupied!

FCCE have an In-Service day on Monday 6th June and you can book for that at the same time as for the Half



Term. Monday 6th will also be the first date to book for the Summer Playscheme.

As I expect you realise our children love playing on computer games! We still use a PS2 but the children keep adding wishes in the 'wish box' for an upgrade. If you were upgrading yourselves, would you consider offering us the chance to buy? We would need console, controllers and suitable games i.e. suitable for under 11 years of age.

Due to an increasing number of children with nut allergies OSCARS is NUT FREE* so will you please help us continue this by using nut free products for your children's snacks and lunch boxes. We will continue to discourage the sharing of food. *no jokes about staff please, been there, done that etc.!

