

Our Place

Issue 6



Craft Fair Fun...

Thank you so much to everyone who contributed to this year's Craft Fair. Over 200 people came and played, took part in the raffle and bought lots from the fantastic selection of stalls. We managed to raise over £1,700 for Thomley - thank you!

Special offers for January 2016...

Book now for January and take advantage of these fantastic offers:

Adults - free sensory session on any Tuesday in January.
Booking Code: 'AdultSensory'.

Preschool - bring a new friend for free on any Wednesday in January.
Booking code: 'Preschoolfriend'.

50% off your booking donation - for everybody booked on Saturday 16th January. Booking code: '50%Saturday'.

To take advantage of these offers, please quote the code when booking with Courtney on: bookings@thomley.org.uk or call: 01844 338380

ALSO: Annual Membership - all new members get 10% off when signing up to start from January 1st 2016.

Upcoming workshops...



Jack and The Beanstalk pantomime Saturday 5th December

Last year it was Aladdin, and they were so good we've brought 'West End in Schools' back to put on another show.

The interactive and laid back performance is a fantastic opportunity for children of all abilities to experience a relaxed show, without the hustle and bustle of going to a theatre!

Thomley's Christmas Pyjama Party Saturday 19th December



The Christmas party is always a firm favourite with our families. Come in your pyjamas (if you want to) and kick off the Christmas holidays in style. Santa will be here to take any final orders from the children and you can have a sing-song with the choir!

Christmas week Mon 21st - Wed 23rd December

We expect these days to fill out very quickly, as all three are 'Quiet Days', aiming to give you a nice relaxing day at what can be a stressful time of year for some families. Activities are mainly Christmas related, but if you'd rather avoid the whole Christmas thing, just let our staff know and there will be plenty for everyone to do!



We are then closed from December 24th and reopen on Saturday 2nd January for a Community Day. We are also open on Monday 4th January for a 'Family Day' with some great activities including den building.

What is that?

Have you been wondering what that new building is at Thomley? We still have a bit more work to do, but when the Cafe is built in place of the current Music Room, all of your musical beats can be played in this new fully-accessible Music Box.



We do birthday parties!

Looking for a venue to celebrate your child's birthday? Look no further! Make the most of the huge range of activities on offer with all your family and friends. Book twenty children or more to use all our facilities and add on extras, such as use of the sensory room, a theme for your party, an art and craft or physical activity, led by one of the Thomley team. We will also give you your own room for an hour to eat your party lunch or play some party games.

If you are interested in holding a party with us please get in touch with Courtney on: bookings@thomley.org.uk or call: 01844 338380

We are still Recruiting!

We are still very keen to employ Playworkers! Do you work term time only and could do with the additional money from working holidays? Are you looking to gain experience in working with disabled people? Do you have a disability and think you can offer valuable life experience to other young people that use our services? We are looking for people to start immediately or at their own convenience.

Please get in touch with Stan on: 01844 338380 or email him on: stan@thomley.org.uk

AGM: Friday 15th January, 12pm - all welcome
Please let Claire know if you're attending: claire@thomley.org.uk

October half term in pictures...



A message from our Centre Manager...

October half term was our busiest ever, a BIG thankyou to all families and young people who got involved. From animation with Anna, to making butter beer with Amy, and pumpkin carving with me, we've enjoyed every minute. It was awesome to hear that you enjoyed external workshops like Quiditch with Ignite Sport, woodwork with Paul and science experiments which were explosively fun!

All in all, it was a spooktacular week, with over 300 young people visiting. We hope that you enjoy our Winter activities just as much!

Events to look forward to are Lego day, Christmas Panto, Santa & the Choir and much more. Check out our online calendar or speak to Courtney at reception for further details.

For now, my team and I would like to wish you all a fun filled couple of months as we head towards Christmas and we hope to spend the most wonderful time of the year with all of you here at Thomley!

Hayley

