

Our CLB Team

Clare Bear - Owner/Manager/
Designated Safeguarding Person

Miss Lisa - Deputy Manager/
SENCO/Designated Safeguarding
Person

Early Years Practitioners

Miss Adelaide (Senco Support),
Miss Emily, Miss Lizzie (Health
and Safety Officer), Miss Rachel,
Miss Amanda

Forest School

Miss Jaineen - Leader

**Miss Natalie - Forest School
Assistant**

Miss Sarah - Staff Support and
Tapestry Specialist

Help when needed:

**Childminders/Retired
practitioners/Volunteers/
Students from NHC and
Parents.**

Policies and Procedures: Our
policies and procedures are all on
our website available for download
at any time.

www.clareslittlebears.co.uk. We
also have hard copies in the
setting. Please feel free to discuss
with me any policies, as we get to
know each other. Occasionally I
will email you ones that may come
up from time to time. ie
Complaints, Safeguarding, etc.

TRANSITIONS

Teacher visits will be carried out
this week and next.



Clare's little bears
Pre-school



SAFETY WARNING !

**Please close the main front gate on
entering and exiting the premises,
to keep our little bears safe.**

Welcome to Clare's Little Bears Summer Newsletter

**Welcome back, I hope you had a fabulous half
term. Please make a warm welcome to our
new little bears.**

Summer Term 2

Week 6 - 3/06 - SCIENCE

Week 7 - 10/06 - FATHERS DAY/TEDDY BEARS PICNIC

Week 8 - 17/06 - PET WEEK

Week 9 - 24/06 - HOLIDAY/CAMPING

Week 10 - 01/07 - UNDER THE SEA

Week 11 - 08/07 - PIRATES AND PRINCESSES

Week 12 - 15/07 - CIRCUS

Please encourage your child to bring a **SMALL** item related
to the topic each week for our daily 'Treasure basket' ie,
cuddly toy, a book, unusual items are always a big interest.

CLB OPEN MORNING (for new starters in 2019/2020)

Saturday 6th July 9.30-11am also

Letchmore School Fete 11-3pm



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**LETCHMORE
SCHOOL
WALKING BEARS**
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We will be offering our little bears (who are transitioning to Letchmore Nursery or reception) in Sept 2019, a walk to school when we collect our BIG bears at 1130am. Please let us know if you would like to volunteer.

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FOREST SCHOOL
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Please remember to take your child's creations from forest school.

UNIFORM - WE HAVE STOCK, PLEASE ASK MEMBER OF STAFF.

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Fathers Day- Teddy Bears Picnic

Friday 14th June 12pm

Please bring a healthy packed lunch for yourself and child.

All Welcome

Reminders:

- Please update Famly for contact details, new phone numbers, change of address, medical information especially allergies and make us aware immediately.
- Please put bags on top of the purple welly rack and coats on the pegs in dry weather.
- Please **LABEL** all your child's belongings, water bottle, hats, uniform etc we are not responsible for lost items.
- Please apply sun cream to your child on hot days. Children with us all day, bring in sun cream labelled. Please ensure your child has a sunhat and fresh water in a clean bottle each day.
- Please bring in a drawstring nylon bag for you
- child's wellington boots.



Please like and follow our face book page Clare's Little Bears Pre-school and Childcare Service and/or Instagram.

We will inform you of Parent information updates, sudden closures due to bad weather or unforeseen circumstances plus much more helpful tips.

PARENT QUESTIONNAIRES - I will be sending home a parent questionnaire this week in your child's book bags. I would be most grateful if you could complete and return them to Lisa by next Friday 14th June.

WOW MOMENTS - Thank you for sharing all your wonderful WOW moments with us all, please keep them coming.

FAMILY - Please communicate on Famly with your key worker, and little bears staff so we all get the message. It is busy at drop off and pick ups, it then ensures everyone is in the loop



TAPESTRY - As part of our 'Parent Working in Partnership' we are hopeful that all parents contribute ideas regarding their child's interests and learning, especially on Tapestry. What this means? Please like and comment on your child's photos and observations, add your own home life learning observations and photos regularly. We can then talk to them about life outside CLB, this aids children's vocabulary to talk freely about their homes, families, and outside school events. We hope you will support this for your child continuously. Any log in problems please speak to a member of the team.

LITTLE URCHINS PHOTOS - Please return your photos and payment by Wednesday 12th June.

SUPERSTAR SPORTS - Once again will be on Monday mornings with Robbie and we will look to change the day after Half term. I would be grateful for the contribution of £1 per child every Monday.

FIRE ALARM CHECKS - We will be running a fire alarm test regularly with the children throughout the school year.



CLB CAMPING/GLAMPING WEEKEND- Friday 19TH/20TH/21ST JULY- Church Farm, Ardeley, SG2 7AH

There will be space for 20-30 Tents.

Please book your space or cabin using the website <https://www.churchfarmardeley.co.uk/camping-cabin-hire> put in the note section you are camping with Clare's Little Bears and our booking ID below

Booking ID:	LNRR-19041 9
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Please confirm when you have booked your place. EXCITING!!!

We are setting up a group of parent volunteers to make this a fantastic start of summer festival. Any help or ideas are much appreciated. Please inform us as soon as possible if you would like to help out and join this group.

HOLIDAYS/HOURS - Please can you notify me in writing your holiday dates and when you will NOT be sending your child to us. Please give at least **FOUR WEEKS** notice.

DATES FOR THE DIARY:- Summer Term 2 - 2019

Open Morning - Saturday 6th July 9.30-11am

Letchmore School Summer Fete - Saturday 6th July 11-3pm

Summer Term - Tuesday 23rd April- Friday 19th July

Teddy Bears Picnic - 14th June - Parents and Carers invited for a picnic to be confirmed nearer the time

Fathers Day -Sunday 16th June

Camping Festival at Church Farm Ardeley - 19th, 20th, 21st July - Main event Saturday 20th

END OF TERM - FRIDAY 19TH JULY FREE FUNDED CHILDREN (**All afternoon bears to bring in lunch, start at 12pm and finish at 3pm**)

PRIVATE FUNDED CHILDREN FINISH - 24TH JULY Morning session only (Lunch club finish 1245pm)

We would be happy to stay open the school holidays every day but I would need firm bookings

Autumn Term - 3rd September - 20th December 2019

Spring Term - 6th January - 3rd April 2020

Summer Term - 20th April - 20th July 2020

Autumn Term - 1st September - 18th December 2020

Thank you for your support.

Clare and the CLB team