

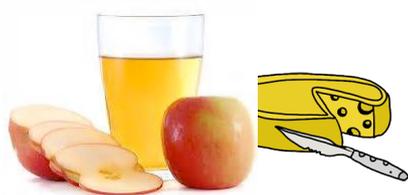


## OSCARS Newsletter ~ June 2015



There are places still available for Summer Playscheme and booking forms are on line at [www.oscarschildcare.org.uk](http://www.oscarschildcare.org.uk) and from the desk in Oscars. Some days have filled very quickly so please feel free to ring and check before booking.

As reported in our last newsletter Ofsted finally made their inspection visit. The outcome was 'GOOD' with an 'OUTSTANDING' for our contribution to the well-being of the children. To read the full report please go to [www.Ofsted.gov.uk](http://www.Ofsted.gov.uk). or if you would like a hard copy please ask Pam.



**OSCARS**  
committee

would like to invite you to a **Cider and Cheese Tasting** evening on **Tuesday 7th July** at 7p.m. The

**A.G.M. will follow.** To maintain our high standards we need the support of all our parents. This is a good chance to find out all that goes on to make Oscars successful. If you would like to join the committee please see Pam. The committee meets about once every 6 weeks (and not during school holidays).

### Committee Member Profile

My name is Michelle Gold and I have been involved with Oscars for the past 3 years, first as a committee member then Vice Treasurer and I currently hold the position as Treasurer. In my profession, I could be described as a 'Bean' counter, but in my case, I count Apples! as the Financial Accountant for Thatchers Cider in Somerset. Without OSCARS, I would not be able to have an Accountancy career, therefore I am happy that I can bring my knowledge and experience to support a valuable asset for all that attend. As Treasurer, I prepare Oscars Annual Accounts, pay the staff each month, pay the bills and reconcile receipts of your childcare payments. I have 2 girls who attend both FCCE and Oscars. They both love their time spent in Oscars, whether it is in the art corner drawing, out and about playing with their friends or beating Claire at Scrabble!



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### **HELP! We need a roofer.**

**Please see Pam if you know or can recommend someone to look at some issues we have with our flat roof.**

Continuing our series of staff profiles.

### **Wendy Day - Supervisory Playworker**

I have thoroughly enjoyed my 12 years working at Oscars. I did 2 years at college to gain my level 2 and 3 in playwork to enable me to become a supervisor. I enjoy doing Sudoku and word puzzles. My two favourite places to go on holiday are Torquay and Barcelona.

I have two children, Michael and Stephanie and have recently become a grandmother for the first time to the gorgeous Eva Belle.



OSCARS will be open on 4<sup>th</sup> July during the school fair for new parents to look around and see the super childcare we offer. If you know of anyone who would be interested in using our service, please send them our way!

We are now fund raising for new tables in the art area. Price lists and order forms are available in OSCARS. You will be able to see examples of the items we have available for your children to decorate. Mugs, wooden tea light holders, various styles of key rings and coasters would make ideal gifts. We also have trinket boxes, little flower pots and glass votive candleholders.

•Please can we remind you that breakfast is served until 8.15 during term time and Playschemes

•We are also 'nut-free' so require that children do not bring any nut products in their lunch boxes. We have children that are allergic to nuts so appreciate your support in this matter.