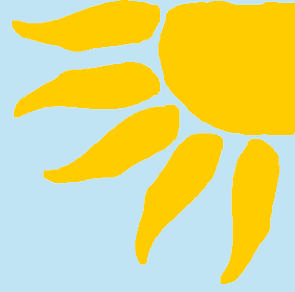




Ecclesall
Kids Club



NEWSLETTER



May 2026

Welcome to our Summer newsletter we hope our parents & carers find this helpful in keeping up with our news and finding out what the children have been doing and will be doing at Ecclesall Kids Club throughout the year. Don't forget to check out our website www.ecclesallkids.club/ekc/

Activities EYFS Group 1 & Group 2



EYFS/Group 1 – Our EYFS topic this term is 'Growth'. We will be doing activities themed around plants and human growth. We will also be doing a bit of dental hygiene. We are in the middle of updating our outdoor toys for the summer. Adding some large cars have been a big hit. We are hoping to add some large dinosaur toys if you have any you would like to donate.

Group 2 – Over the past few weeks, group 2 have been enjoying a variety of crafts, pottery painting has been a big hit along with Junk modelling. The children have also created Mothers Day crafts, along with celebrating Chinese New year and Eid. As the weather is improving, outside is becoming increasingly popular, which is lovely to see the children back outside enjoying the extra space and having lots of fun with friends.

Summer Holiday Club August 2026

Please check out our holiday club plans for the summer holidays which we will be advertising shortly on our website we will be including some very exciting new activities and trips. The holiday club will be running on the below dates:



4th-6th August 2026 – 3 Days

10th -13th August 2026 – 4 Days

17th-20th August 2026 – 4 Days

24th -27th August 2026- 4 Days



Please make any bookings through Magic booking and check on the website for the holiday club details and charges

Kids Club Voicemail

We have a voice mail which parents can leave a message on 24/7. This would be preferred for any on the day cancellations rather than email as this won't get passed on to us on time and then we may have to implement the missing child policy we have in place. If your child is also attending another club before coming to us, you still must inform us

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Exciting news! EKC will soon be getting a new Facebook Page to follow, a communication will be sent out once this is in place so keep a look out.



EKC New Reception September Starters

We are looking forward to welcoming our new reception starters in September, in July the parents of new starter reception children will receive details about what the club offers and they will be sent across all about me forms that we ask parents to complete before their child starts – this includes information about the child's likes/dislikes any allergies and health information and general details to ensure we have all the information we need to provide the best care.



Ofsted Inspection

The Ofsted inspection took place on Tuesday 24th March 2026 Afterschool club. Ofsted regulates our support for early years children (aged 5 and under) and our registration as a childcare provider.

The inspection went well and we are very pleased to inform you that we met expected standards in all areas. The inspector was very complimentary and commented that the club leaders have fully reviewed their practice to make positive improvements since the last inspection and that there are well-established links with the host school to support all children.

It was highlighted that we have clear procedures and routines that positively support children's behaviour from the time they join the club and that the EKC staff are warm and caring role models overall. A copy of the Report can be seen on our website www.ecclesallkids.club/ekc/

Thank you to all our parents and carers for your continuous support during this time

New Recruits & Staff Changes

Big Congratulations to Tammy Mason our Club Play manager and Jack Midwood our Deputy Manager on the birth of your beautiful baby girl!

Jack Midwood will be stepping in as the co Play manager alongside Natalie Lunn while Tammy is taking maternity leave. Sherradee Pilgrim will be covering the Deputy play manager position during the maternity leave period.

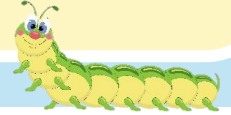
We welcome to the club some new members, Hannah who is a new keyworker change in EYFS, if your child is in the Koala class Hannah will introduce herself to you. We also welcome Mya, Sadie, Grace, Erin and Greta.



EKC Committee Changes

We say a big thank you and a farewell to two of our long-term committee members Bob the Chairman and Grazina the Treasurer who have supported, driven forward and given EKC the time and dedication over the years to help it thrive you will be missed by all staff and the committee team. We have Amy who is now the new chair for EKC and Tassie who is the new treasurer we are delighted to have both take on these positions in the committee team.

Our Voluntary Parent Committee sets the direction for the club and leads, our strategic direction, policies and finance, we welcome new parents to join us, please email us at Ecclesallkids@gmail.com for more information.



Parent Survey

We would like to thank all parents that took part in the parent survey, this helps us determine what can be improved/ any changes needed, it also gives us a good idea of what parents/children think of the club/ facilities and activities. The data and a report will be shortly added to the website so you can see the results.

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