

# Baby Steps

Advertising Feature

## Spikes and Curls

ANY first moment in your child's life is always special.

Their first words, first crawl, first walk and even their first hair cut. Spikes and Curls, dedicated children's hairdressers, would like to share and commemorate this special occasion by offering its first hair cut service.

Children and parents are warmly greeted by the experienced staff. Each child has the opportunity to sit in a fire engine- or aeroplane-shaped chair and enjoy watching TV while having their hair cut.

A photograph is taken at the end of the hair cut and encapsulated into a certificate with a lock of the child's hair. The perfect memento of another first moment.

The salon is a safe, bright and fun environment and caters for children of all ages. Child-sized salon chairs, a soak zone for hair washing, a spacious waiting area with toys and books. Sony PSPs for older children and DVDs playing at every station.

Spikes and Curls welcomes any anxious or nervous children to the salon.

For further tips and advice on how to help anxious or worried children go to the website [www.spikesandcurls.com](http://www.spikesandcurls.com)

For more information or to book an appointment at Spikes and Curls call 01252 711121.

## Asquith Nursery

CHILDREN at Asquith Nursery Woking are eating up!

Asquith has been working with celebrity children's chef and author Annabel Karmel to develop and introduce exciting

and nutritious new menus in all its nurseries.

The new menus are a real hit with the children - and just to prove it, the nursery has arranged a food tasting evening on April 25 at 7pm.

Prospective parents are invited to join the nursery team and existing parents to taste selected dishes.

Another social event at the nursery which is sure to cook up a storm is The Pampered Chef Night on May 3 at 7.45pm.

Not only are there recipe demonstrations but a prize draw with prizes including use of an Audi TT for a weekend, free family membership to David Lloyd Leisure for one month and gift tokens from Sak's Hair and Beauty among many others. Entrance is £3 and all proceeds will go to The Royal Marsden Cancer Campaign.

The Woking Nursery has places for 36 children and is part of the Asquith Nurseries group that was founded in 1989.

More details from nursery manager Sarah Humphrys, on 01483 712910.

Website: [www.asquithnurseries.co.uk](http://www.asquithnurseries.co.uk)

## Lillianna's Montessori

LILLIANNA'S Montessori is a stunning new day care and nursery which celebrated its opening with a very successful open day on Saturday last week.

The premises cater for children aged from birth up to eight years, and is open 51 weeks of the year from 8am to 6pm.

The property is nestled in



Having fun at Lillianna's Montessori nursery.

nearly three acres of land, and the former Victorian school building, was full of parents and children to help celebrate the opening. One lucky child even won a month's free day care.

All age groups are offered a stimulating, educational environment. Each child is nurtured individually and at their own pace, in a true "home away from home" setting.

There is a stunning play village in the garden, with slides, swings, look out towers, or simply a few acres to run in.

Call Carolina on 01403 753530 for further information, or see [www.lillianas.com](http://www.lillianas.com)

## Caring Daycare

CARING Daycare is one of Surrey's longest established providers of day care and education for children from birth to five years of age.

Founded in Haslemere in 1989 there are now also excellent nurseries in Midhurst, Guildford, Dorking, and Woking.

Caring Daycare's facilities receive the highest ranking by Ofsted both for care and education. The approach to children which parents really appreciate is child centred based on the Montessori principles of the inherent goodness of the child.

Accredited for four years as Investors in People, Caring Daycare recognise the importance of a highly motivated, professionally trained and stable team of child carers in each nursery.

Details on 01428 661960 and

ask for Sam. website: [www.caringdaycare.co.uk](http://www.caringdaycare.co.uk)

## Parent Coach Approach

THE proprietor of Parent Coach Approach said: "Most parents will agree that parenting is the most difficult job that we do. When our children are small there is a great deal of help and information available.

"However, when young people move into secondary school problems can begin and it may be not only difficult to ask for help but also to know who to ask.

"As a parent coach with 20 years experience working with families I can offer you a one-to-one confidential support. It is a sign of good parenting to ask for help. See advertisement for more details.

## The Talent Shop

THE Talent Stop is once again excitedly preparing to hold its free trial enrolment days where any child who wants to try their classes can go along for free.

The successful part-time performing arts academy run by professional actress Avis Lily, is where children aged from two and a half to 13 years olds learn acting, dance and singing at weekends during term-time - and have a lot of laughs doing it.

Each weekly performing arts session is held on Sunday in Sandhurst and includes a combination of the three disciplines studying stage and TV acting, street and jazz dance as



Happy, smiling children at Asquith Nursery.

Confused about which nursery? This could help you pick the right one

At night nurseries, your child won't just receive expert care and attention from experienced staff, they'll also be fed healthy, nutritious food

## The Parent Coach Approach

The Parent Coach Approach offers a personal service to all parents and carers of young people aged 10-19 in the privacy of your own home  
I can help you make the changes you want including



Part-Time Performing