



What's happening at Nursery!

23rd February to 27th February 2015

Welcome back to the second half of Spring term. Can you believe that the children who are leaving us in July to go to reception in September this year only have one and a half terms left with us. All the children are growing up very fast and are showing how confident they have become. The children leaving us in July are really good role models to their younger friends in Nursery School. You can help and support your child to be more independent by allowing them to walk into nursery school - no more carrying them in! Let your child carry their own bag and hang up their own coat. Allowing your child to do things for themselves really helps with increasing their confidence and will also help you too!!

WORLD BOOK DAY

This year world book day is on Thursday 5th March.

At Nursery School we will be celebrating it on

Wednesday 3rd March.

We would like to invite parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles to come and join us to read with your child, share your child's or your own favourite story book. Perhaps you would be willing to read a story out loud in your home language or tell a traditional story from your country?

On Wednesday your child can dress up as their favourite story book or nursery rhyme character. Why not look on the internet for ideas for making your own masks or costume?

Net mums has some tips and ideas:-

<http://www.netmums.com/activities/g/tips-for-world-book-day-costumes>

Your child will bring home a book token. All you need to do is to take it to your local bookshop and swap it for one of the ten £1 World Book Day books! Or, if you'd prefer, you can use your book token to get £1 off any full price book or audio book instead!

Why not post a photo on Tapestry of you buying your book or reading it together at home?

Life Education Caravan

" There will be two parent sessions which you can attend to find out what your children will be learning about. You only need to attend one session.

" The session times are:- 8.50am to 9.10am OR 11.50am to 12.10pm

We will soon be sending out our letters offering places for children to start in September- if you or anyone you know has a child born between

1 September 2011 and 31 August 2012

They must have registered their child for a place with us for September.

We are also able to take some children who are born between 1st April 2012 and the 31st August 2012 (inclusive) if their families meet the eligibility criteria also used for free school meals.

Please ask at reception for more details.

Fruit for the café

Please can children in

Squirrels and Owls

bring in a few pieces of fruit this week to share in the café?

Next week it will be

the turn of

Caterpillars



Dates for your diary

Wednesday 25th February :- Life Education Centre Visit

Wednesday 4th March :- We will be celebrating World Book Day at Nursery School.

Tuesday 10th and Thursday 12th March The Language Alive Play House will be coming in to Nursery to present the story *By the riverbank* to the children.

Wednesday 11th March and Friday 13th March :- Mother's Day Concerts. More details to follow.

Parent Consultations will be taking place during the week beginning Monday 16th March - More details to follow.

Friday 27th March - last day of term. Nursery School is closed from Monday 30th March until Tuesday 14th April. (Monday 13th is a Teacher training day)