



What's happening at Nursery!

27th April to 1st May 2015

A really big thank you to all the parent volunteers who came along to support the visit to Ash End Farm last week. The visit was a great success and was not only great fun but also a really excellent opportunity for learning about animals and farms first hand. The children have carried on learning about farms and animals at Nursery school. Take a look at your child's Tapestry on line learning journal to see photographs of the visit and to find out what they have been learning about in Nursery school.

The good weather has allowed the children to spend a lot of time outside. They have been very active and have been taking part in lots of physical activities - collaborating and helping each other on the Asco equipment and the climbing frame as well as challenging their balancing on the bikes and scooters. They have also been planting some seeds and taking care of the plants in the garden and in the tubs.

Many of the children are also showing an interest in writing and mark making. They are looking really closely at the letters in their name and also beginning to write some words and letters from other friends' names and their families names. You can help your child by always writing their name with capital letter at the beginning of their name and using lower case letters for all the other letters - this is how they will learn to write in primary school.

Photographer

The photographer will be in Nursery school to take individual and keyworker group photographs on

Wednesday 13th May

If you wish to have a family photograph taken you must book this with staff at the office. These will take place at 8.30am or 11.45am.

Workshops for parents

Internet Safety Workshop for parents- Tuesday 12th May 8.45am to 9.45am and Friday 15th May 1.00pm to 2.30pm.

Chatter matters workshops - all about supporting your child's speech, language and communication. 18th May and 20th May - 9.00am to 11.00am or Thursday 2nd July 9.00am - 11.00am and Friday 3rd July 12.30 to 2.30pm. (Each course is made up of two sessions)

Fun with numbers workshops - These four sessions are all about how to support your child's Mathematical development. Information session 1st June and other sessions 8th, 15th and 22nd June 2015.

Look out for the fliers giving you more details. Please book with reception.

Free spaces for 3 and 4 year olds

We are currently allocating spaces for Nursery School for September 2015

If you or any of your friends and family have a child born between

1 September 2011 and 31 August 2012 they will be able to start Nursery school in September. Some children can start in the term of their third birthday if they meet the criteria. Please ask at the office for information.

Fruit for the café

Please can children in

Butterflies

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

Next week it will be the turn of

Hedgehogs and Woodpeckers



Monday 4th May - Bank Holiday - Nursery school is closed

Wednesday 6th May and Friday 8th May- Big thinking Workshops- look out for the flier for more details.

Thursday 7th May - Nursery school will be closed for the Local and General Elections.

Wednesday 13th May - Photographer in school

Wednesday 20th May Nursery school will be closed for induction sessions for the new children starting with us in September 2015.

We break up for the half term holiday on Friday 22nd May - Nursery School will be closed from Monday 25th May until Friday 29th May 2015