

kirktonholme @ Mearnswood Nursery

May/June newsletter

Acorns

As the sunny weather is approaching, could we ask parents to bring in sun cream and a hat, as we will be hopefully be spending lots of time outdoors exploring the garden and playing on the physical equipment. This helps the children develop their social skills and promote their physical development. We will also get the opportunity to go out on walks in the buggies, to gain awareness of our environment.

The babies will be encouraged to take part in activities, such as sand and water play, making sunshine biscuits, explore and investigate the summer wonder box, and dress up in summer clothes. These activities will help develop their independence, curiosity skills, promote language skills and form positive relationships with other babies.

We would like to welcome Andrew, Zac, Marcus, Rebecca, Noah and Lewis who have recently started in the baby room.



Willows

In the Willows room we are going to be learning about working together and sharing our toys. We will carry this out through activities such as building the train track, using the building blocks, water and sand play. The children are keen on the 'Wheels on the bus' song, therefore we will develop this interest by creating a bus on the wall. We will encourage the children to decorate the bus and add things that are from the song. Through this they will learn to use language to describe and ask questions and also share and take turns.

We are also encouraging the children to become more independent by putting on their own jackets for outdoor play, recognising their own shoes and attempting to put them on by themselves.

Oaks

Throughout the coming months in the Oaks we will be looking at numeracy, literacy and wellbeing and focusing on these areas to develop our ability in counting, language and looking after ourselves and others to name a few. This will encourage the children to become successful learners, confident individuals, effective contributors and responsible citizens. As the good weather is hopefully upon us, can we just remind everyone that on days of hot weather no children will be able to go in the garden or take part in outdoor experiences if they do not have sun cream and a hat.

In the Oaks the pre-schoolers will be very busy this month as they have lots to organise for our graduation on Saturday 19th June.

Reminder

Pre-school graduation on Saturday 19th June from 12 noon until 2pm
Sun cream and hats please

