

# August/september News letter!

## Welcome back for a new term!!

We hope everyone has had a lovely summer holiday. To start off, here a few of the events that will be happening throughout the year!

October - Halloween Parties will take place the w/b Mon 25<sup>th</sup>.

November - we will be having a fundraiser evening to raise money for Mary's Kitchen. More details will be coming soon.

December - Christmas parties will take place the w/b Mon 13<sup>th</sup>.

January - parent's night

March - Red Nose Day

April - Toddle Waddle

May - Garden Fete, pre-school transition night and graduation trip.

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June Graduation class of 2011!!!**

## Rag Bag bin!!

Having a clear out? Bring all your old clothes to the nursery recycling bin to help us raise money for new resources!! So far the bin has been emptied twice and we have raised £200! So a big thank you to all that have helped!



## Dookit change!

Due to lack of storage space in the nursery we have decided to do away with the children's dookits and provide them all with a coloured bag to match their group. We ask that these bags do not get taken home and if parents can check them regularly to ensure their child has what they need, change of clothes etc.

At the moment it is only the moonbeam's who have their bags. Rainbow's bags will be coming soon.

## 2-5 room

The 2-5 room has been very busy over the past month and children are settling in well to the new room. We have been learning about different types of bread and how to make them. We have made banana bread, raisin bread, wholemeal and white bread.

Warburtons the bakers came to visit us and taught us that wholemeal is best for us to stay healthy.



Out in the garden we have been learning how to be expressive with the musical instruments and ribbons, our strawberries are ready to eat we have counted over 20 strawberries to harvest.

Karen our dental hygienist will be out to visit us soon she will help us learn how to look after our teeth properly, so if you have not already received a permission form to sign for your child please speak to a member of staff to ensure your child can take part in this programme.

### Sign in and out!

Please can all parents and carers remember to sign their child in and out of nursery each day.

Thank you.

### Sessions!

Funding only sessions start again on Mon 17<sup>th</sup> August. These session times are: 9.00am - 11.30am

And 1.30pm - 4.00pm

Parents are also reminded that these are the learning times in the nursery and activities and group times are taking place during these times.

## Baby room!!

The baby rooms focus on colour awareness was very successful and children enjoyed lots of colourful activities.

We are now focusing on developing and exploring our senses. Children are investigating light and dark with the torches and sounds with the musical instruments.

Echo the polar bear is excited to be going home with the boys and girls for holidays at the weekend. So far he has had an exciting day out to the rain forest! All children will have an opportunity to take echo home, where will you take him to? The beach? The park, out for dinner? Take a picture and let us see.



# Happy Birthday!!

2-5 room - Brooke, Logan, Kirsty, Emma, Amy Sl, Muad, Lewis, Lauren, Murray and Skye.

Baby room - Jack, George, S, Rory, and Sarah.

Staff - Fiona, Janey and Sharon.

## Congratulations!!

We would like to say congratulations to Eleanor and Steven  
for the birth of baby C            born on

## Good Luck!!

Wishing Cheri and Graeme good luck and best wishes on their  
wedding day on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> of September.