





May 2019 Newsletter

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Birthday Board

Happy birthday to all the children who have their special day this month



Harry M
Oliver L
Amiee L
Olivia L
Chester H
Sebastian R
Ava-Mae T
Heidi F
Georgie F
Rebecca Q
Noah C



Sun Hats

Amelia L George B

Please provide a sun hat that can be left at nursery.
Please make sure the sun hat is clearly labelled with
your child's name



Pre School Sports Days

Red Room — Tuesday 18th June 2.30pm
Blue Room — Wednesday 19th June 2.30pm
Purple — Thursday 20th June 2.30pm
Rainbow — Friday 21st June 2.30pm
Due to space and fire regulations we can only allow 2
adults per child to attend

Graduation Days

Blue Room – Tuesday 2nd July 2.30pm
Purple Room – Wednesday 3rd July 2.30pm
Red Room – Thursday 4th July 2.30pm
Due to space and fire regulations we can only allow 2
adults per child to attend

Dates for your diary

May Bank Holidays

6th May And 27th May

August Bank Holiday

Monday 26th August

Nursery will be close on these dates

New staff

We would like to welcome Chantel as nursery practitioner and Samantha who will be working in the office We also have two new cleaners joining us this month, Emma and Belinda

Suncream

If you have opted for nursery sun cream the cost has been added to your May Invoice. This is a one off charge for the summer period.

If you are providing your own sun cream please bring this into nursery this week so we are prepared for the nice weather.

Please remember that the cream needs to be **SPF50** and clearly labelled with your child's name.

The bottle will need to be left at nursery and the staff will inform you if the bottle is running low so you have time to replace it.

Graduation Photos

Our professional photographer will be in nursery on Wednesday 5th and Thursday 6th June to take photos of the children in their graduation gowns. If your child is not normally in on these days we will give you a time slot to come in for the photo to be taken.

May Holiday Club

Tuesday 28th - Friday 31st May

Booking forms are now available for our May Holiday Club.

Forms can be collected from the office or downloaded from our website.

Learning book

Learning Book passwords are case sensitive and the system will lock you out if entered incorrectly. If this happens please let a member of staff know in the office know so we can reset it for you



30 Hour Funding

Please remember to renew your 30 hour code on time to avoid missing out on the 30 hours funding.

www.childcarechoices.co.uk

Mobile Phones

Please can we remind everyone not to use their mobile phones within nursery.

All calls need to be taken outside the building.

Facebook



We post activities on Facebook that the children have been involved in. This is a great way for parents to see what they have been doing while at nursery as well as their observations on Learning Book If you have not already done so 'Like' our Facebook page so you can see any updates that we post.

Contact Details

Please remember to let us know if you have moved house, changed your mobile number or work number so we have the correct contact details should we need to contact you while your child is at nursery. This can be emailed to us or there is a form outside the office that you can complete

School Allocation

If you have not done so already please inform a member of staff in your child's room which school you have been allocated.

If your child is going to Lawley Academy, Lawley Primary, Newdale or Ladygrove we will be liaising with the school during May to arrange visits with their teachers.

All other schools out of the local area we will liaise with and any planned visits to the nursery by teachers will be shared with parents and arranged at a time their child is in nursery.

If you have any concerns regarding the transition for nursery to school please speak to a member of staff.

Tax free Childcare

If you are not already paying in to a child care voucher scheme you may be eligible for Tax Free Childcare.

To check if you are eligible log on to the link below for more information www.childcarechoices.gov.uk www.gov.uk/tax-free-childcare

Slapped Cheek

If your child has been diagnosed with Slapped Cheek please inform the nursery at your earliest convenience as we have a child in nursery that could possibly be effected by the condition

Medication

Please remember that if your child has been prescribed medication they cannot come into nursery for the first 24 hours.

This is to make sure they do not have a reaction to the medication.

<u>Illness</u>

If we have contact you to collect your child due to them being unwell a member of staff will give you a note advising when they would be able to return to nursery.

This is to reduce to spread of infection and ensure a healthy environment.

What we will be doing in May

Babies

The theme in Babies will be 'We're going on a Bear Hunt'

The babies will be making pictures for a display and exploring different 'Bear Hunt' sensory trays

Tweenies

The children will be spending more time outdoors now the weather is warming up. They will be taking part in running games, action games and dancing. Tweenies will be exploring water and the different things they can do with it.

Toddlers

The children will be creating a builders yard in the role play area

Large Toddlers

Toddlers will be exploring the Forest School area and looking at the flowers that we having growing The children will be doing flower printing and plating some seeds

Red, Purple and Blue room

The children are going to be learning about space and doing junk modelling to make the planets.

As part of Deaf Awareness week they will be learning some sign language/Makaton.

The children will also be learning road safety in preparation for their walk to school e.g. traffic lights and stop, look and listen

Rainbow

The children will be making Ramadan lanterns, continuing with the Spring time theme and enhancing the role play shop.

For Deaf Awareness week the children will be learning some Makaton

Holiday time

If you are going on holiday and your child is not going to be in nursery please let us know.

You can either email the dates to us or complete a holiday form which is in the tray outside the office.

Messages from the rooms

Toddlers

If you are potty/toilet training please bring in plenty of spare clothes and shoes

Blue Room

Please make sure your child's water bottle has their name on it

Nursery Car Park

Please keep speed to a minimum for the safety of the children, parents and staff. If anyone else drops off or collects on your behalf please pass this message on

Thank you



Session Times

Please be mindful of your session start and finish times.

If your child is dropped off early or collected late charges will be added to your account