



# The School House Newsletter September-October



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## Our Community

The Farmers Children have been learning all about their community and have been on several visits to different locations.

First, they went to Tesco to purchase fruit to complete their 'Farmer's market' role play area.

They enjoyed walking safely to the supermarket and discussing the importance of road safety with the ladies.

Next, we went on a not so far trip to the local library to take some books out.



## Teddy Bears Picnic

The Duckling's enjoyed creating a picnic for their teddy bears. It gave them great opportunities to develop their fine motor physical skills, spreading butter on sandwiches and peeling fruit for the teddies to enjoy (some of the Ducklings did too!) We discussed healthy eating and talked about our favourite foods.

## Signing in to the Little Lambs

Hannah from the Little Lambs has redesigned the signing in routine to reflect the interest of the children in the room. She has incorporated one of their favourite characters, Postman Pat, into the routine that children and parents can take part in together. Parents are invited to support their child in finding their picture with their name on, and posting it in the post box to Postman Pat. The staff then incorporate this in their Good morning routine with the children to start the day! Well done Hannah!



## Peppa Pig Picnic raises over £115!

Over the Summer, we hosted a picnic with Peppa Pig to celebrate the completion of our outdoor renovations.

Unfortunately, the weather wasn't on our side, but that didn't stop us from having a great day!

We would like to say a great big THANK YOU to all the parents and children who made it possible, what a great contribution to our fundraising for our chosen charity the NSPCC.

## Parent Notices

As the weather is starting to change we would appreciate it if you could bring in wellies and waterproof coats for your children.



## Grandparents Day

A huge thank you to the Grandparents who took part in our first stay and play session. Thanks to you we raised £18 for the NSPCC. Due to the success of the event, we will be hosting these regularly. Keep an eye out on the notice board for further dates!

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## Staff Updates



As we enter a new academic year, we say hello to some new faces. Joining our staff team will be Suzanne who will be based in the Ducklings room. Suzanne brings with her over 20 years of experience in childcare!

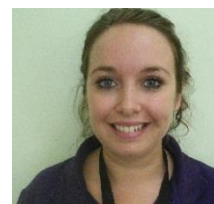
Another new addition to the team is Kelsi, who has recently graduated from Leeds Beckett University. Kelsi has Qualified Teacher Status and will be based in the Farmers room.



Amber's role in the nursery will also be changing from September, as she reduces her working hours to fit in with her daughter attending school. She will be stepping down from her role of Deputy Manager, but will continue to be based in the Ducklings room as a Nursery Practitioner on Mondays and Tuesdays.



Arooj will be taking over as Ducklings room leader. As a result of more new children starting, Janine will also be moving from the Farmer's to become a permanent body in the Lambs room alongside Sarah and the team.



**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September**

**Term Starts**



**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> September**

**iConnect drop in 4pm-6pm**



**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> September**

**Visit to Half Acre home for the elderly  
See parent board for more details!**



**4<sup>th</sup> October**

**Chinese Festival – Full Moon!**



**Thurs & Fri 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> Oct.**

**Christmas photos by Wild Child Photography**



**19<sup>th</sup> October**

**Diwali - Hindu Festival of Lights  
Party Time!**



**Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October**

**Halloween Party 6pm-7:30pm**



**Thinking about a party?**



Did you know that Running Wild, our exclusive children's party centre, located on the top floor here at Middleton, is now on Facebook? Search 'Running Wild Parties' and like the page to keep up to date with events and news. If you're interested in booking your child's party at Running Wild, please see Sabrina or Paula for more information or go to our webpage:- <http://runningwildparties.co.uk>

Bye For Now  Sabrina & Team

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