



Sandbrook Park Newsletter November - December



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Welcome All New Children & Parents



We are here to help in any way we can to settle you into the nursery. We really enjoy getting to know our new children, supporting existing children settling-in their rooms, and welcoming everyone to Fisherfield Childcare. We like to learn what the children get up to at the weekends, and their likes & dislikes, helping to make their transition period easier.

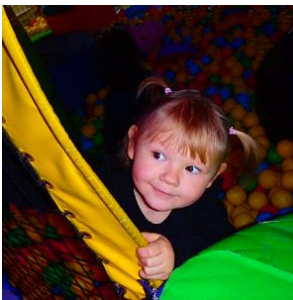
The Lamb's News

During the recent topic of Celebration, Little Lambs have been exploring Pumpkins where they had the opportunity to investigate the seeds and re-plant in our vegetable garden. We have also been exploring a range of textures through food and enjoyed creating a fruit salad after purchasing items through our role play shop.



The Farmer's News

The Farmers children have been learning all about letters and their sounds and linking them to objects within our environment through our new character 'Metal Mike'.



Our current focus is Mathematics through play. Staff are introducing fun into colour and shapes and ensuring children have the opportunity to develop their knowledge. Farmers recently took part in two days out, firstly to Running Wild soft play centre during half-term and secondly to Half Acre House to see the ladies & gentlemen at the residential home.

TOPICS - Exploring Autumn

We have had a wonderful start to the Autumn term and have been making the most of the natural resources on our doorstep. Children from all rooms explored the changing environment and took part in the Autumn celebrations, including our Halloween and bonfire night related activities.



HAPPY HALLOWEEN

The children all had a great time, dressed up and looked far too cute to be scary.



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Christmas is Fast Approaching

The children are getting excited about our future Christmas events. Farmer's have been especially busy practicing their Nativity performance and are becoming familiar with their Christmas songs. Please pay attention to notices displayed for allocated roles and ensure you have received a copy of the song lists so you can help practice at home.

Autumn Chill Just a quick reminder for parents- as the weather is now colder and wetter could we please ask that you provide waterproof coats and wellies for your child. Thank You.

Thank You Messages

Thank you to all our parents who took part in our recent workshops on iConnect & Toilet Training. It was lovely to hear your thoughts & ideas to support your children while in the nursery and how we can change and improve the service we provide. Thank you once again for your continuous support.



<u>Thursday 30th November</u>	Parent's Evening 6.00-7.30 (please see staff for more details)
<u>Friday 1st December</u>	Raffle tickets go on sale to support our chosen charity NSPCC
<u>Tuesday 5th December</u>	AM Nativity performance – please see staff for details
<u>Thursday 7th December</u>	PM Nativity performance – please see staff for details
<u>Monday 11th December</u>	Christmas Jumper day and Santa's visit
<u>Wednesday 13th December</u>	Formal Christmas dinner and Xmas Jumper Day
<u>Friday 15th December</u>	End of term fancy-dress Party Time – Dress to Impress!
<u>Friday 15th December</u>	Grant Only Children break-up for Christmas
<u>Friday 22nd December</u>	Nursery Closes for Christmas Break -Normal Hours
<u>Tuesday 2rd Jan 2018</u>	Nursery re-opens!

If in doubt of your child's return date please discuss with your Nursery Manager Thank You



Don't forget to check Parent Zone regularly, we post updates on upcoming events and activities to help remind you what is happening at nursery. We really value your feedback so please keep sharing your pictures & ideas with us. If you are having any issues with parent zone please speak to Gemma or Sarah.

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FANCY A PARTY?



Did you know that Running Wild, our exclusive children's party centre, located on the top floor at Fisherfield in 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 Private Party at Running Wild, please go to

www.runningwildparties.co.uk - or call Paula on 0161 653 1996

For all current info/updates www.fisherfieldchildcare.co.uk



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