

School House

NEWSLETTER

May - June



The Little Lambs

Our music and movement stay & play session was a great success and we had extremely positive feedback from parents. Thank you to the families that have sent us pictures of their child using the 'music and movement at home bags'. To develop this further, Anna has been introducing Woodland Yoga in the outdoor environment. We will be sending home some moves you can do at home through ParentZone – keep an eye out!

Ducklings

Over the last few weeks, we have introduced some Forest School themed activities into our curriculum. These activities have included, twig and leaf collages, natural playdough and making our very own clay people. We will be developing this further as part of our 3-week sprint in the Ducklings room in May. This 3-week sprint will involve creating a leaflet for parents which outlines the Forest School ethos and the impact it will have on your child. We will be taking the children on planned Forest School sessions in the local environment and inviting parents and children in for a Forest School workshop in May. To book on to the workshop, please speak to a member of staff.



The Farmers

The Farmers team have been working hard to develop partnerships with parents through the introduction of our "Secret Reader". This involves one parent or family member coming in each week to read a story to the children. The identity of the Secret Reader is kept STRICTLY confidential up until the big reveal and the children have really enjoyed the anticipation, as well as the experience of having a new person read to them. Thank you to all our amazing families and parents who have given up their time to do this for us so far!

To enhance this, we have also been inviting parents in to talk about their occupations. A big thank you to Oscar's daddy for coming in to speak to us about his job working on the trains. Alex also hosted a phonics workshop to share knowledge and ideas on how to support your children on their journey to reading and writing. If you would like to be a Secret Reader or speak to the children about your occupation, please speak to Jodie.

Our Contact Details are as follows:-

Tel – 0161 653 1996 - Email: ffn10@fisherfeldchildcare.co.uk
Or keep in touch with iConnect/ParentZone,
please ask a member of staff if you need help

Dates for your Diary

Tues 21st May 4-5:30pm

Forest School Parent and Child Workshop (book in advance!)

Mon 13th May 6-7:30pm Lambs Parents Evening

Tues 14th May 6-8pm
Ducklings Parents Evening

Wed 15th May 6-8pm Farmers Parents Evening

Thur 23rd May

Photo Day (more info on ParentZone)

Wed 5th June Eid Party

Thur 13th June 2pm

Father's Day Stay and Play. Tickets on sale soon!

Fri 19th July Last day of Summer Term

Sat 20th July 11– 2pm NSPCC Summer Fair



School Leavers

School places for September 2019 have now been announced. Please let us know what school your child was allocated to and their leave date so we can begin the process of creating transition packs and sharing these with their new teachers.

To support children in getting prepared for school, we would like to add some examples of local school uniforms to our dressing up area. If you have an older child or relative who has outgrown their school uniform, then please consider donating this to us!

Parents Evening Dates

This year, we will be holding Parents Evening over three different dates and each room will have their own evening. These are:

Monday 13th May 2019 6 -7:30pm Lambs Tuesday 14th May 2019 6-8pm Ducklings Wednesday 15th May 2019 6-8pm Farmers

Please note, due to the formal nature of this event children are not permitted to attend under any circumstances.

Please see your child's key worker to book in.



Exciting News!

The Fisherfield Family is growing!

We will be opening a new setting based at Derby St Children's Centre, Heywood, OL10 4QJ. The setting is currently undergoing extensive renovations. Open days will be announced in due course.



If you would like to book a party at Running Wild, log onto www.runningwildparties.co.uk where you can check availability and book online.

Alternatively ring 0161 653 1996 and speak to Paula.

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