

# **Nursery Weekly Newsletter**

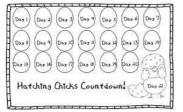
## Summer 2 Week 1 – 09.06.23

Welcome back! It's lovely to have all the children back looking refreshed and we're positive, a tiny bit taller!

It has certainly been an exciting, adventurous and fun filled first week back. The children are delighted with our new ice cream parlour, concocting recipes, making ice cream and serving them to everyone! They have been taking care of the farm animals in the small world area and working together to solve the road puzzle. Outside they have been testing their agility skills with our new and daring obstacle course. We have been really impressed with how they have listened to our instructions on navigating the course and also considering the safety of the other children. They have also enjoyed the soft play area and relished it being outside!



Incoming news flash – the countdown has begun! On Wednesday we introduced the



children to the eggs and placed them into the incubator. The children have been learning about what an incubator is and how it provides a similar environment to that of a mother hen. We even got the children to wiggle just like hens do to turn their eggs! We have been talking about how to care for the eggs whilst they are in the incubator. So far when observing them, the children have

been very careful not to touch the incubator. Additionally, maybe ask your child if they can remember how many days it takes for a chick to grow and then hatch. You could even start your own 'Egg to Chick' countdown. By Friday, we will be on Day 3.

In cooking this week, the children made delicious apple flapjacks. We're starting to wonder whether we should be setting up our own little Nursery Café, as they're getting so good at cooking and baking! It was great to be back singing action songs with Emily. Please note there was no wild garden this week due to class photos.



### **Things to Note**

The Great Kilmorie Design Challenge - Tins Please!



We have had a slight change of plan since we didn't receive enough donations for our first idea. We are now going to need tins asap instead. Please donate one tin each.

#### Sun cream and jackets!

The most predictable element of British weather is of course, that it is indeed unpredictable. Hence, this is just a quick reminder about sun

cream and jackets. It still seems we can have the whole gamut of weather in one day, so please ensure your child have at least a sweater with them and a splash of sun cream too! Thank you as always!

#### Stay and Play Sports Special – Wednesday 21st June

As you know, we hold our Stay and Play sessions weekly on Wednesdays. However, on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June it will be with a slight twist! On this day, we will be venturing to one of our large playgrounds where you will be able to engage in more physical activities with your child, including using the trikes, bat and ball, football, hoola hooping etc. We would love for you to join us if possible. Timings are below:

Morning Session 9.15 - 10.00 Afternoon Session 2.15 - 3.00

Parents/ carers of full-time children can choose which session they would like to attend.

#### **Beach Trip**

On Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July, Nursery, Reception and Year 1 children will be going on our exciting beach trip to Joss Bay in Kent. If you haven't signed up and you wish to do so please ask at the office as it may still be possible to join us.

NB The deadline for payment for the trip is 12th June.

Please note that the Nursery will be closed that day (5<sup>th</sup> July).

## **Nursery Graduation**

For those children who will be sadly leaving us for big school in September, we are excited to announce that we will be holding a mini graduation for them on **Wednesday 12**<sup>th</sup> **July 2023.** Much like previous events in Nursery, we will hold this once during the morning session and then again in the afternoon. More details will follow in the coming weeks.

It is apparently going to be a hot one this weekend, so drink lots of water, rest a while in the shade and eat some ice cream! Have a wonderful weekend everyone.

Warmest wishes,

Liz, Fiona, Katrina, Sophie and Tracey.