



Friday 20th October 2023

Little Kingfishers' News

Autumn 1



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Message from Zoe Warren :

Dear Parents and Guardians,

What a fantastic start to the year we have had in Little Kingfishers' Day Nursery! All the children have settled in well and have thoroughly enjoyed their start to this academic year.

The children have enjoyed our topics of 'All About Me' and "Autumn". The children have had lots of opportunities to talk about themselves and their families. They have also had the chance to explore the world around them in our topic "Autumn" where activities ranged from Welly walks to conker rolling paintings.

We hope you have a wonderful half term break and your children come back feeling refreshed and ready to take on a new term! Yours sincerely,

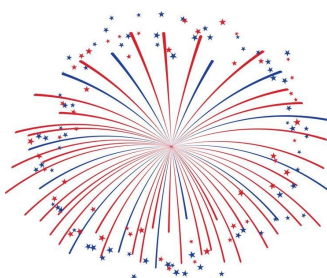
Zoe Warren
Nursery Lead

Witches, Wizards and Magic & Celebrations

To follow the children's interest with their love of the book "room on the broom", we will be exploring the topic "witches, wizards and magic". The staff and children are looking forward to making potions, experimenting with pumpkins and making magic wands.

We will also be learning about Guy Fawkes and bonfire night where we will be experimenting with all the amazing colours we see on firework night. Along with making our own junk modelling sparklers.

Finally, we will be learning about the Christmas story and the butterfly children will be preparing for our nativity, which we look forward to showing to you closer to Christmas.



Sponsored Cycle



We are all really proud of all of the children with how they completed their sponsored ride with such enthusiasm!

We also want to say a big thank you to everyone who has sponsored us. We are pleased to announce we have exceeded our target which is truly amazing!

We will leave the sponsor link open until the end of half term for anyone who needs it and after this we will announce the final total raised.

<https://gofund.me/ba80fb81>

Thank you again to all of the children who took part and all of yourselves who have supported us.

Recommended Reads

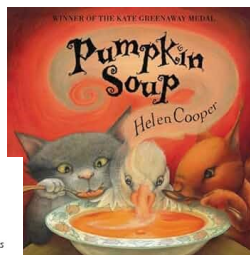
At Little Kingfishers' Nursery we love reading!

Children are read to multiple times throughout the day and finding out our "book of the week" has become a highlight for lots of our children. Here are the books we have focused on this term:

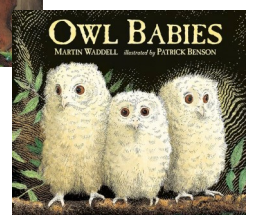
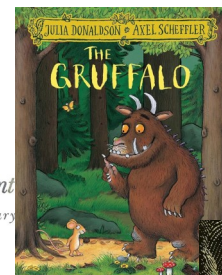
The Tiger Who Came to Tea



The Colour Monster



We're Going on a Bear Hunt



Reminders

Please remember to label all of your child's belongings.

This includes lunch boxes, water bottles, jumpers, coat and any spare clothes.

Please ensure that your child always has a spare pair of clothes, even if they are confident with using the toilet. We will often get muddy and wet when playing outdoors so it is essential that they have clothes to change in to.

Please remember to watch your child when outside of nursery as we are located on a busy road and only allow your child to go in the disabled toilets located outside of the nursery when accompanied by an adult.

Please remember to call or email by 9:30 if your child will not be attending nursery.

RSPCA Visits Little Kingfishers

We've had some special visitors in the nursery this term! The ladies from the RSPCA visited us to teach us how to care for animals. We learnt about all different types of animals and they even showed us, how we can care for our pets during firework season.

At the end of the session we had the opportunity to make our own silent conker fireworks. We loved testing these outdoors later on in the day.



Art Exhibition

Thank you for all the lovely feedback on our art exhibition. Here are a few highlights of our displays.



Dates for the Diary

Monday 23rd October- Friday 27th October	Half Term
Friday 10th November	Remembrance Day
Monday 6th November	Individual school photos
Friday 17th November	Children in Need – Non-uniform day
Friday 15th December	Last day of term
Monday 18th December - Friday 29th December	Christmas Holiday
Monday 1st January	Bank Holiday
Tuesday 2nd January	First day back for pupils

Half Term

We hope that you all have a lovely half term and we look forward to seeing you all again on the week commencing 30th October 2023