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Little Kingfishers' News

Summer Term

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Message from Zoe Warren:

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we come to the end of another wonderful term, it is hard to believe that we are already saying good-bye to another nursery year. The Summer Term has been full of laughter, learning and lots of special memories, and it has been a joy to watch the children make the most of every moment.

We have been incredibly fortunate to enjoy some beautiful weather this term, and the children have certainly embraced the endless opportunities to play and learn outdoors. From water play and garden activities to exploring nature and enjoying time with their friends, the children have made the most of the sunshine and have loved spending so much time outside. It has been wonderful to see their confidence, creativity and independence flourish through their outdoor experiences.

This term has also been filled with many exciting activities and celebrations, giving the children plenty of opportunities to learn through play, develop new skills and create lasting memories. Their enthusiasm and curiosity continue to amaze us, and we are so proud of everything they have achieved throughout the year.

I am sure many of you will agree that one of the highlights of the term was our Preschool Graduation. It was a truly special occasion and a wonderful opportunity to celebrate all that our preschool children have accomplished during their time with us. Seeing them proudly take part in the ceremony was a memorable moment for children, families and staff alike.

As we say goodbye to those children who are leaving us to begin their next adventure at school, we would like to wish them every success and happiness for the future. We are incredibly proud of each and every one of them and know they will take all they have learned here with them as they embark on this exciting new chapter.

Finally, I would like to thank all of our families for your continued support throughout the year. Working together helps us create the caring and nurturing environment that makes our nursery such a special place.

We hope you all have a wonderful summer break and look forward to welcoming many of you back in September for another exciting year of learning and fun.



Warmest wishes,

Zoe Warren

Carnival

What an exciting time we had taking part in the school's Carnival! Our nursery topic was Royals, and the children had great fun learning about kings, queens, castles, and crowns. They were incredibly proud to take part in the Carnival and loved being involved in such a special whole-school event.





A Visit from Stompy

We were delighted to welcome Stompy the tortoise to Nursery. The children were fascinated to meet him and enjoyed learning all about how tortoises live, what they eat, and how they move. There was lots of excitement as the children watched Stompy explore and asked plenty of thoughtful questions. It was a wonderful hands-on learning experience and lots of fun for everyone involved.





Chicks in Nursery

Another highlight of the term was a visit from some newly hatched chicks. The children were amazed to see how small and fluffy they were and loved watching them move around. Many of the children had the opportunity to hold the chicks carefully and gently, which was a very special experience. It was lovely to see their enthusiasm and curiosity as they learned about the life cycle of birds.





Gardening

It has been another successful year in our Nursery garden, with the children working hard to care for and grow a variety of plants. The highlight of the year, however, had to be our potatoes! The children thoroughly enjoyed every stage of the process, from planting and caring for them to harvesting them when they were ready. The best part was tasting the potatoes afterwards, and the children were very proud to eat something they had grown themselves. It has been a fantastic way to learn about nature, healthy eating, and where our food comes from.







Recommended Reads for the Summer Holiday

Summer is the perfect time to snuggle up with a good book and enjoy sharing stories together. Reading with your child helps to develop their language, imagination, and early literacy skills, while also creating special moments together.

Here are some of our favourite summer reads:











