



The Duckling Nursery Ltd
 Writtle Infant School
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Newsletter 2019/D

Comic Relief

Thank you to everyone who took part buying cakes, making crowns and telling jokes. We had lots of fun and giggles during the week and most importantly raised £65 to help with some great causes.

First aid evening

Please remember the first aid evening will take place in the nursery on Tuesday 2nd April 7-9pm. Come and join us.

Guess Who

We have had quite a few 'guess who' sheets returned to us. You still have one week left if you wish to complete the sheet as we will be marking these and announcing any winners on Monday 1st April.

Mummy's morning

If you haven't already let me know if you will be joining us on Friday 29th March please could you do so as soon as possible? This is for all children whether or not they attend a Friday session. There are 2 available times 9-10am and 10.15-11.15am 20/25 places at each session.

Summer term topic

Our topic for the summer term is: Summer is here Hip Hip Hooray

What shall we choose to do today

We can investigate, imagine and explore

We can paint, dress up, construct and draw

All these things are great fun to do

For teachers, children, me and you.

Please encourage your children to tell us their ideas of favourite activities, games, adventures and challenges that they would like us to cover during the term.

Key group points

As from this week we will be introducing key group points to the children. There will be four jars identified by group symbol and name and key group coloured counters. Each time a group point or points are given to a child they will pop the counters in the jar where they can watch them grow in number. At the end of each half term the group with the most points will get a small treat. We hope this will encourage a sense of achievement group identity and teamwork amongst the children. Points will be given for caring, sharing, tidying, trying hard, trying new challenges, kindness, good singing, good listening, good sitting and much much more.

September session requests

I understand that September seems a long time away, however I will begin to look at the waiting lists after the Easter break. Please can you let me know in writing any changes or extra sessions you would like for your child in September. If you need any information or advise with this please don't hesitate in coming to see me.

The Duckling May Day Celebrations - Sunday 12th May, midday - 3pm.

Please can I remind you to book your tickets for our May Day celebrations as soon as possible as we need to know numbers of children and adults attending? A family ticket is £10 and any extra tickets for friends and families will be £2.50 each. Please complete the tear off slip below with ticket money (cash or cheques payable to 'Friends of Ducklings') and return to me as soon as possible. These events have always been a huge success and great fun and we would love to have all the children and their families join us on the day.

Mrs Homer

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 We..... will/will not be coming to the May Day celebrations on Sunday 12th May. We would like a family ticket £10 andextras for friends and family. Please find £..... included.