



The Duckling Nursery Ltd
Writtle Infant School
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Newsletter 2019/E

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

If you have not already done so please can you let me know if you are coming to our family day.

I need to know numbers as soon as possible as I have to order bbq food etc for the big day Also we need your help with donations of bottles/jars (full) and new/nearly new soft toys for the tombolas.

Please can you return your decorated bunting and gift bags containing a child's small present before Tuesday 30th April when we will be holding our preparation evening.

The children are excitedly practicing their performance for you all and we would love to see as many families as possible at this event. We really appreciate the support from everyone.

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.

Sun cream and sun hats

Hopefully we will be feeling some lovely warm sunshine soon. Please can all children have sun hats for Ducklings and for those children who attend a full day we will apply sun cream after lunch. We will purchase Boots children's factor 50, however if this is unsuitable for your child I am happy for you to send in another cream. Please can you ensure that this is named?

Nursery Sports morning - Friday 28th June

The nursery will operate as normal for those children who attend a Friday session. Parents, families and all other Duckling children need to be brought to nursery at 10am. If all adults can then make their way onto the school field we will bring the children out for their exciting events soon after. Please can children wear their group coloured tops with leggings, shorts or joggers and appropriate footwear. This is always a fabulous fun morning and we hope all children will take part. At the end of sports everyone is invited to stay with us for a picnic lunch on the field.

Nursery summer outing

The coaches are booked for 9.30 on Wednesday 10th July and we will return to nursery for 2.45. This year we are going to The Zog Trail in Upminster. Everyone is welcome and we hope all children and families will join us. Further details will be in the next newsletter.

September session requests

Please can I remind 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.

Tomato plants

Rupert and Molly's Mummy and Daddy are running the London marathon on Sunday 28th April for charity. Please see details on the nursery window. They are also selling tomato plants at £1 each for the same charity. Please let me know if you would like any plants and I will pass your order on to them. We wish them lots of luck in the marathon.

Mrs Homer