

The Duckling Nursery Ltd
Writtle Infant School
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Newsletter 2022/E

Welcome back

Welcome back everyone. I hope you have all had a great Easter and the Easter Bunny came to visit. Please can the children bring their Easter bonnets in this week as we will have little daily parades enabling all children to take part.

Summer term topic

Our topic for the summer term is: We love to choose what we can play

Exciting activities each and every day

Toys and games and puzzles too

Let's share them together me and you.

The special days out chosen by the children and staff are listed on the weekly planning sheet on the nursery window. If anyone has any resources for these to share with us please bring them into nursery.

Duckling Family Day-Sunday May 22nd

We still don't have enough confirmed bookings to be sure that the Superhero family day will go ahead. In the past this has always been a great success giving families a chance to get together with their children. We are still looking for a large gas BBQ for the day and BBQ chefs who can offer their help during the afternoon. Please let me know if you can help. We would love to see all Duckling families and friends joining us for the afternoon. The bouncy castles are booked and Doodles of Fun will be joining us for the afternoon. The children will begin rehearsing for their little entertainment and will be very excited to perform it for you at 2.15pm on the day.

The complete programme for the afternoon will follow next week.

PLEASE PLEASE PLEASE BOOK YOUR TICKETS NOW.

Friends of Ducklings

Can you help us make our Superhero Family Day another great DUCKLING success? We are looking for raffle prizes such as restaurant vouchers, afternoon tea for two vouchers, children's activity vouchers and other great prizes. Do you know of anyone who can offer a raffle prize? Please let me know if you can help.

Summer holiday club

There are still some places left for summer club. All bookings by Friday 20th May please.

Duckling Nursery Outing - Wednesday 6th July

I took a trip to Boydell's farm during the Easter break and it is a wonderful day out. A great experience for the children to see the animals very close up and to be able to feed, hold and stroke them. We will all meet at the farm at 10 am and leave at 2pm in order to be back for the end of the school day. There is a picnic area on the right as you drive into the farm and we will all join together at 11.45 approximately for our picnic lunch. Also there are little streams for the children to paddle in so wellie boots may need packing. The cost for the day is £6 for an adult, £5 for a child and children under three are free. Please can you send the money in a named envelope with the details of adults and children coming by Friday 27^{th} May. This outing is for everyone and we hope all Duckling children and families will be joining us. Please note that the nursery will not be open that day as all staff will be on the outing.

September sessions

If you haven't already booked any changes to sessions for September please let me know as soon as possible.

Dates for your diary

Daddy's morning - Monday 20th June Parent/key person consultations - Friday 24th June

Sports morning - Friday 1st July

Leaver's lunch - Friday 15th July

Further details regarding these events will follow soon.

Mrs Homer