

MAY/JUNE 2017

Alpha NEWS



30 hours from September: information sessions

From September, many families will be eligible for an additional 15 hours subsidised childcare from the Government. We will be holding information sessions on Tuesday 30 May at 10am and 5pm. If you would like to attend a session, please let us know.

New room and holiday club

To provide more places for the additional 15 hours, we will open a new room upstairs in September. This will be for term time only children during the hours of 8.45am and 2.45pm. The room will also be used for after school club children and as a base for our new holiday club.

Sunflower competition

Over the next few weeks, the rooms will be competing in a sunflower competition to see who can grow the tallest one! Look out for our sunflowers, which will be outside the front of the nursery!

Holidays

Half term is 29 May – 2 June. Grant only children will not attend this week. The nursery will be closed on 29 May for the Bank Holiday.

Sunhats and cream

We've all been enjoying the sunshine over the past few weeks. Please ensure that you bring in sun cream and sunhats for your child so that they can enjoy playing outdoors.

Summer also sees us enjoy lots of water play outdoors, so labelled changes of clothes or swimwear would be useful.

Staff changes

Welcome to Beth – who will join the team on 22 May in the Butterflies.

With Kelly being kept very busy in her role as Senior Deputy Manager and SENCO, Sherrie will be taking over as team leader in Bumblebees.

Congratulations to Harley, who is now team leader in Caterpillars. Congratulations also to Chloe, who becomes the new team leader in Kingfishers.

Upcoming events

Sacrewell Farm

Thursday 25 May

Pre-school children will be having fun on a visit to the farm.

Zoo Lab

Wednesday 31 May

The Ladybirds will be learning about microbeasts as they get a visit from Zoo Lab.

Father's Day Breakfast

Friday 16 June

All daddies, uncles, granddads and special people are invited to have breakfast at the nursery to celebrate Father's Day.