

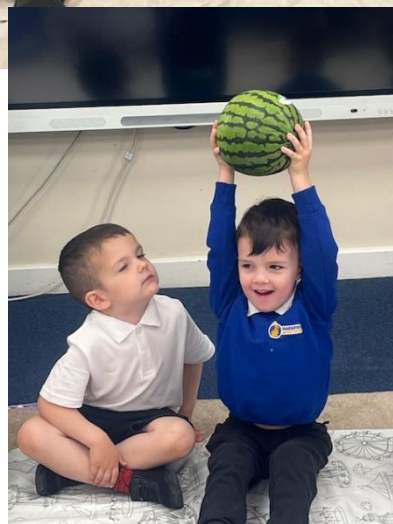
Friday 24th May 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

I cannot quite believe that we are at the end of another half term. It has been a very busy and exciting week releasing our butterflies into the wild, practising for sports day and tasting watermelon! We have been reading a new story called 'The Enormous Watermelon' this is a fun story about Old Mother Hubbard, she plants a watermelon seed in her garden and it grows to be enormous. She cannot pull it up by herself so she enlists the help of some friends from other nursery rhymes including Humpty Dumpty, Little Miss Muffet, Jack and Jill and Wee Willy Winky.

To support their learning this week the children have been;

- Painting watermelons.
- Thinking about what other words mean enormous. Such as, gigantic, massive and huge!
- Looking at and feeling a watermelon before it has been cut up, they could not believe how heavy it was!
- Tasting watermelon.
- Collaging watermelon paper plates using tissue paper and glue.
- Practicing their cutting skills by following the lines on a fruit picture.
- Learning about what makes a good friend with Jigsaw Jenie and creating a 'friendship bench', which can be used by any children who are feeling lonely.





**Dates for your diary.**

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June- Class photo day.

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June- Father's day gift sale.

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June- Non-uniform day, please donate a bottle for the tombola at the school fete.

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June- Please bring a cake to school to be sold at the school fete.

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June- School fete 12-3pm.

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July- Travel around the world day. Nursery children to come to school dressed for a day at the seaside.

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July- Last day of nursery.

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July- Teddy bears picnic 11.30-1pm. Please bring your child, a teddy bear, a picnic and a picnic blanket.

Hopefully we will have some warmer weather next half term. Please remember to apply sun cream to your child before they come into Nursery. We also ask that you provide a named sunhat. No sunglasses or sandals please.

Have a wonderful half term and I look forward to seeing you all on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June.

Many thanks

Mrs Halligan

Nursery Manager

