

**Meppershall Preschool, Walnut Tree Way, Meppershall, Bedfordshire, SG17  
5AB.**

## **Weekly Bulletin**

### **Dear Parents**

A huge thank you from all the staff for all our amazing gifts and cards, we have been so lucky.

Thank you also to you all for your continued support, especially over the last few months that has been particularly difficult for everyone.

Of course, this has been a lovely week at Pre-School, but also an emotional one saying goodbye to all of the children that are leaving us for big school. We had a lovely Zoom call with some of our leavers this morning, thank you to those that were able to attend. . We would like to invite the children (Leaving us) to pre-school on **Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September at 2pm**, where we will present each child with a small gift and say 'goodbye' in person to them all before they start their next big adventure!

Please note that we are no longer able to accept session changes for September, as staffing has already been put in place. However if you do know what sessions you would like for January or even April, then do please let Tamsin or Lisa know via email asap as these sessions are already starting to fill up fast.

In the week Tamsin sent out letters to leavers and new starters, so please do ensure that you check your mailbox for these.

We will be doing Bags to School in September, so if you do have any clothes etc. that you are needing to get rid of, then please do hold on for our bags. They will be delivered to us in September for collection in October.

When we return to Pre-school on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> September we will firstly just be taking the existing children and any new starters will be staggered in on different start dates.

From all the staff and committee we wish you all a very healthy, safe and happy summer break.

**Please remember to apply for your 30 hour funding code for September  
ASAP!!!!!!**



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### **Activities**

Another fun filled week of indoor and outdoor activities for our wonderful children.

The children have enjoyed lots of time outside, playing with water and enjoying the ride on's, bikes and the slide. Some of the children built a big fence around their house to protect themselves from the dinosaur's 😊 it's truly wonderful to watch the children using their imaginations so beautifully and creating such lovely games together. They used lots of the materials available to them to create their fence, they used the guttering, crates, tyres and wood to make their house safe. The guttering has also been used a race track for the cars.

Inside, the children have enjoyed playing with the finger puppets, threading with ribbons and cutting.

The children particularly enjoyed our game of musical chairs, which is just as much fun for us as it is for them 😊

The wooden train set has been enjoyed this week along with some wonderful role play in the home corner.





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### **Birthdays**

Happy Birthday to Jacob 😊

Happy Birthday to Ava 😊

Happy Birthday to Kate (Pre-School Staff) 😊

### **Reminders**

- Please remember to apply for your 30 hour funding code for September ASAP.
- Please ensure that children come to Pre-School with their lunch in a plastic lunchbox so that these can be easily cleaned.
- Children's belongings to be named please.
- No toys to be bought in from home.

Please ensure that children come into Pre-School wearing sun cream and they also have a sun hat in their bags.



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code in good time. Do it  
before the summer holidays.

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### **Important Dates**

September 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> - INSET DAYS

September 7<sup>th</sup> Pre-School Starts for existing children (New children to start on staggered dates)

October 26<sup>th</sup> - October 30<sup>th</sup> - HALF TERM

November 2<sup>nd</sup> - INSET DAY

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November - Pre-School Starts

PLEASE NOTE TERM DATES ARE AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE.