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## Summer Term Newsletter 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you all know, we enjoyed our Spring trip to Hall Hill Farm and the children continued to discuss their experience from the visit.

We are keen to share different cultural diversity within our nursery and have very much enjoyed sharing the celebration of Eid with a number of our children. If any families would like to share their own cultural celebrations, please contact your child's key worker or email the office. We welcome any resources that you may have at home.



### National Smile Month of May

We will introduce the importance of oral health to our children within large group time and small group work. It would be fantastic to see pictures of our children brushing their teeth. If any of our parents know of anyone or work in the dental profession, please contact us as we would love someone to visit.

### Summer Weather

As the weather is becoming warmer your child will need to come into nursery with sun cream already applied. We will have spare cream in the nursery office in case you have forgotten, please just ask. Also, could you make sure your child has a sun hat and is wearing appropriate footwear, no sandals. Keep your child's shoulders covered and on their Forest School Day please dress them in a light long sleeved top. We will be sending out an email with a link to a consent form to allow staff to apply sun cream at lunchtime for those children who attend nursery all day.

### School photographer - Wednesday 15th May

Phototronics are going to be in school next Wednesday 15th May. Children will get their photographs taken during their session.

If your child has forest school this morning, please bring them in from 8.40am to get their photos taken. You can get them changed into their forest school clothing ready for their session starting.

### Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July - Whole School Beach Trip

We listened to our children's voices and one of the suggestions was to go to the beach as a whole school. On the day of the trip, we will meet you at South Shields beach (weather permitting) at 9.30am - 2.30pm, more details to follow.



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### **Parent/carer small group share**

We would like to invite each group's parents/carers in the main nursery to take part in a small group activity, please keep these following dates for your diary.

	9.15am - 10.15am	1.15pm - 2.15pm
Monday 20th May	Willow	Blossom
Tuesday 21st May	Oak	Cedar
Wednesday 22nd May	Hazel	Elder
Thursday 23rd May	Little Acorns	
Friday 24th May	Maple AM	Maple PM

### **Forest School Stay and Play**

During your child's forest school session on the 25<sup>th</sup> or 26<sup>th</sup> June, we will be inviting parents/carers in to join in with your child's session. If your child attends forest school in the morning, the stay and play will be from 10.45am-11.45am. If your child attends forest school in the afternoon, the stay and play will be from 1.45pm-2.45pm.

### **Visits to schools**

We are aware that those going into their reception year in September will be shortly visiting their new school. We please ask that you inform the office if your child is going to be missing their nursery session due to their visit.

### **Leavers presentation**

On Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July we will be inviting parents of those children who are leaving into the nursery for our leavers presentation where your child will receive their learning journey and certificate. There will be an opportunity to celebrate your child's success following the presentation. The leavers presentation will begin at 9.30am and will take place over at Forest School.

We also have Wild North School Photography coming along to the presentation who will be taking individual photographs.

### **End of year celebration party**

On Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July we will be holding our end of year party where the children will have games and party food. More information to follow regarding timings. On this day, all children will receive a party box (sandwich, crisps, fruit, cake, drink). If your child does not usually stay for dinner, the cost is £2.20. This can be paid on ParentPay but will not show



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up on your child's account until the day. All children can attend on this day from 9.00-12.00 (including Oak group and any afternoon children).

**Nursery will close for the summer at 12pm on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July.**

### Housekeeping

- Could you please ensure that your child's name is in their coats/jackets and hats, this makes it easier for staff to identify clothing.
- Children do not need to bring water bottles into the nursery. We have a water machine in nursery and they have access to drinking water at forest school.
- Please do not let your child bring toys/dolls into nursery.
- If your child is unwell, please contact the office on their first day of absence before 9.30am. You can email or call us. Just a reminder that if your child has sickness and/or diarrhoea please keep them at home until they are 48 hours clear. This helps to prevent bugs/infections from spreading.

Please remember we are always happy to help if you have any questions, concerns or information to share. If you have any questions regarding future dates and events, please speak to the office for further information.

Warmest Regards,

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### Dates for your diary:

**Wednesday 15th May** - School photographer

**Monday 20th May to Friday 24th May** - Parent/carer small group time

**Tuesday 25th and Wednesday 26th June** - Forest school stay and play

**Friday 12th July** - Whole school beach trip

**Wednesday 17th July** - Leavers presentation

**Friday 19th July** - End of year celebration party for ALL children (9.00-12.00)

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