



The Lyme Nursery

Complete Nursery Day Care
and
Early Years Learning



Dear Parents, Hope you've all had a great month! How on earth have we reached the end of the first quarter of the year. I can imagine all of the additional milestones your child has achieved in just 4 weeks; whether it's been crawling for the first time, taking their first steps, fully walking, talking, saying "no" to everything or picking at their food! What a wonderful and challenging journey (as a parent myself) we are all on! If you ever want to share any stories or tell us about your child's achievements which we could communicate in our newsletter please do send me a message. I'm sure as the The Lyme Nursery family we'd all love to hear. Mandi

Babies have been making lots of different jungle animals for their new wall 'Going Wild'. At the same time they have been practising animal noises. They've enjoyed soft play, the ball pit, messy play, painting, baking, musical instruments and their favourite - chilling out in the cosy tent corner with a colourful story book. Lets explore, lets have fun and grow!

Tiddlers have had another very busy month! They've created lots of new artwork for their Spring wall using their painted hands and feet – butterflies, bumble bees, flowers, sheep and bunnies. Whilst sitting and doing circle time, through using flash cards, they have been learning and recognising a variety of different animals, body parts and numbers. Lots of new activities planned for next month! They are so excited! Go Tiddlers go!

It's been **Toddlers** 'Bake-off' month in March, all taking part in making and decorating cup-cakes, biscuits and rice-krispy cakes (yum yum). Lots of new paintings for the Spring wall display have been created and an afternoon of fruit tasting to coincide with the Hungry Caterpillar display. Toddlers continue to enjoy story time, singing and learning through their flash cards.

Juniors are our very energetic group who love being outdoors. Learning how to play new games such as hide and seek, going as fast as they can on the outdoor cars/toys, learning how to roll the hula hoop and love being chased by the staff! Indoors they will play with everything put in front of them! Such a clever little bunch!

Are you ready for the activities that **Seniors** have been doing? Cheese and ham toastie making, chopping and tasting different foods and using so much imagination in construction role play in making cement to make towers (mixing sand and shaving foam)! They have painted with sponges to start and introduce a 'movement break' which consists of different exercises. Shapes, letters, self-registration are their daily activities!

Pre-school have focussed on their best Spring artwork this month and outdoors they have searched for Spring mini beasts using their magnifying glasses. Indoors they have been learning how to stay healthy with identifying healthy foods and having fun exercising and talking about how this affects their body. Danny Go, DJ Raphi all the way for the fun!

RAV 26.03.50 - ad infinitum Richard quietly celebrated his 75th birthday this week reflecting on his 28 years and 4th ownership of the Nursery opening in 1943. He took over the Nursery on the 1st September 1997 as the world digested the death of Princess Diana. His Nursery ownership follows 25 years high school teaching with no 2 days ever remaining the same. Happy Birthday Mr Vernon!

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Diary Dates:-

W/c April 15th: Easter funweek — decorate an egg and bring it to Nursery!

April 18th:- Good Friday Nursery closed

April 21st:- Easter Monday Nursery closed

April 22nd:- Occasional day Nursery closed

May 7th: Paolo Loras photo's (more details to follow)

W/c 12th May:- Bake a thon CALM charity (more details to follow)

May 14th:- Parents Evening (more details to follow)

Who's who here at Nursery:-

Richard Vernon	-	Managing Director
Sabrina	-	Nursery Manager/Person in Charge
Lorraine	-	Deputy Manager
Louise	-	Finance (invoicing, fees, funding)
Mandi	-	Sales & Customer Liaison
Stephanie	-	SENCO / EYFS Co-ordinator
Isobel	-	Pre-school Team Leader
Jade	-	Toddler Team Leader
Darcy	-	Babies Team Leader
Room Leaders	-	Sarah
	-	TBC
Qualified	-	Sasha
	-	Georgia
	-	Ella
	-	Jess G
Apprentice	-	Jess
	-	Courtney
	-	Beth
	-	Jennifer
	-	Amerah
Supply	-	Samera
	-	Laura
	-	Hannah
Student	-	Bethany
	-	Summer
Kitchen	-	Becky & Emma
Cleaner	-	Anne