Brambles October Newsletter 2020

We have decided to reintroduce our monthly newsletter so we can keep you updated on what the children are doing and any other nursery news.

During October the children will be looking at Autumn. We will be collecting leaves and twigs from our nursery garden and making a sensory box. We will talking about woodland animals and identifying them in our story books The children will also be making their very own Autumn Tree for a wall display with tree rubbings and leaf and vegetable printing. In circle time the children will be talking about the changes in the environment such as leaves changing colour and conkers falling from the trees and onto the floor. We will also be doing some Pumpkin carving in time for our Halloween party.



Supporting Your Child At Home

Look at the changing environment whilst out and about and point out the Autumn colours. Go for a walk in the woods and scrunch on some leaves. Make a small collection of leaves, conkers and acorns at home.

At home you could encourage them to dress themselves in the correct clothes for the weather such as do you need a sun hat or a winter hat, do you need shoes or wellies?

Song of The Month

Dingle Dangle Scarecrow

When all the cows were sleeping and the sun had gone to bed

Up jumped a scarecrow and this is what he said: "I'm a dingle dangle scarecrow with a flippy floppy hat.

I can wave my hands like this and I shake my feet like that."

When all the hens where roosting and the moon was behind the clouds

Up jumped a scarecrow and shouted very loud: "I'm a dingle dangle scarecrow with a flippy floppy hat.

I can wave my hands like this and I shake my feet like that



Our book this month is:- Meg and Mog

We will be reading Meg and Mog in preparation for Halloween on 31st October

Our song this month for our smaller people: Incy Wincy Spider

Incy wincy spider climbed up the waterspout,

Down came the rain and washed the spider out,

Out came the sun and dried up all the rain,

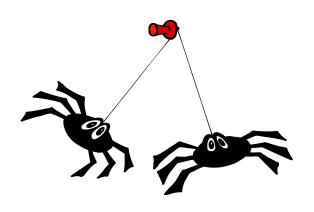
So Incy wincy spider climbed up the spout again.

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General Nursery News

Staff News

We welcome 2 new members of staff. Alyce Gee is a fully qualified Nursery Nurse and is working with our Bumble Bees alongside Karren and Rachel. Louisa Marsden is one of our mums. Louisa will be working with Squirrels alongside Natalie. Ellen has moved to Badger Room to work with Ellie and the Badgers.

Friday 30th October: Halloween Party Tea.

If your child would like to come dressed up in a spooky outfit they are more that welcome to. We will be having a Beastly Buffet for tea with Haunted Cookies, Creepy Cupcakes and all washed down with Emma's Witches Brew!!!



New Menus

As we are approaching the winter months we will be moving to our new menu on w/c 5th October., Menus can now be downloaded from our web site.

Tapestry and Feedback

We are now only going to use Tapestry to map your child's progress and development. We will give you daily feedback on your child's day at the door. Please can we remind parents to maintain a social distance.

Nursery Bag

Please check the contents of your child's bag that they have weather appropriate spare clothes – warmer clothes. Also a jacket, hat, gloves for outdoor play.

Can you please check that your child has a pair of wellies that fit them.

Nap Time

Just a reminder that if your child has a nap with us please can you provide a blanket. We will return it back to you for washing.

Car Park

We have noticed recently that some of our children are running around the car park after pick up. For obvious reasons we would appreciate that you hold your child's hand until you get to your car. If you require any assistance then please don't hesitate to ask. Can drivers also enter the car park at a slow rate.

Dates for your diary

Halloween Party – Friday 30th October

Autumn Half Term: Monday 26th October – Friday 30th October

Christmas Break:- Tuesday 24th December Closing at 2:30pm

Nursery Reopens:- Monday 4th January 2021