



14th May 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

It has been a lovely week mainly filled with EID celebrations and playing in the rain! It has been great to get to test our new welly boots and all the children are now familiar with what colour they wear. And we have finally been given an installation date for the fitting of the front panel on our Garden Room!! On the 25th May builders will be on site and by the end of the day we will have a fabulous new space! Watch out for photos of the ribbon cutting ceremony!

COVID Update

Thank you for your support with wearing face masks on site. This has been much appreciated by all staff.

Eid al-Fitr

We hope that all our families who celebrated this week had a wonderful time with friends and family. We certainly enjoyed hearing about your festivities and finding out how different families celebrate and traditions. One of our children delivered a presentation to all the other children about how her family celebrate EID. We felt so proud and we all learnt so much.

If you would like to find out more about Ramadan with your child watch the cbeebies clip on the link below (sent out through MarvellousMe! yesterday.) A young girl shares what her family will be doing to celebrate.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/lets-celebrate-eid>

Then you and your child could take a simple quiz [here](#) to see how much you found out!

Parent ZIP

We are pleased to announce our next ZIP (Zoom Information Presentation) will focus on supporting your child's writing. This will be full of information on supporting early writing skills. The email will be sent out early next week...



Litter Picking

The Owls made a great start on our litter picking project! They learnt about the danger of litter and the benefits of recycling. Then they went out at the weekend and were 'Litter Heroes!' We were delighted to see photos of the great work they did in the local community picking up litter with the gloves and litter pickers they borrowed. All groups will get a turn-this weekend will be the turn of the Badgers! When all groups have had their turn we will be making a great display in the foyer of the building so do send in any photos!

Spare Clothes

Due to both the change in weather with the heavy downpours and, children playing in the garden and not quite making it back up to the toilet in time we are changing children's clothes slightly more regularly. This is not at all unusual for this time of the year. However, we are struggling to find enough clothes. Please could you ensure that you:

- return any clothes borrowed from the school.
- replace the spare clothes in your child's bag-please ensure all spare clothes are labelled.

Thank you in advance for your support with this.

Reminders

- **Monday 7th June** is a Staff Inset Day so we will be closed on this day.
- **Tuesday 8th June** The school photographer will be in
- **Tuesday 22nd June** Ark Farm will visit the school

Have a lovely weekend all!

Hayley Yendell

Headteacher