ROOFTOPS NEWSLETTER OCTOBER 2024 ISSUE

WELCOME TO OUR SPOOKY MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

Hello and welcome to our spooky October newsletter! We have had such a fantastic month and have loved welcoming some new families into our nursery. You may have heard we are now full until September 2025- how amazing is that. Thank you to all of our fantastic families for your continued support, we couldn't do it without you! Our children have loved celebrating all things autumnal and halloween this month and each room is excited to share with you their favourite moments of October!

CATTERPILLARS *



REMINDER

Babies staff want to remind you with the weather changing that we still go outside so please can you provide warmer coats and footwear



This month in babies we have enjoyed our autumnal activities which have been from painting, gluing and sticking to exploring a themed sensory tray with different items. We absolutely loved the pumpkins and leaves, they were a big hit! We have had some children that have began developing and achieving new milestones. We have been so lucky to see our children trying new foods and even walking for the first time. We are extremely proud of our little ones and have loved sharing the excitement with parents.



BUTTERFLIES

Our toddler children have been having so much fun exploring all things Halloween! They have loved pretending to be ghosts, making lots of spooky sounds and scaring their teachers! Their favourite activity this month has to be creating a bubbling, popping, colourful potion inside their freshly carved pumpkin! They practiced lots of fine and gross motor skills, scooping up the potions and tipping it back inside their pumpkin.







DRAGONFLYS



Our Pre-School children had a fantastic visit to the terrace care home where we decorated some poppies for one of their displayed. They showed the residents their skills and taught them how to do some leaf printing! We loved being out in the community and couldn't help but enjoy some fuss from their dog Rosco! We did such a good job they even gave us some eggs to bring back to nursery from their very own Terrace hens! They have also loved using their senses this month and big gross motor movements to paint and create new colours on their pumpkin! They have been comparing sizes with objects from around the room and loved being challenged by learning new vocabulary!





DATES FOR DIAIRES

-Tuesday 5th Bonfire Night

Sunday 10th Rememberence Sunday

We will be closing for Christmas on 23rd December 2024 and reopening on 3rd January 2025

STAFFING CHANGES



As you are aware unfortunately due to relocation we sadly lost Becki this month, we are so greatful for all wonderful memories we have had over the years with her and wish her all the best of luck in her new role. We have had some further changes to our staffing so wanted to update parents on our staffing structure and what everyone's roles and responsibilities are in our nursery.

MANAGEMENT TEAM

Hannah – Nursery Manager / Director Debbie – Assistant Manager Reanna – Admin and Training Manager Abbie – Deputy Manager / SENCO

CATTERPILLARS

Kim – Room Leader Julie – L3 Practitioner Cheryl –L3 Practitioner Karen – L3 Practitioner Faith – L3 Apprentice

BUTTERFLYS

Rosie – Room Leader (joint position) Leanne – Room Leader (joint position) Jackie – Nursery Practitioner Jena – L2 Practitioner / L3 Apprentice Isabella – L2 Apprentice

DRAGONFLYS

Sian – Room Leader Lisa – L3 Practitioner Charlotte –L3 Apprentice

We also have Lorna (L2 qualified) who cooks our yummy meals and also helps to cover lunches across all rooms.

Whilst working within the management team, Debbie will be supporting across Catterpillars and Dragonflys and Abbie will be supporting in Dragonflys. Reanna will also be covering and supporting where needed across the nursery.

