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**April/May NEWSLETTER**

Yes!!!!! we’re getting closer to summer time and it feels great. The days are warmer and the children are enjoying the sunshine and spontaneous visits to the park after school. Seems the whole school has the same idea at the end of the day to enjoy extended play. Icecream treats go down well.

**March Activities:** The children enjoyed their March activities. Enjoying their favourite books during world book Day. Sharing their stories with their peers was fun. Exploring wildlife and visiting the library to read about wildlife was fun especially for our little wildlife fan. Making Mother’s Day gifts was a highlight for the children and I hope you were all delighted with your mothers Days gifts. They worked very hard adding what they thought mum would love best.

* Area of Learning – Personal, Social and Emotional Development (Psed). The children are so happy together and sharing their daily experiences with each other. Sharing what’s happening at school, home and any new experiences they have had. They take great pleasure in watching how interested their peers are in what they have to say. The younger ones are displaying their likes and dislikes as well as their excitement in new interests so this is a great time to focus on this area of learning. This is going to be very interesting.

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**Apr/May Planning:**

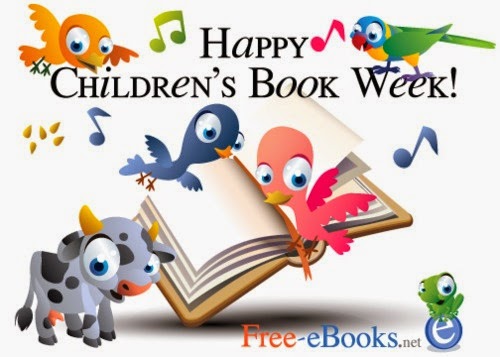
28th April - Super Heroes Day (UK); 1st May -May Day(Pagan); 2nd Children’s Book Week (Global); 8th – Sun Awareness Day; 15th – Walk to School Week; 27th – Ramadan Starts (Muslim); 29th – Spring Bank Holiday (UK)

**NEWS**

* Well I’d like to thank you all once again for your patience and support meanwhile the refurbishment as being carried out to my home. More space and upgraded facilities for the children too.
* Ofsted visit went well so that’s another “Good” Grading for my setting. Ofsted was very impressed with the intelligence of the children and how much care they showed for each other. Also, how well they interacted with me, asking questions or when speaking to her. She definately will remember her farewell from a two year old as she left “ Bye Bye, Have a nice Day”
* Half Term holiday was fun playing lots of indoors and outdoor games, Arts and Crafts, visits to the park and Farm. Great fun for the little one who joined us for a few days over the half term.
* Parents of children going into full time school this September have now had confirmations of their choices and it’s time to get the children school ready. I will be updating parents on this nearer the time.

Special Interest











* News Con’t
* Holiday Date - I will be taking annual

Leave between 31st May – 8th June.

Please make a note in your diaries.



OUR THANKS

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