



## Newsletter April 2023

HAPPY EASTER, we hope you all have a super break and look forward to seeing you again when we return on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> April.

### Child updates

We hope you have enjoyed reading your child's report on tapestry, if you have not yet added a comment or signed, please do so at your earliest convenience.

Parent meetings will be offered to all parents with your child's key worker during April and May, we will allocate a date and time but as always if it is not suitable, please speak to us and we will arrange an alternative.

### Cost of living price increase

As from the 1st April 2023, the voluntary contribution will increase from £1.50 per day to £2 per day.

Thank you for all your support, we could not continue to provide the level of service and care we do without it.

### Fundraising

It has been an extremely busy time in the fundraising department this term and we know the children are going to really enjoy the benefits of this.

Firstly, from money raised on the Christmas raffle we purchased a new shed which I am sure you will agree is quite wonderful – worth the wait!

Then we have continued fundraising through the opening of the new shed cake sale and the easter hunt. Both of which were hugely successful and between them have raised over £500 in March. Thank you to everyone who contributed to these events. The bunny was called Misty and was won by Clover and the eggs in the jar was won by Clemmie – congratulations to both of you.

And finally thank you to the Market Harborough Charitable Foundation who have awarded us a grant to enable us to purchase a mud kitchen which will be arriving early next term - very exciting.

### Red Nose Day

Thank you for joining us in supporting Comic Relief on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March, the children enjoyed coming in dressed up and we raised £30 to donate to this great cause. Thank you all.

## School allocation

For those of you whose child is due to start primary school in September 2023 you will find out your allocated school on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> April, I sincerely hope you all get your first choice. As soon as you know please tell us which school your child will be attending so we can assist with transition as appropriate. Good luck.

## Stay and Play

The next stay and play sessions are:

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2pm-3pm

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2pm-3pm

No need to book, just come along.

If you are super keen to come to a stay and play session and these times / days do not suit you then please email me, and I will organise something with you directly.

## Dates for your diary

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2023** - annual trip to Kelmarsh Hall

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2023** - end of year show and party

## Term dates

Spring term second half	Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> February 2023 – Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2023
Easter break	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April – Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> April 2023
Summer term first half	Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> April – Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> May 2023
Half term break	Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> May – Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2023
Summer term second half	Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June – Friday 21 July 2023
Summer break	Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> July – Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> September 2023
Autumn term first half	Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> September – Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> October
Half term break	Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October – Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> October 2023
Autumn term second half	Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> October – Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> December 2023