



24th April- 14th July

Fox cubs



STAFF IN OUR ROOM

Please have a look at www.parklanekids.co.uk to find out more about the staff.

Lisa Ellis (senior) level 3

Faye Gardner level 3

Katie Smith level 6

Milly Gordan apprentice

Becca Watts apprentice

Emma Roberts (senior) Level 6
(returning from Maternity leave 6th June).

WHAT THE CHILDREN HAVE PARTICULARLY ENJOYED DURING THE LAST 6 WEEKS

The children have been enjoying Lauren coming in from Teeny movers, joining in with lots of fun dance routines. We are going to continue this for another term.

All the children especially enjoyed the Easter craft morning, were they took part in lots of fun activities. The cake making went down especially well.

The children have enjoyed all the different number rhymes we have been singing, this is beginning to show through their understanding of number development.

OUTCOME FROM OUR PLANNING MEETING (each baby has their own next steps, below are some ideas from our planning meeting that support the room. Individual needs will still be planned for).

With the warmer weather on its way (hopefully), Fox cubs will be getting lots of opportunities to take part in water play and spend time out in the garden. We will be going on walks around the golf course exploring the different surroundings, giving the children as much opportunity as possible to move freely between the indoors and outdoors.

We have had a delivery of some new community play toddle boxes that the children are really enjoying playing with these as part of this terms planning each week we are going to give them the opportunity to use them encouraging them to use a range of body parts, such as crawling or balancing on it, and encouraging them to preform given movement such as going slow and then quick.

Fox cubs are planning a "summer" themed party, they are going to create their own mini beach and get involved in lots of exciting beach activities, followed with a party tea and ice cream bar.

We are busy creating our family and friend's books for the children to use and share whilst at nursery, please could you provides us with some photos from home e.g. mummies, daddies, siblings, grandparent's, and pets.

The week leading up to Father's day all children are going to be involved in making a little surprise for their Daddies. We are also inviting Dads and grandads to coming along to our junk modelling afternoon, Wednesday 14th June 1.30-2.30pm.

KEY DATES

30th May- summer party
3.30-5pm

Father's Day afternoon
Wednesday 14th June 1.30-
2.30pm.

Wednesday 21st June, Toddle
waddle 4pm, including a
picnic tea.

PARTNERSHIP WITH PARENTS

We are looking forward to Emma Roberts returning to us after her maternity leave, she has been promoted to a senior member of staff and will be working a Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday.

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On Wednesday 21st June, we are taking part in the Barnardo's toddle waddle, we will be toddling around the golf course, parents and children are welcome to come and take part, 50p donation. Afterwards we will be enjoying a picnic tea.

Polite Notices

Now the weather is getting warmer, please could you provide your child with a labelled sun hat. The nursery provides sun cream, however if you would prefer your child to use a specific one, please could you make your child's key person aware of this, and label with your child's name.

Could we also please ask you to provide your child with a water bottle that they can use throughout the day. Don't worry if you haven't got one we still supply cups and water on the drinks table throughout the day.

ROUTINES

We are still encouraging children to freely use the bathroom for toilet training.

Can you encourage your child to select their photo and name and choose a coat peg for the day. Big bags to go on the floor underneath the coat pegs.

WHAT WE THINK WE CAN DO BETTER

As a staff team in fox cubs we feel we could improve on our communication between each other. As some of us work different days to each other we have introduced a communication book to record and relevant information in.

We would love to hear parents feedback on how we could improve our handovers at the end of the day.

If you have any other suggestions, please email us at www.woodlands@parklanekids.co.uk

For more information about the curriculum your children are learning (EYFS) or how they learn please visit our website www.parklanekids.co.uk and look on the parent's page. We have also uploaded lots of interesting articles and factsheets on the early years which include some great activities to play with your children.

You will also find previous newsletters and menu's

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