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Welcome to our sixth newsletter of the year!

As we begin Term 6, this will be our final newsletter of the academic year. Over the next few weeks, we will be saying a heartfelt goodbye to the children and families who are moving on to big school — we are so proud of each and every one of them. We would also like to extend my sincere thanks to our wonderful staff team for their continued support, dedication, and hard work throughout the year; their commitment is what makes our preschool such a special place.





Parent Consultations – Week Commencing 15th June – School Leavers only

We will be holding **Parent Mornings** this term for the children who will be leaving us to start school in September. A **sign-up sheet** will be available outside preschool for you to choose a time that suits you. As always, our staff team are available for a chat about any child at any time — please just ask if there is anything you'd like to discuss.



Talking Walk-In Service - Reminder

As mentioned in our last news letter, Kent's **Talking Walk-In Service** is a free, friendly drop-in for **any parent who has concerns about their child's speech, language, or understanding skills**.

There are no referral and no appointments needed — just turn up and chat with a speech and language therapist who can offer reassurance, practical ideas to try at home, and guidance on whether any further support might be helpful.

Find dates, times and locations here:

Talking Walk-In Service [Talking Walk-in Service | Kent Community Health NHS Foundation Trust](#)



Sports Day Thursday 2nd July

Our Sports Day will take place on **Thursday 2nd July at 1pm** in the preschool playground at the front of the building, **weather permitting**. Families are very welcome to bring their **own blankets or chairs** to sit on, and **siblings are welcome to join us**. From experience, we know that some of our younger children can find taking part a little overwhelming. We will always encourage them gently, but if we feel they are becoming distressed at any point, we will hand them over to you so they can watch the fun from the sidelines. We would much rather they enjoy the experience and feel confident to join in next year when they are a little older. We will begin practising races from the very start of next term, so please send children in with **trainers** each day; we can change them back into crocs or sandals after practice.



Coin Trail Monday 6th July

The children will once again be creating a **coin trail around the playground**, seeing how far their line of coins can stretch.

We'd be grateful for **any loose change** you can spare to help build the trail **and raise money for our preschool**. Every little bit helps and the children love taking part.

Thank you for your support.





Godstone Farm Visit 7th July

The committee are planning a day trip to Godstone Farm! Parents and carers are very welcome to join us, and tickets are **£12.00 per child**.

Our staff team will also be attending, so if you are unable to come along, your child will still be fully supported and included in the trip. If you will *not* be attending with your child, please let **Mrs Ferguson** know so we can plan accordingly.

For any further details, please speak to **Camilla** or **Abbie**.



Leavers Ceremony 20th July

We will be holding our **Leavers' Ceremony** on our last day of term, **Monday 20th July at 2.00pm**.

If your child does not usually attend preschool on that day but is leaving us this year, please bring them to preschool for **1.45pm** so they can join the celebration with their friends.





Staying Safe in the Sun

A gentle reminder that **sun cream should be applied at home each morning** before children arrive at preschool. We have sun cream at preschool and staff will reapply after lunch. If your child is sensitive to sun cream, please provide a named bottle of your preferred brand.

All children will also need to bring **a sun hat** to wear during outdoor play.

We keep children well-hydrated throughout the day. **Water bottles are refilled regularly**, and jugs of fresh water are always available for the children to access independently.

Thank you for helping us keep everyone safe and comfortable in the warmer weather.



Last day of term - Monday 20th July 2026

Start of Term 1 – Friday 4th September (New starters only)

Monday 7th September (All children)

End of Term 1 – Friday 23rd October 2026

We hope you and your families enjoyed a lovely, relaxing half term break.