Blue Bell Woods Newsletter

June 2025

Our Designated Safeguarding Leads (DSLs)



Safeguarding is EVERYONE'S responsibility. If you have any concerns regarding the safety or welfare of any child, please contact Nerys, Taylor, our Designated Safeguarding Leads, in confidence.

Nerys Evans Lead DSL

Taylor-Lee Sketchley Deputy DSL

Dates for your diary:

- Friday 27th June PHOTO DAY- appointments for children not attending on this day to follow.
- Friday 18th July- Last day of Term (No Term-time only sessions)
- Monday 21st July- 10.30am-12.30pm- School Leavers Graduation Ceremony.

Happy Birthday to the children celebrating their birthday in June!



Ruhani



Emily



Simeon

Reminders:

- Please remember to pack sun hats and lots of spare clothes (including socks!) during the summer term.
- We will provide Morrisons SPF 50 suncream as usual, if you wish to provide alternative suncream please inform your child's key person.

Celebrating VE Day!

A day to be remember and celebrate linked to British values which are embedded in our learning and curriculum: *Democracy, Role of Law, Individual liberty, Mutual respect and Tolerance*.



<u>Tea party!</u> The children enjoyed a lovely tea party meal-time, listening to classical music and full of conversation about what we learnt throughout the day.

We also provided some role play activities such as a tea party in the home corner, and making real cups of tea, using tea bags, tea pots, various herbs and scents. This was a great way to extend the children's imagination, vocabulary, motor skills and provide an all-round great sensory experience!

We engaged in a range of craft activities to display around the nursery for our celebrations. The children were very proud of their creations and were able to show their friends and other staff!









Pre-School had the pleasure of looking at some real war medals which they were extremely careful with and sparked lots of questions. The children were inspired to make their own medals too! They enjoyed watching videos of the parades outside the palace and the plane displays.

Water Play!

We have had lots of water play opportunities available for the children to explore in the garden! Water play is a great way to develop children's motor skills, using large movements and gaining control over tools such as cups and jugs, as well as keeping cool in the warmer weather.

The babies, toddler and pre-school children have been working together and extending their learning, transporting water to various areas of the garden. The children have been watering the plants, making muddy puddles and mud pies as well as cleaning the vehicles and mark making.

The older children show pride in supporting their younger peers whilst the younger children can copy and learn from their older peers.



EYFS; Our Curriculum:

Supporting Communication and language, Physical, Personal, social and emotional, maths, understanding the world and expressive arts and design.

We spend lots of time outdoors here at Blue Bell Woods, because the benefits to the children's learning are endless! Take a look at some of the fun things we have been doing!











