Brecknock Early Years News

9th June 2017

Nursery

We hope everyone had a lovely half term holiday. Last half term we had a wonderful time in Nursery learning all about different plants and flowers and the importance of insects and minibeasts in the garden. Our focus stories this term have been: Jack and the Beanstalk, Titch and Yucky Worms. Outside we built our own wormery, please remember to save your fruit and vegetable peel to feed the worms!

To finish our 'Plants and Flowers topic' we went on a trip to Hampstead Heath to explore the trees, plants and flowers. We found some excellent climbing trees, a huge variety of insects and a magical hollow tree which we managed to hide inside. Thank you to all the parents who helped out.

Song of the term: Wiggly Woo

There's a worm at the bottom of the garden, And his name is Wiggly Woo, There's a worm at the bottom of the garden, And all that he can do, Is wiggle all day and wiggle all night, The neighbours say what a terrible fright, There's a worm at the bottom of the garden, And his name is Wiggly, Wig-Wig-Wiggly, Wig-Wig-Wiggly Woo! Coming up in Nursery Every Wednesday

Stay and Play

9-10.30am

All parents welcome to join us for a morning of fun!

Wednesday 28th June

Trip to Chalkwell Beach

Please check the website for more photos!





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Reception

Last half term our topic was Animals. We enjoyed acting out the story of The Leopards Drum. We made African masks and Suraya's Grandma Lucy came in to play the Kora for us. We had drumming workshops with Rod. We also read 'Bog Baby' and went pond dipping at Camley Street Nature Park where we found some pond creatures including Bog Babies. In Maths we learnt about different shapes and measured different objects. We made patterns for a cloak, used scales to compare different objects weights, measured our height and learnt how to tell the time to the hour. Next week we will send you a newsletter with this half terms topics.

Next Half Term in Reception

Reception Lindisfarne Kentish Town Fire Station trip will be rescheduled and the date confirmed soon.

Story Fridays . Please feel welcome to come in and read a story with your child and some of their friends from 9am every Friday.

Our Sports Day will be on Wednesday 12th July in the morning at the Clock Tower Park—please come along and join us.

We will be playing outside with water this half term so please make sure all children have spare clothing.



Above from left: Lucy playing the Kora, Leona watering the willow, Alayah pond dipping at Camley Street and Lester and Kit hunting for minibeasts.

Please remember to apply sun screen to your children before school and make sure they wear a sun hat if it is a hot day.