



What have we been up to this week?

This week in nursery we have focused on autumn and looking at the change in colour of the leaves in our nursery environment. Children have painted their own leaves for us to use on our autumn display and will be adding to this in the coming weeks. Also this week some of the children have been brave enough to hold Alby our giant African Snail in their hands. He was very slimy and the children were very gentle and showed great care when handling him.

Well done everybody!

Tapestry

As you are all aware we are now observing our children on I pads through a app called Tapestry. Please ensure that staff have your correct email addresses so that you can log on and contribute to your child's learning. Don't forget to activate your account by following the link in the email sent to you. Please let a member of staff know if you have not yet received a link for tapestry through your email account.

Old pots and pans

Do you or your family members have any old pots and pans that you no longer use? If so please could you donate them to Alby Tots for us to use in our outdoor mud kitchen area.

Up to date contact details

Please ensure that you have given your most up to date contact details to nursery.

Alby Tots new contact telephone number

Alby tots now have their own contact telephone number, please call this number to report your child's absence from nursery or if you have any queries or concerns.

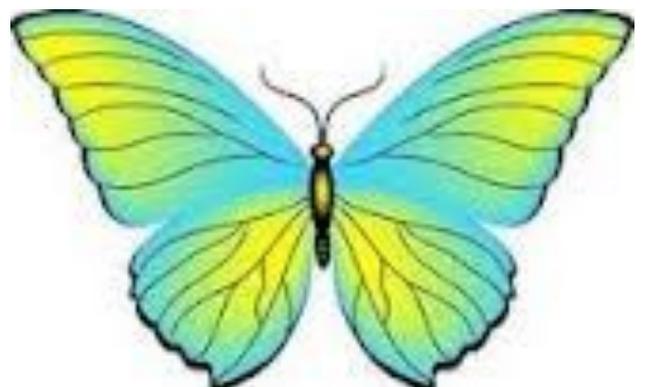
0151 290 3819

Dates for your diary

Alby tots will close for half term on Thursday 22nd October and will reopen on Monday 2nd November.

Nursery News...

2nd October 2015



Stars of the week



Cody— for helping others.
Jake— for good listening.



Welcome

Firstly we would like to welcome our new friends who have joined us this week — Peace, William and Maurika.

Thank you

We would like to thank everyone for making the time to attend the Macmillan coffee session, last week. We would also like to thank you greatly for your kind contributions; as you helped raise over £ to put towards the Macmillan funds. Thank you.

Tapestry

Our nursery Tapestry App is up and running. Many of you have given us your email address and have already commented on your child's learning journey. We have loved reading your comments, thank you for your support.

If you have not yet given us your email and would like to, please let us know. Similarly, if you are experiencing any problems we can help too.

Lovely weather

We celebrated the 1st October yesterday with beautiful sunshine! The lovely weather has meant we could play outside all week. This week we have been talking about autumn and the children have made some fantastic collages using natural materials. We sorted natural objects such as leaves, conkers, pinecones and compared size and colour. Have a look at our pictures on the opposite page!

Home Reading Books

Every Friday the children will be given a home reading book. Please return to nursery the following Thursday.

Important Information and Dates for your diary
Snack is £1.00 a week to contribute towards our essential snack funds.

Please update us with contact numbers and any other details that may have changed.

Nursery Contact number 0151 477-8563

Thank you all—from Miss Jackson, Mrs Westhead and Miss Holmes!