

Newsletter February 2023

Theme: Community Helpers

Colour: Pink **Shape:** Heart

Our topic for this month is 'Community Helpers'. We will learn about different roles within the local and wider community and explore resources and activities relating to these roles. Our children will learn about the roles of the doctor, nurse, dentist, fire fighter, shopkeeper, lollipop man, postal worker and police officer.

If any of our parents/grandparents/carers have any special roles within the community, we would be delighted if you could come into Nursery and share your experiences with the children. Please speak to a member of staff who can arrange this.

We will also be learning about Valentine's Day and completing little activities relating to this very special day! Our colour for the month is pink and our shape will be the heart.

Musical Monkeys

Lorraine from Musical Monkeys will continue to visit the Nursery each Friday during the month to complete some fun musical activities with the children.

Nursery Fund

A gentle reminder that we collect £3 each week which is payable on a Monday or the first day your child comes to Nursery. After Easter, the weekly contribution will increase to £5 each week due to rising costs. Thank you for your continued support.

Mid-Term Break

Nursery will be closed from Monday 13th - Friday 17th February and will re-open again on Monday 20th February.

Industrial Action

As you will have heard through the media this week schools will be affected by strike action on the morning of **Tuesday 21**st **February**. As the picture becomes clearer in relation to Carnlough Community Nursery we will update parents. At this stage, we world ask parents to make contingency plans for their children not to attend Nursery on this morning.

Class Photograph

Tempest Photography will be attending on Wednesday 22nd February to take the Nursery class photograph. Children should wear their uniform on this date. If your child was unable to get their photograph taken in October and you would like to have it taken, please speak to a member of Nursery staff who will arrange this for you.

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Nursery Teacher