

Noah's Ark News

Week ending 20 November 2020

Welcome

Forest School Update

As you may be aware, Coronavirus restrictions have meant that we have been unable to run Forest School yet this year. Sophie and the Forest School team have managed to recreate the Forest School experience in the Green Garden round the back of the church.

Children in their Pre-school year will dress for the outdoors and go to this area in small groups on a Thursday morning to explore the nature in our back garden. They will be bug hunting and doing activities to develop new skills such as making models with clay and natural materials.

A highlight of the sessions has been to make their own snack of toast and jam over the campfire.

Birthdays

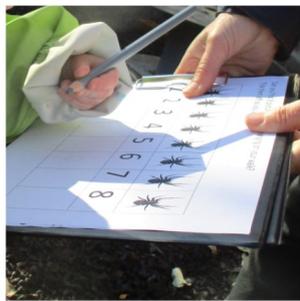
After careful consideration, we have decided that we can no longer accept treats from home for children to share to celebrate their birthdays. We have a number of children with allergies and that, together with keeping our setting Covid safe has just meant that it has all become a little bit too complicated.

We will of course do what we can to make your child's birthday special, lighting candles on our model cake and sharing some special treats which we have bought which we know are safe for everyone.

Coffee Afternoon

Next week we will revive our Meet the Managers Coffee afternoon which was a regular feature before the pandemic. It will be taking place on Zoom on Monday 23 November. For more information please see the attached flyer.

We hope you are all keeping well and wish you a good weekend,
The Noah's Ark Team



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Virtual Coffee Afternoon

Monday 23 November

Grab a cup of coffee and join Jane and Sophie for a virtual coffee afternoon on Monday 23 November at 1.30-2.30.

We recognise that many families are feeling under extra pressure during this time and managing your child's behaviour at home can feel an extra challenge.

We plan to focus on sharing some behavioural strategies that we use at Noah's Ark.

The meeting will take place on Zoom.

If you would like to join us, please email the office and we will send you the Zoom link.

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