



HWPP Newsletter

PSE & UNDERSTANDING OF THE WORLD

Last week saw the Butterflies prepare for a taste of what 'big school' will be like. Desks were set up with paper and pencils; each day we asked the children to write their names, numbers, draw shapes and describe themselves. The aim was to maintain focus for a slightly longer period of time but also to entice children to answer questions without shouting out allowing everyone to have a go. The children absolutely revelled in this role play eagerly trying to impress and draw on their knowledge from what they have learnt over the year.



Meanwhile, Caterpillars sifted through to the big hall engaging with the activities on offer. They are becoming very comfortable amongst the older cohort which demonstrates they too are ready for the transition ahead.

The theme of transitions will run through to the end of term. We shall be holding a "Show and Tell" weekly on **Fridays** to encourage confidence and self-worth usually about the theme of the week. Therefore, we are asking children to bring something to do with 'Holidays' on Friday - it can be anything associated with this topic. Additionally, if any child wishes to bring in a small wheeled suitcase, please do as we set to go abroad tomorrow!!

We shall be encompassing holidays, with beach life/oceans and creating our very own take of this at HWPP. Tuesday and Wednesday will entail using the paddling pool due to the very hot weather. There is no obligation but if your child would like to participate please send in the following: **NAMED BAG WITH NAMED ITEMS** swimming costume/shorts, a towel, bucket & spade and a change of clothes. If children are still in nappies, please send in nappy swimmers too.

All children should have sun lotion/cream applied before arrival daily and staff will top up as and when needed. **EVERYTHING MUST BE NAMED**, otherwise we cannot guarantee the items will come back to you. Gazebos and Sails will be put up in the playground as sunscreens to protect the children.



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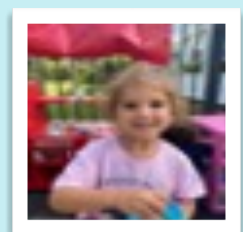
Are you enjoying the newsletter? Do feed back and let us know.



Winner for the 2nd consecutive year!!
Best Preschool in North London

Star of the Week

Anastasia



For her excellent focus and application to all the activities.
WELL DONE!!



Theme of the week

Transitions

Going on holiday
Beach life

Father's Day



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Library

Library book bags will go home this Wednesday

Please sign up to become an HWA member

We will be looking to hold a parent's evening or morning over the next few weeks to introduce you to my co-director of HWPPL Alan Walker, a highly esteemed professional who has been working behind the scenes to try and save HWPPL from an unfavourable fate. Following the consultation meeting in May there have been messages released about Mr Walker which are unfavourable and false but moreover we would like to listen to your opinions and see where we can all work together to maintain our position here at the centre. HWA Membership is crucial and we ask you to join to save our mutual cause:

http://www.hadleywood.org.uk/uploads/1/4/5/7/14571008/hwa_revised_form_aug-21.pdf

Please could you identify your preference to a morning or evening meeting by WhatsApp thank you.

Caterpillar's Consultation Meetings

With the Butterfly meetings almost finished we turn our head to Caterpillar consultation meetings to discuss your child's progress over the year. Please select a date and time on the form to speak either with your key person or Supervisor. Thank you.

PE Kit

Please could all Butterflies bring in shorts, tee-shirt and trainers this week. We would like your children to dress themselves as if they were in school preparing for a PE lesson. This is to see if children can dress and undress independently, including socks and shoes - start practicing as staff will not help.

Jacket Potatoes for Lunch on Thursday

As part of our healthy eating week we will be offering jacket potatoes with the option of cheese and beans for a filling. Children will not need to bring in their lunch bags on Thursday 15th June, however, as back up you are welcome to send in a snack just in case they don't like it. We will be encouraging them to have a go though!!

BOOK READING AT HWPP



Thank you to all the parents who have volunteered to read to the children. Amazing as always with your enthusiasm. Please give your names to Hannah or Zofia if you would like to read to the children. Many thanks.

We have volunteers currently to read so don't be shy!!

Literacy:

Letter of the week and this week is 'z' for zoo, zip, zig zag and zebra. Please encourage and share with your children this sound and words that begin with this letter.

We shall continue with Rusty's adventure into space, so far so good.

https://cdn.oxfordowl.co.uk/2016/07/22/09/35/03/277/rwi_RPhO_SSPS_Set1_z.pdf

Book of the week for Caterpillars:

What the Ladybird heard at the Seaside by Julia Donaldson

Book of the week for Butterflies:

Sharing a Shell by Julia Donaldson

Confidence is my SuperPower by Alicia Ortego

Communication and Language (C&L)& Literacy

We will be highlighting how to go on holiday, what modes of transport can be used and what do we need to do so. We shall also talking about what is found on the beach and in the oceans (good and bad) as we anticipate a visit from Greenpeace on Tuesday.

Numeracy

Reflection on days of the week and seasons. Measurement and weight.

Expressive Arts

Children will be preparing for the leaver's concert and busily making something (it's a secret) for Father's Day.

Physical

All the children will be practising a host of races ready for sport's day. Butterflies will have a go at hockey to encourage spatial awareness and hand and eye coordination.

HWPP UNIFORM

Please ensure correct uniform is adhered to. Dark navy or white shorts are allowed as we await the arrival of new stock from a new supplier over the next few weeks. All children **MUST** have an HWPP sun cap. Please let us know if you would like anything ordered.

HEALTHY EATING WEEK

We will be making a fabulous fruit salad this week with the children. Please send in a small Tupperware pot for the food to go home in.



Please see the link below to get the recipe: <https://www.foodaactoflife.org.uk/recipes/3-5-years/fabulous-fruit-salad/>

NEW - HWPP SURVEY

LAST CALL TO SUBMIT THE SURVEY PLEASE.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1FJecbv1JlInBkadb4HzSLAAJcOkae72kYRyyXezWno/edit>

We need your comments please !!!

Sport's Day & Fundraiser



We are busily preparing for our Sport's Day where we will be asking parents to participate in the races and fundraise for the nursery.

We would like to provide a buffet of different dishes on the day together with soft drinks and mixed fruits.

We also hope to have a bouncy castle and ice cream van present for children to mark the end of term.

Dates for the Diary

12th-16th June

Healthy Eating & Fitness week

Tuesday 13th June

Greenpeace Visit

Friday 16th June 10-11.30am

Welcome Morning - Prospective Parents

Sunday 18th June

Father's Day

Tuesday 20th June

HWPP Individual & Class Photos

Friday 23rd June 10-11.30am

Transition Meeting for Butterflies

Tuesday 27th June 10-11.30am

Transition Meeting for Caterpillars

Thursday 29th June

HWPP End of Year Outing

HWPP CLOSED

Friday 7th July

Leaver's Concert @ 12.40pm

Monday 10th July

London Tootbus Outing

Friday 14th July

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Last Day of Term