



Hi everyone,

We'd like to start by saying a HUGE thank you to the extremely kind gentlemen who helped us rescue all of our resources and books from the underneath storage on a very rainy Sunday morning last month. As the river threatened it needed many hands to help carry everything upstairs and we are very grateful for the help. We hope anyone else who was affected is doing okay and we don't have to face it again for some time.



But as they say... the show must go on! We're really excited that our Mud Kitchen mornings have been able to restart. If you have children aged 1-4 and would like to visit our setting, meet other local families and get muddy(!) then join us on Friday mornings 10-11.30. Tea and toast available for everyone, just £2.50 per child.

We have been loving the recent burst of sunshine, we've been out and about making the most of the lovely weather and looking for signs of Spring.



This term we have celebrated World Book day.

The children enjoy stories at any time during the session. Snuggled up on the cushions in the book corner they listen to much-loved classics such as Room on the Broom, Hungry Caterpillar and the Gruffalo.



We also set out the tuff tray for the children to re-tell the story of the Three Little Pigs – everyone’s favourite.

Our story at the end of the session is a very special time. The children are invited to join us in storyland with a song and treated to a snack and drink as the staff member tells the story. These traditional fairy tales and nature stories often have a simple moral encouraging kindness, generosity, fairness and respect for others.

We continue to collect items for Bag2School. If you are planning a Spring clean please think of us! Good quality clothing, paired shoes, handbags, soft toys, curtains and towels can all be donated - drop your bags at the pavilion or get in touch to arrange collection.

We are also collecting printer cartridges so if you have any around or know of a local business who may have some please contact us.

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