## Nursery News



#### November 2025

#### Hello to all our lovely parents,

We're excited to announce that our nursery newsletter is back! It will be filled with updates, important dates for your diary, and lots of useful information about what's happening at our nursery.

We're also delighted to welcome back our wonderful Aimee after her maternity leave. Aimee and baby Bobbie will be joining us on **17th November**, and we can't wait to have them both back with us!

#### P Happy 10th Birthday to Us!

You might have noticed our beautiful **balloon arch** in the foyer area, it was kindly created by one of our lovely parents!

This week, we've been celebrating our **10th Birthday**, and we couldn't have reached this amazing milestone without the support of our wonderful parents and dedicated team.

A huge **thank you** to everyone for being such an important part of our nursery's journey, here's to many more happy years ahead!



#### **Dates for the Diary**

**Wednesday 5th November** – *Bonfire Activities*The children will be taking part in some fun, themed Bonfire Night activities throughout the day.

**Thursday 13th – Friday 14th November** – *Children in Need* We'll be supporting **Children in Need** with two fun-filled days!

- The children are encouraged to come dressed in pyjamas or Pudsey-themed clothing, with a small donation to the charity.
- On Thursday, we'll have a disco day, and on Friday, the children can relax and enjoy a movie day.



#### Refer a Friend!

We're excited to introduce our **Refer a Friend** offer! Recommend our nursery to a friend, and once their child has been with us for **three months**, you'll receive a **£50 Amazon voucher** as a thank-you from us.

So spread the word — we'd love to welcome more wonderful families to our nursery community!

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Our babies have been forming lovely bonds with the team and are beginning to build their peer-to-peer interactions. They're showing great curiosity and joy as they explore and play alongside one another. You can support this at home by encouraging simple shared activities, like stacking blocks together or sharing toys, to help them practice taking turns and communicating with others.

Our toddlers have been developing their independence as they explore new routines and learn to do more for themselves. It's been wonderful to see their growing confidence as they take on new challenges and show pride in their achievements. At home, you can nurture this independence by letting them dress themselves, pour their own drinks, or help with small household tasks.

Our preschool children have also been learning all about Bonfire Night safety. They can tell you some impressive facts about how to keep safe around fireworks, sparklers, and bonfires, we're so proud of how much they've remembered and understood! You can reinforce these lessons at home by discussing safety rules together and involving them in planning safe ways to enjoy celebrations.

These last few months, the children have been on some fantastic trips!

Our babies enjoyed a walk to Sale Water Park, where they saw some horses, swans, and ducks. It was a lovely opportunity to explore nature and learn about animals.

Our toddlers have been on a walk to the local park, where they've been developing their gross motor skills through climbing, running, and balancing.

Our preschool children have been on amazing trips over the last few months, visiting the Manchester Science and Industry Museum, Manchester Museum, Wythenshawe Farm, and even a local care home, where they did some wonderful activities with the residents. These experiences have sparked curiosity, creativity, and empathy. We've also been learning about different cultures and celebrations. A special highlight was when Neha shared the beautiful traditions of Diwali with us, the children loved discovering the story of the festival and taking part in creative activities inspired by the celebrations.

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### Keeping Warm as the Weather Turns Cooler

As the weather gets colder, it's important that children come

to nursery dressed appropriately for the changing seasons. We love to spend time outdoors every day, and our children play outside in all kinds of weather — from crisp autumn mornings to chilly winter afternoons! Wearing warm, layered clothing helps children stay comfortable and enjoy their outdoor playtime to the fullest. Layers are ideal, as they can be added or removed as the temperature changes throughout the day. We recommend coats, hats, scarves, gloves, and waterproof footwear so the children can stay cosy and dry while exploring the outdoors. Outdoor play is a vital part of children's learning and development, it helps build resilience, supports physical health, and gives them a wonderful opportunity to connect with nature. With the right clothing, the children can safely enjoy fresh air and active play, no matter what the weather

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