

# september newsletter 2024







"Autumn is a second spring in which every leaf is a flower"





### WHAT MAKES ME...

### ME!

#### **PRESCHOOL**

It is as important to learn about the world around us as it is to know ourselves so, during September the preschool children have been learning about themselves and what makes them unique.

During circle time they have been answering simple questions such as What's my favourite food, What would I like to learn about, What's my favourite snack and Something I am good at and sharing their answers with the rest of the classroom.



Not only that, the preschool children have also been busy painting their own portraits and making mirrors!

We have also loved having Kadsy back to play football and Belinda for singing. Holly has also been dancing with us and we have had Forest school with Sammy the Squirrel too.

Our topic for October is Autumn and we have lots of interesting and exciting activities planned.

#### JOYFUL AUTUMN DAYS

#### Baby Room:

The children in Baby Room have welcomed September in the best way possible.

With daily walks in the park and time spent in the garden the babies have enjoyed collecting Autumn leaves to use in their crafts.

They learned and repeated colors such as: red, yellow, orange, green and brown which they used most often, and some of them are already able to name the right color and point to it during outings.

This season has brought lots of seesawing, sliding, balancing and running around in the Autumn leaves for the babies.



#### Tweenie Room:

The children in Tweenie Room had a lovely visit from a snail to welcome September. As we had been learning about bugs for the last couple of months and where to find them, it was a wonderful chance for them to experience it up-close. They learned about the feeling of the snail on their hand, how gentle they had to be with it and where it lived.

Not only September has been a wonderful time to learn about minibeasts, but also to enjoy the Autumn breeze with morning picnics outside nearly everyday.

On top of that, the Tweenies have also been practicing and enjoying their artistic skills using natural resources such as leaves, sticks, pinecones and rocks.









# add to your calendar:

Ist October - Superheroes, Princesses, dinosaurs or creepy crawly creatures... come to nursery dressed as your favourite character! We are hosting a fundraising event for a children's trust named Crackerjacks. Their aim and ours is to help raise funds for families who have children with disabilities. Donations can be made using the donation form attached on the family app newsfeed. Looking forward to seeing you all in character!

10th October - Staff will be wearing yellow in support of world mental health day.

save the date!

21st October - Parents, you are invited for coffee & cake! Please join us for our first information evening. We will be discussing the importance of safeguarding whilst enjoying some sweet treats. Closer to the date further details will be given and access to a sign up form will be provided. Looking forward to seeing you all there!

## quick reminder:

Dear Parents,

Just a quick reminder that the bus parking spaces in front of the nursery are used throughout the day & evening by Arnold Lodge School and need to be available during these times. Please support us keeping them free even during busy times

Thank you for your understanding.