

# Nursery News

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## This Wednesday – Has your child got a ticket yet?

**2015**  
**Teddy Bears' Picnic**



We have set aside this Wednesday for a fun 'Teddy Bears Picnic' for the Nursery children.

We'll be making sandwiches and hummus, and then enjoying them with our Teddy Bears as part of a picnic (hopefully in the sunshine!) with some Pom-Bear crisps and drinks.

We'll also be playing some fun games with our friends, staff and teddy bears!

We would really appreciate a £2 donation for each child so that we can buy all the food and resources for this fun event. We have 'tickets' available to buy now in Nursery for £2 (please bring the correct money in cash).

If you have any questions, please do ask one of the nursery staff.

## Thank You

We do hope that everyone enjoyed our Summer Fete in the sunshine on Saturday.

We owe a great debt of gratitude to the PTA committee members, parent volunteers, staff, sponsors and partners for working so hard to produce such a great event for everyone to enjoy. They are too plentiful to list here but they know who they are and we are incredibly grateful for their hard work, commitment and generosity.



Thanks to all our performers on the day: Irish Spirit Dancing, Lynx Gym, Castielli Dance, Pegasus Gym, ZKS Martial Arts and Respect Kickboxing. Thank you too to all those children, parents, family members and friends who came along on the day and supported the event.

The PTA events raise much needed funds for the school. You may have noticed some contractors working in the corner of our school field over the last two weeks - this is an exciting project which will be revealed soon and has been made possible thanks to the funds raised by the PTA.

## Hot, sunny weather



We are hoping that our hot sunny days will continue this week so can we please remind parents that all children need to come to Nursery with a named sun hat and a named water bottle every day.

Also, please put on plenty of high factor sunscreen before your child comes into Nursery.

## Move Up Day - Tomorrow

If your child is starting in Reception in September he or she is likely to be invited to an induction session. For children coming to Buckingham Park this is tomorrow!

Children can come to Nursery as usual and the nursery staff will take the children to their induction session in the Reception classes. Children can then be collected from Nursery at the usual time.



## Family Fun – Move Up Day - Tomorrow



As part of our Move Up day tomorrow, we are inviting all our families, new and old, to hang around after school for some fun and to meet with each other in a relaxed, informal gathering.

Our friends from Jonathan Page Play Centre are coming along with a bouncy castle and games, and we also have some field games and sports to try out. The PTA will serve refreshments – in exchange for a donation to PTA funds.

## Scientific Fun at Home

The lovely, warm weather is a great excuse to do some fun science activities at home. In the sunny weather, it's OK to get wet and messy. Try some of these:

1. Playing with ice. Fill up different shaped containers with water and freeze them. You could try plastic bottles, balloons, rubber gloves, ice trays. It's fun to place a children's toy such as a dinosaur or car in the middle of ice, or some beads, children's jewellery or flowers – the children will have fun trying to melt the ice to get to the contents!
2. Exploring bubbles. Use different shaped bubble blowers to create bubbles – then chase them round the garden or park to pop them!
3. Wonderful Water. Whether it's playing with the garden hose, or in the paddling pool, water is such a great learning tool. Provide your child with lots of objects to float, sink, splash, fill, pour and fill with: containers, bottles, tubes, funnels, boats, balls, whisks, cups... The list is endless!

