



24<sup>th</sup> April 2025

Dear Parents,

Welcome back! We hope you had a restful and enjoyable Easter break. We are so excited to dive into another term packed with wonderful activities for your children to explore. A very warm welcome to Sienna and her family who will be joining our Nursery this term. As always, our aim is to provide an engaging and enriching learning environment where children can thrive.

This term, we have a fantastic line-up of events and experiences planned, starting with our colourful **King's Day Celebrations**. Get ready for a sea of orange colour and plenty of festive fun as we explore the traditions from the Netherlands of this special day. A big thank you to Daniel and Isabel's mum for organising this.

Next up is the **Run 4Us Charity Run** which will be a wonderful opportunity for the children to be active while supporting a meaningful cause. We will be getting out our running shoes and learning about the importance of community and giving back. One of the most exciting moments of the term will be the **arrival of the ducklings**! This experience offers a unique opportunity for the children to witness life cycles up close and develop a sense of care and curiosity about the natural world.

We are also looking forward to our **Water Fun Day** celebrations along with our friends in Reception. It will be a very wet event where the children can explore water through play. Please keep an eye out for more details, including what to bring. Later on in the term, we will celebrate **Moving Up Day**, a special time for reflection, pride and looking ahead to new adventures.

Our topic for this term is "**Splish, Splash, Splosh**" which is an open-ended project that allows us to explore a variety of learning areas through a hands-on approach e.g. water play, weather investigations, experiments, storytelling and creativity; the children will be immersed in sensory rich and inquiry led experiences.

As always, we value your support and partnership. Please keep an eye on your emails and classroom updates for more information for the specific dates and how you can get involved.

Here's to an exciting, 'splashy' and memorable term ahead!

Best wishes

Nursery Team

## **Dates for your Diary**

**(some additional dates are on main school calendar)**

### **Summer Term 2025**

<b>Shakespeare Week</b>	Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> April	Children will be introduced to a simple version of Midsummer Night's Dream. They will participate in a variety of activities throughout the week. Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May is dress up day, and the children can choose to be fairies, soldiers, witches and so forth to match the theme.
<b>King's Day celebrations</b>	Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> April	The children will be invited to bring their bicycles and scooters to school to decorate in orange decorations.
<b>Readiness for Reception</b>	Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> April 9.30am	Parents joining our Reception will have the opportunity to learn about their child's next journey and what it involves.
Shakespeare Dress Up Day	Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	The children can choose to be fairies, soldiers, witches and so forth to match the theme.
<b>Arrival of the ducklings</b>	6 <sup>th</sup> -16 <sup>th</sup> May	The children will have the chance to learn about life cycles and watch the ducklings 'live in action'.
<b>Run 4 Us</b>	Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> May	The children will run to raise money towards the school charity. Details to follow.
<b>Roche Tots</b>	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Younger siblings will have the opportunity to explore our Nursery and meet our enthusiastic Nursery team.  To book:  <a href="https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/signin/signup/?referrer=%2Fmytickets">https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/signin/signup/?referrer=%2Fmytickets</a>
<b>Break the rules Day</b>	Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Details to follow closer to the date!
<b>Summer fair</b>	Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup> June	An exciting day for our families to come together and enjoy a day filled with games, books and art and craft activities
<b>Class photos</b>	Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> June	Please ensure your child comes into school in summer uniform with hair accessories to match the school's uniform (red, white and navy)
<b>Water Fun Day</b>	Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	The Early years will come together to enjoy various water themed activities. Details to follow
<b>Sports Day</b>	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> June (am)	The children will participate in a variety of races with the main school
<b>School Summer Concert</b>	Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	A lovely event to listen to our talented Roche pupils
<b>Parent Social Evening</b>	Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	An informal chance to meet the Nursery teachers and celebrate the children's achievements.

<b>Last Day of Term</b>	Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July  Finish at 11.30am	Party Day! Children may wear home clothes or fancy dress. Party list of food will be sent out nearer the time. All children are invited on the last day of summer term.
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\*School trip date to be confirmed shortly!

**Important Nursery Information for your fridge/family planner**

<b>Day</b>	<b>Uniform required</b>	<b>Any other information</b>	<b>Club information</b>
<b>Monday</b>	School uniform		Spanish activity club until 4.00p.m. Please bring an extra snack.
<b>Tuesday</b>	Sports kit with forest school puddle suit and wellies.	School shoes in separate bag please. No red school bag or snack is required on this day.	Nursery activity club until 4.00p.m. Please bring an extra snack.
<b>Wednesday</b>	Normal uniform for part-time children. Sports kit for children who stay in the afternoon.		Fine motor skills club until 4.00p.m. Please bring an extra snack.
<b>Thursday</b>	School uniform		Spanish stories and songs club. Please bring an extra snack

<b>Friday</b>	School uniform with trainers	Half day until 12.00	Stay and play until 1.30p.m or 3.00pm. and includes school lunch.
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