



## Newsletter – June 2026



### Pre-School Graduation



Pre-school graduation will be held on Saturday 8th August at St. Andrews Hall at 11am.

We will be having a leaving party before the ceremony at 9.45- 10.45.

This is just for the children to attend, parents must return at 10.45, ready for the ceremony to commence at 11.



### Raffle

Raffle tickets for the fun day are on sale in the office for £1 a strip! Please drop any donations to the office, thank you!

### Recalled Sand Notice

There have been recent reports of recalls affecting some play sands and craft sands due to asbestos contamination. Following these reports, we contacted all of our suppliers to verify the safety of the materials we use.

We are pleased to confirm that all sand products used by us have been verified by our suppliers as **asbestos-free** and are not affected by any current recalls.

We hope this provides reassurance and peace of mind.

### Sun cream

Can we please ask that children arriving at 9am already have sun cream applied at home. This enables us to take children outside to play before it gets too hot.



Thank you!



### Driveway

Once children have been handed over to their parent or carer, they become the responsibility of that parent or carer. Please ensure your children remain with you at all times on the driveway, as it is not a play area.

If you have multiple children and require assistance getting them safely to your vehicle, please speak to a member of staff and we will be happy to help.

### Water Bottles

Could parents of children in **Daffodils, Sunflowers, and Pre-School** please ensure that their child brings a named water bottle to nursery every day for use throughout the day.

As the weather becomes warmer, it is increasingly important that children stay well hydrated. Having a water bottle available will help us encourage regular drinking throughout the day.



### This month we will be Celebrating...

- International Dinosaur Day – 1<sup>st</sup>
- Child Safety Week – 1<sup>st</sup> -7<sup>th</sup>
- World Environment Day – 5<sup>th</sup>
- Great big green week – 6<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup>
- Men's World Cup – 11<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> July
- Smile Power Day – 15<sup>th</sup>
- Eat your Veg Day – 17<sup>th</sup>
- Father's Day – 21<sup>st</sup>
- Insect week – 22<sup>nd</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>
- Wimbledon – 29<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> July



### Fun Day 2026



Sallywags Fun Day will be on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June, 9:30am-12:30pm, and will coincide with the Nether Edge farmer's market.

Our fun day is to raise money to give to charity. There will be food and drinks stalls, craft and games stalls, face painting, a bouncy castle and much more!

The charity we are supporting this year is Sheffield Hospitals Charity- specifically the neurology department.

Our staff member Charlotte fundraises for this charity consistently throughout the year and it is close to her heart. We would like to fundraise for this charity to support Charlotte and all her charity work.



We hope to see you all there!



### Nursery Improvements

We are pleased to let you know that the roof improvement works have now been completed.

Thank you for your patience and understanding while the scaffolding was in place.

As part of our ongoing maintenance and improvement programme, we are now replacing some of the windows at the rear of the building, along with the pre-school windows at the front.

We are also installing artificial grass in the mud kitchen area of the Over 2s garden to further enhance the outdoor play environment.

In addition, the Over 2s garden has been freshly repainted to give the space a bright new look.

Thank you for your continued support.

### Employee of the month

Congratulations to our employee of the month for May – Leah!



### Theme Planning – this month

The theme for June is our favourite stories. Children will be exploring a variety of our favourite stories each week. Children will explore these stories through various activities: craft, role play and outdoor activities. Please feel free to see the staff in your child's room for activity ideas.



### TERM DATES

Summer Term – Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> August

Last day of term for term time – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> July

**BANK HOLIDAYS – 31<sup>st</sup> August – NURSERY CLOSED**