

Little Hearts News Round



During the month of February the children have been focusing on our topic "Healthy Eating". They have been trying all different types of fruit and vegetables cooked and raw.

They have discussed the differences between fruits and vegetables, how they taste when raw and cooked and where they grow.

Some of the children enjoyed fruit and vegetable printing.

We have also been focusing on turn taking and team work. The younger children (Caterpillars) have been building on their fine motor strength.

How can you help at home?

Explore different coloured fruit and vegetables.

Encourage your child get dressed independently especially putting on their own shoes and coats

Read a book every day



Hola! We have been learning our numbers; 1 Uno, 2 Dos, 3 Tres, 4 Cuatro, 5 Cinco ;and simple greetings;

Hola- Hello/ Comó Estás How are you? / Goodbye- Adios

We have been listening to the song "Un Elefante"

Carolines' "Sticky Sausage Tray Bake" recipe

RECIPE

500g white potatoes
2tbsp oil
½ lemon cut into wedges
1 red onion cut into wedges
6 garlic cloves, unpeeled, crushed slightly
4 thyme sprigs
1 tsp fennel seeds
4 carrots, cut into diagonal 0.5cm slices
8 pork sausages
2 tbsp of clear honey
170g trimmed green beans

STEP 1

Heat oven to 180C/200C fan/gas 6

STEP 2

Put potatoes in a pot of boiling water, cook for 6 minutes before draining well

STEP 3

Tip into a large roasting tin, along with the oil, lemon, onion, garlic, thyme, fennel seeds and carrots, then mix well to combine

STEP 4

Nestle the sausages on top, season well, then roast for 30-40 minutes, turning the sausages only once half way through; drizzle with honey for the last 10 minutes.

Meanwhile steam the green beans and

Coming Up Next Month.

- Independence Skills
- Letter Sounds
- Numbers 1-5

We will be focusing on developing independence skills such as putting own shoes, coats, hats and gloves

We will also be exploring different healthy foods and why they are important.

Boredom Busters

- Get your child to write out shopping lists
- Use puppets when reading stories
- Cook dinner together
- Make hand shadow puppets

Things on in the community

Rhyme Time- Cranleigh Library- Every Friday 10:30-11:00

Soft Play – Cranleigh Leisure Centre

Messy Church- 2nd Sunday of the month 4pm-6pm

Toddler Praise- 10-10:40 Cranleigh Methodist Church

Time Out Together- 10-12pm Every Tuesday- Cranleigh Methodist Church

Dates for your Diary

- Thursday 16th March- Mother Day Tea- 10am-11:30
- Friday 24th March – Greek Day- Dress Up in White and Blue
- Wednesday 29th March- Easter Egg Hunt (if your child does not attend on Wednesday's please bring them in at 9:45am and pick them up at 12pm) **Have your Easter Bonnets Ready!**
- Thursday 30th March- Romani Day – Dress Up in green, blue or red **DAY FINISHES FOR ALL CHILDREN AT 2PM**
- Friday 31st March INSET DAY- NURSERY CLOSED FOR EVERYONE
- Monday 3rd April to Friday 15th April END OF TERM
- Monday 17th April – 1st Day Of Summer

Reminders/Notices

- Get busy making an Easter Bonnet ready for our Easter Egg Hunt on Thursday 29th March!
- Can all parents please bring back spare clothes, we now do not have any spares as they are not being brought back. We will start signing in and out clothes borrowed. Any items not returned will be charged on your invoices.
- Can you please make sure there at least 2 sets of spare clothes in your childs bags at all times (2 pairs of underwear, 2 pairs of socks, 2 spare bottoms and 2 spare tops) They also need waterproof clothing . Please check your childs bag for dirty clothes at the end of each session.
- Can parents please LABEL ALL clothing clearly and permanently so clothes do not get mixed up.
- Can you please make sure your child has indoor shoes if they are arriving in wellies, sandals have to be closed toes or Health and Safety purposes.
- Please make sure your childs water bottle is also labelled, every child needs their own water bottle
- Can you please upload photos onto Tapestry of what you get up to at the weekend, these are great talking points as we print some of the photos off.
- Please leave toys at home, unless you have been asked to bring something in for show and tell.