



## Welcome to our GREAT SANKEY NEWSLETTER

### EVENTS:

Over the last few months we have had lots of fun celebrating a range of event days. We enjoyed a lovely Christmas lunch together followed by a very exciting visit from Santa, the children have been learning about Chinese New Year and have taken part in our monthly bake off's. Well done to our Babies winning our Christmas bake off and Preschool winning the technical challenge bake off.

During the coming months we have planned lots of exciting events for our children and families, please look out for your child's date and time for their stay and play and story time sessions.

We have been collecting warm clothes for Keep Warm Warrington, thank you to all of our families that have donated clothes the response we had for this was overwhelming.



# SO WHAT HAVE WE BEEN UP TO AT NURSERY?



## BABIES ROOM

Babies have enjoyed taking care of Sheldon our nursery tortoise, they watched him eat and gave him water to drink before bathing and cleaning him. We have also been doing lots of mark making using our gross motor skills.



## TOTS ROOM

Tots room held a lovely stay and play session for their families, thank you to all the families that attended.

The children have been doing lots of movement and music to their favourite story “Animal Boogie”.



## TODDLERS ROOM

Toddlers had a super time at the “Creatures and Critters” workshop and were super brave holding the creatures (unlike the staff 😊).

They have visited the local care home to take part in a baking session and look forward to their next visit.



## PRE-SCHOOL ROOM

Our preschool children put on a wonderful singalong at our local church , we hope our families enjoyed it as much as we did.

Pre school have created a lovely display around Chinese New Year, they explored and created some Chinese numbers to add to their display, please take a look at their lovely in the preschool room.



## REMINDERS & ANNOUNCEMENTS:

A polite reminder about parking on the children's centre, the parking spaces on their car park are for the use of the families using the children's centre. We are aware that around busy drop off periods for nursery and school parking is limited but please be patient in waiting to park and refrain from parking on the children's centre. Thank you for your co operation.



Thank you for your support with our fund raising event for Suzanne Shipley we raised over £400 for the family. The children produced some beautiful art work.

## STAFF NEWS:

Our pre school teacher Miss Kirk will be leaving for her maternity leave on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020. We are pleased to inform you that Cerys who currently works in our pre school room as a practitioner will be covering the role of our Early Years Teacher while Miss Kirk is on her maternity leave. Cerys has completed her PCGE and is also a qualified teacher. We look forward to Miss Mckenna taking on this exciting role as our pre school teacher and wish Miss Kirk a safe arrival of her baby boy.

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