

Stafford Newsletter



January 2022

Welcome to our monthly edition of Monkey Puzzle Stafford news!

It has been great to welcome you all back following the Christmas break. We would also like to welcome our new children and parents to the nursery!



So, what have we been up to in January?

Cheeky Chimps

Our babies have been exploring the topic 'woodland' this month. They have taken part in lots of different activities such as painting and colouring animals, and also sticking tissue paper together to make more animals! We look forward to seeing how this topic develops over the next few months.



Mischievous Monkeys

Our toddlers have this month been exploring the topic 'winter' and looking at the popular story....The Very Hungry Caterpillar! They have enjoyed cutting, sticking, gluing, and painting! Lets see how these topics further develop next month!



Groovy Gorillas

Our Pre-Schoolers have been exploring the topic 'dinosaurs' this month! They have enjoyed reading about dinosaurs, as well as acting like them too!!!

Next month GG's move onto a very interesting topic...space!

We have enjoyed spending more time in the gardens...remember to send in coats and hats!

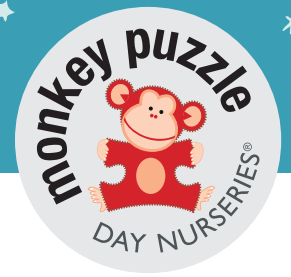


Happy Birthday!

We have been celebrating lots of birthdays in January across the nursery. Happy Birthday Ernie and Evelyn!

Employee of the month!

The Management team are always thankful to all the staff that work so hard to care for our Monkey Puzzle children and develop their learning. Our staff have voted Megan as employee of the month due to her commitment and hard work in the baby room. Well done Megan!



Dates for your diary!

1st February - Chinese New Year

7th to 13th February - Children's Mental Health week

14th February - Valentine's Day

17th to 23rd February - Random Act of Kindness week

TBC - Parent Governor meeting (please note these will be held every 2 months)



Our New Staff:

We are pleased to welcome Lena to our growing team! She has moved here from Germany and she brings with her some fantastic ideas and experiences. Lena will be joining our pre-schoolers – Groovy Gorillas as an adhoc member of staff, welcome Lena.

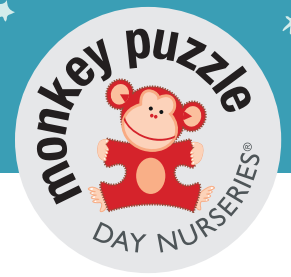
Important notes for parents:

Please ensure you keep an eye on our Famly App for announcements and messages!

If there are any changes to your child's contact details or or emergency contact details then please can you advise management of this.

Our new policies are now available online on our website under Parents Page. The policies are password protected but will be shared with parents via Famly! There will be more new policies being added in the coming months.





We are proud to be rated 9.9/10 on daynurseries.co.uk. Thank you to all our parents/carers who have reviewed our nursery!

Don't forget to add your pictures onto our Family app, so that practitioners can share your child's experiences and achievements with their friends and on their journal.

If you have any questions then please message us on Family or call us during opening times on 01785 250188. We are always here to help.



We are also pleased to announce our Monkey Puzzle Kitchen is being extended and upgraded on 18th - 20th February, we can't wait to share pictures!

Your management team:



Gaitri Sharma
Director



Barb Homer
Nursery Manager



Hannah Kilford
Deputy Manager

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