

## Thornton Heath Nursery School Newsletter May 2024



Dear parents and carers,

Welcome to the summer term, what a rainy start to our final term of the school year!

I would like to take this opportunity to say "hello" to our new families in the nursery and trust that you have received a warm THNS welcome from the staff.

The weeks are already whizzing by and this half term will feel shorter than usual with next week only being four days in school because of the Bank Holiday on Monday 6th May 2024 (the nursery is closed on Monday)

The summer term is always a busy one as we prepare to say goodbye to our children that are moving on to primary school in September 2024. You can find some information below about a few of the events that we hope you will be able to join in with. Unfortunately some of them are dependant on the weather so let's hope that the sun decides to shine throughout the months of June and July.

Jenette and the THNS team



## Primary school offer—for those starting in reception September 2024

Please notify us of which primary school your child will be attending from September 2024 so that we can ensure that your child's records are sent to the correct school. We also need to know if your child will not be continuing their nursery education THNS in September 2024. Please let Caroline or Jenette know by **24th May 2024** at the very latest. We have a long waiting list for spaces and therefore it is important for us to know about any children that might not return so that we can "fill" these spaces.

## <u>Summer terms events: Dates for your diary! (more information nearer the date)</u>

Let's take learning outside, Parent & child event : Wednesday 22nd May 2024 (10.30 am & 14.15 pm)

Celebrating the Olympic games : Friday 28th June 2024 (10.30 am & 14.15 pm)

End of year keyworker meeting week beginning 8th and 15th July 2024

End of summer family picnic : Friday 19th July 2024 (11.00 am - 14.00 pm)





## Safeguarding / Health & Safety

**Mobile phones:** The use of mobile phones **is not** permitted in the nursery. Please finish your call before entering the nursery building and do not resume it until you have left the building. If you are not able to do this you will be required to wait in the lobby area until your call is finished.





**Walking please:** Please **DO NOT** carry your child in and out of the nursery. This is a Health & Safety risk for you, your child and others which could result in injury should you trip or bump in to another person. All of the children are more than capable of walking in and out of the nursery whilst holding an adult's hand for safety.

Food: Please **DO NOT** give your child food to eat as they enter or exit the nursery. If your child is still eating their breakfast / lunch on arrival at the nursery they will need to finish eating before entering the nursery premises.



If they need a snack please wait until they have fully left the nursery premises before giving it to them—this includes left over food from their lunchboxes!

Head of Nursery

Please remember to keep checking our website THNS.org for our news stories and updates. You can also contact us through emailing keepintouch@THNS.org