

# Preschool - York Road Nursery and Yorkies



# Newsletter

### 25th April 2024

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#### **Diary Dates**

Mon 6th May	Bank Holiday
Thurs 16th May	Ark Farm
Mon 27th -Fri	Half Term

31st May



The children have been having fun exploring the nursery playground and using the new sandpit over there. They have also enjoyed playing on the wooden train and using the other different resources on offer. Date for your diaries: on Thursday 16th May Ark Farm will be visiting.





Thank you to all the parents that made donations towards the 'Autism walk' and the 'The National Autistic Society'. With all your generous donations we made a grand total of £1336.50 we have sent a cheque to 'The National Autistic Society' of £668.25.

We shall be purchasing much needed useful resources for those children with extra needs.



We have arranged for Ark farm to visit our nursery on Thursday 16th May.

To cover costs a voluntary contribution of £5.00 would be much appreciated. Please pay on Arbor and add 'Ark farm' as a reference. If your child is in receipt of EYPP you do not need to pay this amount.





## Get into birdwatching

Spend half an hour watching birds in the play area, garden or park. See how many you can identify from their looks or songs.





### PHONICS CORNER

Share a rhyming story, Julia Donaldson writes good ones, or Hairy McClary books, but any will do. Can your child spot the words that rhyme or maybe add some of their own?

### York Road Photo Day

We had invited Davina a school pupil photographer to York Road this week. Due to predicted weather Davina advised us to postpone this week. We have rebooked individual pictures for **Tuesday 21st May**.



Ladybirds are now enjoying the woods for 4 weeks. We are not quite into warm weather yet so please wrap your child up warmly. There is no need to supply a snack as we will have a treat in the woods.

Ladybirds have a lot to look forward to as they learn about keeping safe in the woods, xplore, play games, build dens, look for mini beasts and enjoy toasting marshmallows on an open fire.

#### HAZARDOUS PARKING

Please can we all be extra vigilant where we are parking. On numerous occasions cars are left on yellow lines causing danger for passers by. Please be aware that on Fridays it is bin day and driving in takes longer.

The chicks are growing up so fast! Denise is the larger of the two. Lucy is the leader of the two though and definitely rules the roost. Both love going for walks around the garden investigating everything.

The chicks will be going to Diane Frainer's house to settle into the coop with the rest of the York Road Chick Alumni where they will live a wonderful life being cared for by Diane and her family.

Here are a couple pictures of their adventures last weekend. It's amazing to see how much they have changed!

