



## Noah's Ark April Newsletter 2025

Dear Parents,

I trust that you are all well!

We are nearing the Easter holidays with Friday being the last day of term. On this day children will be able to take part in our traditional Easter Egg hunt. Psst - they do not know if the Easter bunny is coming.

Our Easter Egg competition will finish on Friday and a prize or two may be given for a special Easter egg decoration. If you haven't send your child's egg template back please do so soon so it can be displayed in the window. Any monies donated will be given to the church for their Lenten project. We have donated to the Lenten project for the last 25 years.

After Easter, we are planning to host a hygienist visit from one of Tolworth's Dentist's practices in support of good dental hygiene practices for pre-school children.

Thank you for reading our newsletter.

We all wish you a happy Easter holiday!

Bettina Campion

### Stickers!!!!

During the afternoon and morning session, children are selected for special tasks such as handing out book bags, tidying up the sensory room etc. Your child may come home with a helping hand sticker from time to time. These tasks help children develop confidence and taking on responsibilities from an early age.

We also reward small stickers for other achievements so that children develop a sense of achievement.

### Healthy lunch award

This month's winners of our healthy lunch award are Mila and Anthony

Well done for eating lots of healthy fruit☺



### Spanish Course

Kidslingo is a company that offers a Spanish course for young children in a playful, age appropriate way, has approached us again if we are interested in offering it to our children here. The course takes place during the session for approximately 30 minutes once a week for 6 weeks. Please would you let us know if you are interested in this Spanish course either via email or at the door.

### Food at Noah's Ark

As you are aware we only offer snacks at Noah's Ark which are in line with the voluntary food guidance. As a reminder, we operate a 'No nuts policy' at Noah's Ark which includes snack bars and peanut butter. We cut all grapes before serving them to the children to avoid choking, please also do this if you offer a packed lunch with grapes. Thank you!

### *Pre-school's Playground improvement*

We are continuing to add equipment to help children develop physical skills. Please see below the latest equipment we bought which the children are enjoying very much.



Kingston Children Centre Easter Holiday programme

Please find the link here for Kingston children's centres programme for the Easter holidays. <https://tinyurl.com/KingstonCCS-Easter2025>

*Dates for your diary*

**Easter Egg hunt** - 4<sup>th</sup> April 2025

**Last day of Spring term** 4<sup>th</sup> April - Noah's Ark reopens 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2025

On the last day of term we will finish slightly earlier at **2.45pm**.

**Multicultural day** - 20<sup>th</sup> May 2025 - Dress up in your traditional clothes on this day

**Sports Day** - 13<sup>th</sup> June - Come and join your children for their Sports day.

**25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration** - This day is presently advertised for Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July, but will most likely be moved to Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> July. Please keep the date free.

