



Summer Newsletter

We would like to thank all the parents/carers who have shown The Shepherd's Hut Outdoor Day Nursery great support and understanding. The demands that have been put on us by Government are changing all the time and we are working hard behind the scenes to keep everyone safe and happy. Thank you to those of you who are following the Covid-19 site operating procedures, this also takes the pressure off our staff. If your child is feeling unwell or showing signs of a high temperature please refrain from bringing them into the nursery until symptoms have passed or you have a negative Covid test. Thank you.



This term

We have had a jam packed start to the term with a lovely visit from Jenna, Sophie's horse. The children got to try on a riding hat, sit in the saddle and feed and groom Jenna. One day we were lucky to be able to watch five skydivers practicing parachuting out of an aeroplane over and over again.

The children have been tending to our vegetable patch and were able to harvest some huge radishes. We now have garlic, sugar snaps, lettuce, blackcurrants, potatoes, rhubarb, strawberries and butternut squash growing. Through this the children have been learning the importance of keeping healthy and the things that contribute to this, by identifying fruit and vegetables and then harvesting them for snack time.

During the heatwave the children have been learning science and maths by using water and ice play. The children have been predicting how quickly the ice can melt and what materials can contribute to this. Volume/capacity was used when pouring water from jugs, teapots etc.

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Our last day of the summer term is Wednesday 21st July 2021. **The Holiday Club will start on Thursday 22nd July 2021 09:00 – 14:00**

Please ensure your child is booked on the holiday club and sent in with a packed lunch, suitable clothing, suntan cream etc. If we are due to have extreme heat please provide a towel and extra clothing due to water play.

Start of **autumn term Thursday 2nd September 2021.**



Summer Holiday Club

Our holiday club is now fully booked. If you wish to be added to the waiting list please contact Callie on:
info@shepherdshutdaynursery.co.uk

Staffing

We are delighted to announce that Kat has now become a permanent member of our catering team.