

Newsletter

21st June 2024



Message from the Headteacher

Dear Taywood Families,

On Monday, we welcome back Amy from her maternity leave. Amy will be working across all rooms for the next few weeks to get to know all of our children. Amy will be part of our Breakfast Club, then will spend the morning with Willow children and the afternoon with Orchard children.



Attendance Stars

None of our rooms met our attendance target of 95% this week. Regular attendance helps your child to make friends, become independent and enjoy their learning.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Slater

Headteacher head@taywood.lancs.sch.uk

Upcoming Dates

July

12th July- Pre-School Sports Day 10:30am

17th July- Pirate Day for all children and author visit for pre-school

18th July- Leavers Performance: 11:00am

19th July- School and Seedlings closes for summer

September

Tuesday 3rd September- School and Seedlings opens

Extended Services

Claire is our Extended Services Co-Ordinator and can be contacted at c.farr@taywood.lancs.sch.uk

This week, our after school club children have made the most of the weather and enjoyed the outdoor area. If your child requires a place in our breakfast or after school club in September and you have not already booked your place, please speak with the office staff as soon as possible.

Reminders

Our new school uniform is now available to order from Moonline on Standish Street in Burnley. Orchard and Willow children will wear our uniform from September.



Our Learning



Seedlings
Our babies have been working on their scooping, pouring and emptying skills this week, using a range of materials.



Orchard

Our children made African paper plate necklaces, decorating them with shiny sequins and bright colours. They have been learning the names of jungle animals too.



Willow

Today, our Willow children have followed a recipe to make smoothies. It was very tasty and some children enjoyed every last drop!



Nursery Messages



Reports and Parent Meetings

You will receive an end of year report from your child's key person on Monday 8th July and parent meetings will run from 9th to 12th July during the day with some after school availability. You will be able to book your 10 minute meeting from next week. If you are unable to attend a face to face meeting, a phone call can be arranged.

Friday 12th July at 10:30am - Leavers Sports Day: We will now run a sports day for pre-school children in the morning only. Children who usually attend on a Friday afternoon are able to attend from 10:15am and stay for lunch at no extra charge. Please provide a packed lunch from home. Please let Louanna know if your child is attending this extra session by 5th July.

Thursday 18th July at 11:00am- Leavers Performance: Afternoon children may also attend from 10:45am and stay for lunch at no extra charge. Again, please provide a packed lunch from home and inform Victoria that your child is attending by 12th July. Only two adults for each child may attend both events.

Friends of Taywood

You may recall that Friends of Taywood started before Christmas last year. This is a parent/ family group who wish to take the lead on fundraising for our nursery school. Unfortunately, we did not have many families available to help and it did not get off the ground. I am hearing that some families may be interested in leading this again to organise fundraising events. If you are interested, please email Louanna (Staff Lead) at l.hardman@taywood.lancs.sch.uk to express your interest.

