



Broomloan Nursery School Newsletter

March 2014

Photographer



The photographer will be in the nursery on 24th and 25th April. We will give you more information nearer the time

Cloakroom

Please ensure you use your child's shoe bag. Sandshoes are being left on the floor or in the wrong shoe box and this is causing problems when children are trying to get ready.



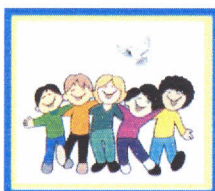
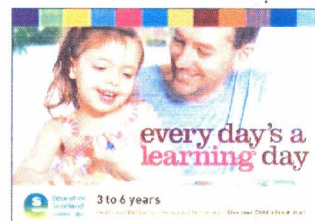
Learning at Broomloan

Over the next few weeks we will be focusing on extending children's knowledge and skills by developing their current interests. This will involve an emphasis on:

- Early literacy and number skills
- Eco and environmental issues
- Health and emotional wellbeing
- Further development of using fingers and hand control for writing and using scissors
- Science and Technology

Details of Learning Outcomes and Experiences offered are displayed on the walls around the nursery and in the children's profiles. Please take time to look at your child's profile and leave a comment.

For ideas of how you can help your child at home take a look at 'Every Day's a Learning Day' published by Education Scotland.
<http://www.educationscotland.gov.uk/resources/e/everydaylearning.asp>



Celebrating Achievement

If your child has achieved something at home or at clubs—big or small, please fill out one of our achievement cards with your child and hand it to Christine/Gemma. It will be displayed on our achievement walls for all to see.

World Book Day

The children had fun dressing as their favourite characters and reading lots of stories. Some of the children also visited Parkhead Library for a story from the author Joanna Hall.



Staff News



Katie finished for maternity leave on Friday. We hope she has a good rest before baby arrives. We will keep you posted on news of the baby. We are happy to be welcoming Rachel Kerr to our staff team this week who will step in and provide cover.

Interviews for the 2-3 Team Leader and the 3-5 Team Leader post are due to be concluded on 17th March. We will inform you of the successful candidates as soon as we know.

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The Commonwealth Baton

The Commonwealth Baton arrives at St Saviour's Primary on 21st March. The children in the Nursery will be joining in the celebration event.



Dental Inspections for anti-preschool children took place on 19th February. You should have received a letter informing you of the outcome.

Triple-P - are you looking for some hints and tips on how to establish good routines or deal with tantrums? Maggie frater in our 2-3 room is here to help. Maggie is trained in Triple P and is here to provide help and support to all our parents.

Eco-group - Will meet on Monday 17th March at 10.30. Parent helpers are needed to work on the garden.

Cat & Dog Home - As part of the children's interest in Pets and learning about caring for animals we are looking for donations for the Cat & Dog home.

The children are also continuing to enjoy the **Soccer Tots** sessions.

2-3 Room Info

Monthly Plan:

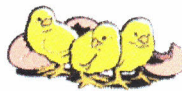
- Promoting independence
- Turn taking
- Learning new songs & ring games

Rhyme of the Month: Baa Baa Black Sheep

Having lots of fun outdoors with our all-in-one rain coats which means we can get extra dirty!



Living Eggs



Egg-siting news!

On Tuesday 22nd April we are pleased to announce we will be taking part in the Living Eggs Ready Hatch Program. We will be receiving living eggs and an incubator.

SECURITY REMINDER— Please do not hold the entrance door open for adults whether you know them or not.

STAFF ONLY are authorized to allow people entry to the building

Important dates:

Spring Holiday	Monday 7 to Monday 21 April 2014 (inclusive) Good Friday is 18 April 2014 and Easter Monday is 21 April 2014 * Please note that schools will close at 2.30pm on the last school day before the holiday (normal hours for children with extended hours)
Photographer	Thursday 24th & Friday 25th April 2014
May Day	Monday 5 May 2014