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Dear Mums, Dads and Carers

A huge thank you for all the support you gave at the Duck Race on Saturday 12th March, whether it was running a stall, baking a cake, donating an Easter egg or buying a ticket to watch your duck race down the Cranborne River. This was our best ever turnout - we raised £1,182.29 which will be split between ourselves and the First School.

Activities

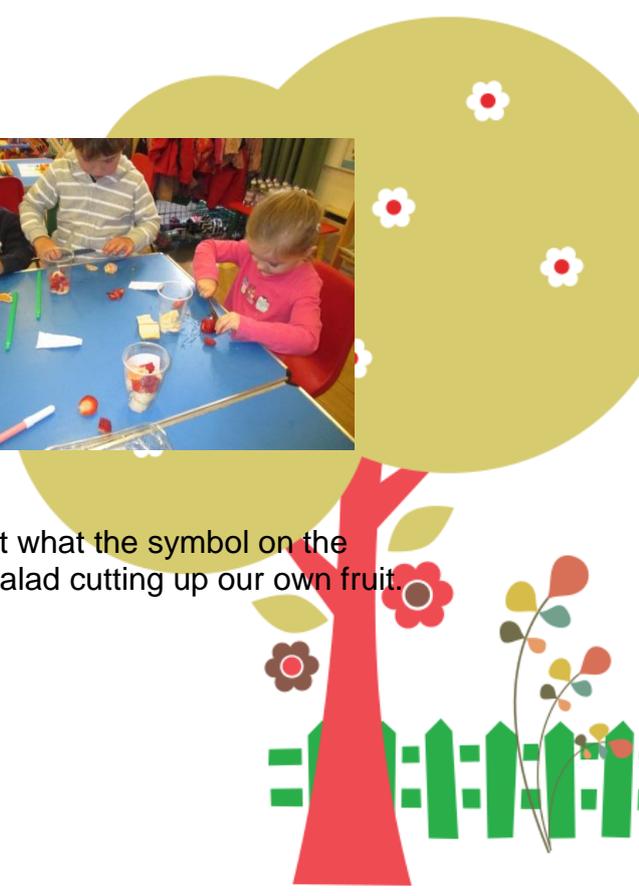


The children enjoyed the Police visit. They listened very carefully as the Police talked about their job, how to stay safe whilst driving in a car and walking on the pavement. Then we were able to explore their Police car and hear the noisy siren.

Fairtrade Fortnight



We explored where food comes from and talked about what the symbol on the bananas and oranges meant. Then we made a fruit salad cutting up our own fruit.



During book week we had many different characters coming into Pre-school. We enjoyed exploring the book 'What the Ladybird Heard Next', retelling the story and creating the characters to make a story board. Miranda came in to support the children to make a shiny Ladybird.

The children also enjoyed the baby clinic and helping to solve the problem when a lion had escaped from the zoo.

This week we have enjoyed playing outside in the lovely sunshine fixing bikes, building roads, playing in our outside kitchen and exploring sand.

Next week we will be exploring Easter and plan to go on an Easter egg hunt in the first school playground.

On Thursday the children will be bringing home an invite to a 'Stay and Play' session to visit our Dinosaur Museum on Thursday 14th April.

Staff News

Jo will be returning for a few days next week (she will be back to her normal days after the Easter holidays). We have missed her and look forward to welcoming her back.

Parent and Key-person consultations

During the summer term your child's key-person will invite you in for a consultation to discuss your child's progress and next steps. Please look out for the date and time in your child's red learning journey book.

The staff and I would like to wish everyone a Happy Easter and look forward to hearing all about your adventures when we return on Monday 11th April.

Kind Regards
Karen





