

ST. MICHAEL'S MAIL

St. Michael's Nursery Newsletter

8th March 2026

Hello from the nursery team:

Hilary, Jennie, Aimee, Adnana, Hannah, Justyn, Katie, Kelly, Lizzie and Louise

Dear parents and carers,

This week at nursery we are continuing with a people who help us theme and if we are super lucky and there are no emergencies, we will have a visit from the Paramedics on Tuesday!

If we are not super lucky, we will still have our dolls and Doctor's kits with bandages and plasters, and maybe some adults will be willing patients! We will have 'Junk DNA' to explore, a selection of real items, mainly metal, the sort of oddities you have in a bits and bobs tin in the shed, left over IKEA fixings, that sort of thing! Children love to explore such junk, question, notice shapes and create pictures etc. We have several children loving rulers so will also be measuring and of course it's Mother's Day at the weekend and children will be creating something to bring home - so please remember to check trays.

Next weekend is the Nursery Spring Fair, I'm reliably informed that there will be a fire engine and Green Watch in attendance!

Spring Fair – Donations Needed

Our Nursery Spring Fair will be taking place on **Saturday 21st March from 10:00-12:00**, and we would love your help to make it a wonderful event for the children and families.

To support the fair, we kindly ask each family to donate:

1 pack of hot cross buns or cakes and 1 Easter egg

The hot cross buns and/or any cakes or baked treats will be used in our Easter café, and the Easter eggs will be used for our tombola.

Please bring your donations during the **week commencing 16th March**, either at drop-off or pick-up time.

Thank you so much for your support – we really appreciate it and look forward to seeing you at the fair!



Thank you.

Hilary

THIS WEEK...

Physical Development:

'Learn with me' from the [Surrey Family Information Service](#), provides development tips and activity ideas to help with early development.

A lot needs to happen before your child can pick up a pen and write. They need to learn to coordinate hand and eye movements, strengthen their hands and fingers so they can grip, and develop balance for pencil control to name but a few.

The 'Write with Me' leaflets provide easy ideas you can use to help your child develop the skills they need for writing.

[Write with me for 2 to 3 year olds](#)

[Write with me for 3 to 4 year olds](#)



Number of the week:



Woodland Wonder:

We're going on a mini-beast hunt! Explore your garden or local park and see what insects you can find, you could take some photos to record and talk about your findings later...talk about their features, how many legs/wings, colours, size, what they might eat, habitat etc.

You can find out more about the insects you find at [The Woodland Trust](#)



Star of the Day

Please upload to Tapestry a photo or short video of something special that your child would like to share with us at nursery. Two or three photos/videos is plenty!

NB. please record videos in LANDSCAPE format (i.e. with phone/tablet held horizontally) so we are able to view them on the large screen.

Monday 9th: Poppy

Tuesday 10th: Callie G

Wednesday 11th: Woody

Thursday 12th: No star today

Friday 13th: Frankie

Our star of the day schedule is also displayed in the nursery window for future dates