

# Bumbles Nursery

Newsletter August 2021

## Events coming up!

10/08/2021- World Lion Day – Get your little ones roaring for World Lion Day. The children will be enjoying making masks, role playing and drawing their own lions to celebrate the beautiful and fearsome creatures! It is to raise awareness of the decline in numbers.

24/08/21-05/09/21 – Paralympics – The children will be learning all about different disabilities and sports in which these athletes play.

28/08/21 – International Bat Night – It is to encourage thousands of people across the country to see and hear bats in their natural environment. The children will carry out lots of bat activities throughout the week leading up to the night.

## Parents Notice

Reminder – Do not bring your child in if they have been given paracetamol/Calpol/ibuprofen etc. Giving medication can mask a temperature. If you child has had a cough, they will need to get tested before coming into nursery and the negative result emailed to us. A cough is a symptom of Covid, and we all want to reduce the spread and keep our children and staff in nursery safe. Thank you.

Reminder – Please label your child's coats/jackets/hats etc. to avoid them getting misplaced or mixed up with anyone else's. If these items aren't labeled, a member of staff will label them with your child's initials. Thank you.

Reminder – Please do not put your child in open toe sandals for nursery, they are a tripping hazard for the children when running around. Thank you.

Reminder – Please let us know if anyone different is collecting with their full name and make sure they know the password.



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## Staff introductions

During the pandemic, it has been hard for our parents to get to know our teachers. This month we would like to introduce Rebecca in Honey Bees and Ellie in Bizzy Bees.

### **Rebecca**

My name is Rebecca, I am following my dream in becoming a qualified nursery nurse. I started my apprenticeship in June after completing a traineeship program. I would like to travel around the world in the future and work with children in all different countries.



### **Ellie**

Hi my name is Ellie. I am Bizzy Bees Room Head and have worked in Bumbles since September 2018. I love teaching the children and getting them ready to go to school.

I enjoy reading and writing while at home. My family live in Wales so I enjoy going there for little weekend breaks



## Employee of the month

Our employee of the month is Sammy. Sammy has adapted fantastically in our Baby room and is a fantastic addition to our team.



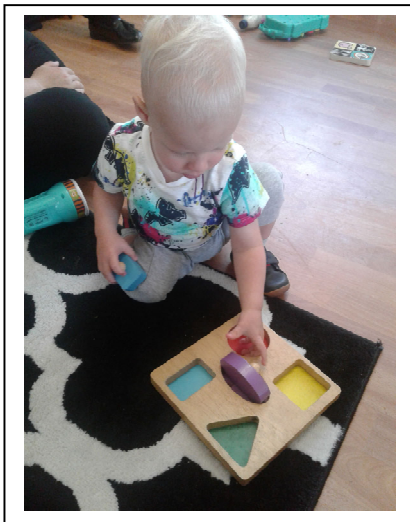
## Baby Bees

This Month our babies have been enjoying the sunny weather and loved lots of water play, in the room and in the garden. Our Baby Bees loved playing in the paddling pool and exploring the water toys. The children have also enjoyed our new jigsaw puzzles and learning how to fit the shapes in the correct spaces.

We have been focusing on our physical development and our communication and language by encouraging the babies to become more familiar with key words

In the garden, we have been exploring the environment around us by using our gross motor skills such as walking, running, and crawling.

*Steph (Room Head)*



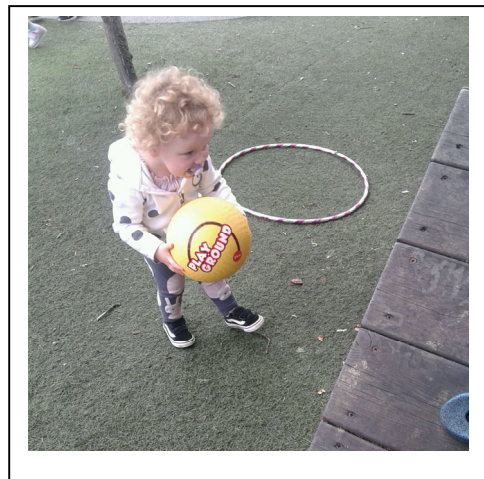
## Honey Bees

Honey Bees have been taking part in a range of Olympic activities such as racing and jumping. We have been developing our communication by naming different body parts using our recent flash cards.

Our children loved learning about shapes, numbers, the alphabet, and days of the week, using our number line and pictures around the room.

In the garden, the children got very wet in the paddling pool and on the water slide in the hot weather. The children have enjoyed playing football and throwing the balls to develop their gross motor skills.

*Rachael (Room Head)*



## Bizy Bees

Over the last few weeks our Bizy Bee children have been learning all about the Olympics and where they are being held in Japan. The children have enjoyed creating the Olympic rings with paint and running races around the garden.

The children have been exploring essential oils mixed into playdough and feeling the different texture and smelling the different smells. This has encouraged the children to use their senses to explore the environment around them.

*Ellie (Room Head)*



## Staff News

We have booked a first aid course in September for all our staff who are due to update their training and knowledge.

## Eco School News

Hi, I am Jess Payne, I will be taking over as our Eco-School Coordinator whilst Jess Hopkinson is on maternity leave. I started

off by teaching the children to look after our environment and how they can do this. We have been watering our hanging baskets and sunflowers in the garden. I am excited to pick our new Eco School Committee as we say goodbye to our wonderful team who are off to school.

Jess P (Eco-School Co-Ordinator)

## Partnership with Parents

With the gorgeous weather recently, the staff and children within the nursery have been enjoying water play games both indoors and outdoors.

The children have been learning how to protect themselves in the sun while having fun, splashing in the paddling pool, and cooling off with our water pistols.

Everyone has been enjoying ice pops during the hot weather to keep them cool too.

*Ellie (Partnership with Parents Coordinator)*

Keep looking at our Facebook page for pictures and news from your little ones. Our website is live, please look at [www.bumblesnursery.co.uk](http://www.bumblesnursery.co.uk). We would appreciate any feedback you may have.

## Thank you!

We hope you enjoyed reading our newsletter. Thank you for trusting us to teach your little ones.

From Rachael and all the Team



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