

Newsletter

20th April 2026



Young Alton Climate Awareness Network Update

“Eating for the Planet”

This term, we have started growing our own fruits and vegetables.

Thank You Alton Lions!

They donated £250 towards our new mini-allotment.



Ophelia's Dad came in to help us to plant carrots, peas, potatoes and beans. We can't wait to eat them!

What's Going on in Alton?

St Lawrence Church Monthly Market

Buy pre-loved toys, books and puzzles

9-12noon - first Saturday of the month

Alton Community Share (St Lawrence Parish Centre)

A free library of jigsaws, games, toys to borrow

2-4pm - second Saturday of the month

Alton Repair Cafe (Assembly Rooms)

Free repairs to clothes, textiles, small electricals and bikes

10.30 - 12noon - third Saturday of the month

Thank you to everyone who donated their old clothes.

We raised £52 towards resources for the nursery.

We collected 15 bags and prevented 174kgs of old clothes going into landfill.

We are here to help!

OUR SAFEGUARDING TEAM

Becky, Tammy, Sarah, Amanda or Jess.

If you have any concerns about the health and safety of a child attending the centre, or feel something is troubling them, please share this information with a member of the safeguarding team.

OUR OFFICE TEAM

Tammy, Suzy and Emma.

Don't forget to let us know if your child is going to be absent for any reason.

Also, any information changes - telephone numbers, address.

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Dates for your Diary

May Bank Holiday

Nursery closed

4th May



30th April

**Mill Cottage Farm
is visiting**

Half Term

Nursery closed

25th - 29th May

Summer Holidays

Our last day of term is

Wednesday

22nd July

Nursery will be

closed

19th June 2026

for staff training



We have another fun filled term ahead of us, with lots going on. Don't forget to check Tapestry, our Facebook page and the Wonder Walls to find out what we have been up to!



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Family Support Update



Weekly Groups

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
You and Your Baby 10 -11.30am	You and Your Toddler 9.30-11am	Bushy Tales (SEND group) 9.15-10.30am	You and Your Toddler 9.30-11am
Baby Massage (<u>booking</u> required) 1-2.30pm	Young Parents 1-2.30pm	Health Visitor Clinic 11-12.30pm	
		You and Your Baby 1-2.30pm	

Saturday Dads

**SATURDAY
9.30 - 11 AM**

A stay and play session for all dads and male carers with children under 5 on the first Saturday of each month

A light breakfast is provided to all families

Summer Term 2026

1st April
2nd May
6th June
4th July



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Little Squirrels

**SATURDAY
9.30 - 11 AM**

An inclusive SEND family stay and play group running every third Saturday of each month for families with children under 5

★ Experienced Practitioners ★
★ Social Play ★
★ Safe and Supportive Environment ★



Summer Term 2026

18th April
16th May
20th June
18th July



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