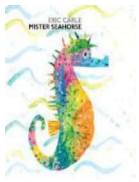


## Reception Class Newsletter



Our understanding of life cycles continued this week through the wonderful Eric Carle story, 'Mister Seahorse'. We found out that baby seahorses are called fry or hatchlings and that the Dad carries the eggs in his pouch until it is time for them to hatch. The children have also created a giant underwater sea picture, adding seahorses painted in the style of Eric Carle. After listening to the story 'Bubble and Float' we done our investigation hats as we predicted which objects from around the classroom sank and which floated. We tried to think about why this was. We also tidied up our outdoor area by weeding and planting some geraniums and impatiens.

### Pirate Party Day



On Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July your child is invited to dress as a pirate for the day. They don't need a special costume unless you have one or want to get one. A t-shirt and shorts is fine. We will be playing some pirate themed games, completing pirate themed activities and having a special snack. Allergens will be sent out nearer the time. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask.

### Outdoor kitchen

We would welcome any dead headed flowers or wilted herbs to use in our outdoor kitchen area.



## Super stars



Well done to Darwin and Harper our two stars of the week



Congratulations!



### Maths

We have been focusing on doubling and halving this week. Look out for opportunities to explore this at home with toys, food or objects around the house.

### Vocabulary of the week

Protect, delight, anticipate, drift, disguise, gentle  
Camouflage.

### Dates Ahead:

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June** - 9am Reception Class assembly. Invitation sent out last week.

**25<sup>th</sup> June**- Reception visit to Wesley Place (details to follow soon, this will be after the assembly)

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July** - Pirate Party Day (details to follow nearer the time).

*Have a wonderful weekend from the EYFS team*

