

Manager's Newsletter

We have welcomed the beautiful season of **Autumn** into our lives and the rooms are filled with different shades of browns, reds, yellows and oranges, as the children embrace the changes in the environment that are happening all around us. The temperatures have certainly dropped too, especially in the mornings, so please can you ensure that the children bring warm clothing. Please could we also ask that you bring in a spare change of clothes each day, so that the children can get changed if they get a bit wet or muddy during outdoor activities. Thank you!

Thank you so much to all our parents who were able to join us for our first parent **Stay-n-Play** last week; it was great to welcome parents in and it certainly looked like the children enjoyed showing off all the wonderful things that we get up to.

A quick reminder about the **Open Morning** which takes place on Wednesday 14th October; if you would like to book a tour around the school to see the outstanding teaching and learning that takes place at St Vincent's, please drop them an email on admin@stvincents.trafford.sch.uk.

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Nursery Manager



HARVEST FESTIVAL

Thank you so much to all parents who have brought in food donations towards our Harvest Festival. We are very grateful as we know how much difference this will make to our local community and those who truly need it.

There is still time if you are able to grab a couple of extra tins next time you go to the supermarket as we are extending the deadline for donations to Thursday 1st October.

A quick reminder what local foodbanks are currently really short on:

- Coffee / Tea / Cordial
- Sponge pudding / Rice pudding / Tinned fruit / Custard
- Chocolates / Treats
- Cereal / Rice
- Pasta sauce / Instant mash / Tinned ham
- Tinned spaghetti / Tinned vegetables / Tinned soup
- Toiletries / Toilet roll
- Washing powder / Household cleaning

Please bring any donations to the nursery by Thursday 1st October. Thank you so much in advance!



Upcoming Events



GRANDPARENTS TEA PARTY

MONDAY 5th OCTOBER 2026

A reminder that all grandparents are warmly invited to join us for an afternoon tea in celebration of the Grandparents Day.

This will take place on Monday 5th October at 2.30pm.

If you ever had the privilege of tasting any of Greg's freshly baked, mouth-wateringly delicious cakes, tarts, scones or pies, you know that you will not want to miss this! If any grandparents are able to come, please can you confirm their attendance via email if you haven't done so already, including what their names are so that we know who to expect.

If your child is not usually in on a Monday, they are warmly invited to join us too!

DATES FOR THE DIARY...

We have lots of things to look forward to over the coming weeks, celebrating all the special events. More details for each one will be sent nearer the time:

Friday 9th October - World Mental Health Day

World Mental Health Day is always an important event in our nursery calendar and this year is no different. On Friday 9th October, we will be celebrating this day in lots of different ways, whilst focusing on our own emotional well-being, as well as the one of our loved ones. This year's theme is '*Lived experiences heard: real voices, real change*'. Through planned activities, we will be embracing child voice, staff voice and family voice.

Thursday 22nd October - Spooky Creatures Halloween Party with Wriggly Roadshow

Friday 23rd October - United Nations Day

Week commencing Monday 2nd November - Remembrance Week

Friday 13th November - World Kindness Day

Wednesday 18th November - Winter Photoshoot with Concept Photography

(please note the date change from the original dates list due to photographer availability)